

# Fanning the flame of RCIA

Full-day workshop with Nick Wagner and Diana Macalintal of TeamRCIA.

## A hands-on, interactive day grounded in the texts of the "Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults" (RCIA).

If you're Catholic this day is for you. Mission (evangelisation) and initiation are at the heart of RCIA and the responsibility of all the baptised, not just a particular parish team.

This day is a must for:

parish RCIA team members,  
parishes looking to begin RCIA,  
sacramental teams,  
parish leaders and  
school staff.

A one-off opportunity not to be missed!

## Workshop program

<b>9.00 am</b>	<b>Gathering</b>
9.30 am	Introductions, overview, opening prayer
9.45 am	Six principles of the RCIA
10.30 am	Four pillars for forming disciples
10.50 am	Book list and resource sign up
<b>11.00 am</b>	<b>Break</b>
11.20 am	Overview of the RCIA process
12.00 pm	Liturgy: Adapted Presentation of the Creed
<b>12.45 pm</b>	<b>Lunch</b>
1.30 pm	How to facilitate mystagogy
2.00 pm	Period of Evangelisation and Precatechumenate: Three levels of evangelisation
<b>3.00 pm</b>	<b>Break</b>
3.15 pm	Period of the Catechumenate: Making your parish the curriculum
3.45 pm	Honouring the baptised candidates
4.05 pm	Summary of best practices and evaluations
4.15 pm	Closing prayer
<b>4.30 pm</b>	<b>End</b>

## Date

Saturday 19 October 2019

## Time

9.00 AM to 4.30 PM

## Venue

Maitland-Newcastle Diocesan Office  
841 Hunter St, Newcastle West

## Cost

Free event. All catering provided.  
▼ Refer book purchase below.

## Bring

Your copy of "Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults" **or \$15 cash purchase at workshop** (ISBN 9781876295721 RRP \$24.95).

## RSVP asap

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(please advise any dietary restrictions)

## Workshop objectives

- Know why the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults needs a conversion-focused community
- Identify the six core principles of the RCIA
- Recognise the four areas of Christian discipleship that grow a community of disciples
- Understand the way of faith and how the ritual and catechetical paths work together
- Learn the three levels of evangelisation
- Discover how to use your parish as a personalised 'syllabus' for each RCIA seeker
- Be prepared to make mystagogy work in your parish
- Distinguish the unique formation needs and ritual paths of the baptised
- Decide the next simple step you can take