

WELCOME TO THE MMR FAITH COMMUNITY

Neophytes who were baptized at the Easter Vigil on April 4, 2015



Ali Seyed Mirfakhar (right) Christian name: PAUL

Parish sponsor/godparent – YOME HOANG (left)

Ali comes from Iran where he practiced as a veterinarian. Currently he is studying to become a physician's assistant.

I came to RCIA because I always had a need for God inside my soul. I was Muslim and because of my background He was like a monster to me. Now I know He is our loving Father.

The most important and interesting part of this journey for me is the people who are so kind with each other and help everybody to reach his goal. Also, they always pray in groups for others, and as a result of that, there is peace in my soul. I believe this journey is a blessing by Jesus Christ.

Jonathan Tran (right) Confirmation name: JONATHAN

Parish sponsor/godparent – ARMANDO MORAL (left)

I was raised loosely catholic without religious pressure and never received the sacraments. As I attended college out of state, I was faced with hard times. It was through attending mass regularly with my relatives that I found even in dark times, I was and never will be alone.

As a person who was raised practicing Catholicism, even though I had not received the sacraments as a child, I felt I had a firm grasp of the teachings and I thought that there was not much more for me to learn. However, I have found I could not be more wrong, and that my relationship with Jesus is a constant learning process that I accept.

