

2026-2027 Confirmation Enrollment Agreement

My name is: _____ Grade _____ Year 1 or 2? _____

Students - please print your full legal name

I realize that the following items are the requirements of the St. Matthew Confirmation program. I understand that if I do not complete all of these requirements, I will be asked to repeat this year of preparation.

The Confirmation program at St. Matthew Church is a 2-year program which consists of Faith Formation classes and Weekend Mass attendance. Youth wishing to prepare for Confirmation must attend all classes, group sessions, meetings/retreats and Mass along with other requirements.

1. I will sign in and participate in Mass while enrolled in the program. I will stay until the end of Mass, and arrive before the Gospel acclamation.
2. Attendance is mandatory. If I miss a session due to an emergency, illness, or another valid reason, I will be expected to complete the make-up work within two weeks of the absence. After three missed sessions, my parents/guardians will be required to meet with the Youth Ministry staff and/or the Pastor. **Retreat requirement:** One retreat in Year 1 and one retreat in Year 2. It is my responsibility to keep track of whether I attended a retreat or not. **Dates Not Yet Set.**
3. I will complete all registration paperwork and submit it to the Youth Ministry Office. I will also sign this Youth Ministry Enrollment Agreement before the first class session on **September 16, 2026.**
4. **Year 1** - I will choose a Confirmed, practicing Catholic who is at least 18 years of age as my Sponsor (not a parent) for my Confirmation to accompany me on my preparation journey; form due not later than **Dec 2, 2026.** so I may continue attending my preparation classes for Confirmation.
5. **Year 2** - all outstanding paperwork due in Year 1 **MUST** be turned in before registering for Year 2. You must have chosen a Saint and Sponsor who is a Confirmed, practicing Catholic who is at least 18 years of age.
6. **Year 2** – Youth Mass, 3pm pre-class is **MANDATORY.** Please refer to the schedule provided.
7. Mass Reflection Sheet - I will turn in all Mass Reflection Sheets (MRS) on or before the due date. NO exceptions.
8. I understand that St. Matthew Church has a zero-tolerance policy regarding bullying, including the harassment of teachers, students, and volunteers. The use of, possession of, or being under the influence of drugs or alcohol during any St. Matthew event or session is strictly prohibited and may result in immediate dismissal from the program.
9. I will show respect to all adult leaders and fellow participants at all times. I understand that my parent(s)/guardian(s) may be contacted if I fail to adhere to this expectation during any St. Matthew event or activity.
10. I will not use my cell phone, earbuds, or other electronic devices while class is in session unless specifically authorized by a Youth Ministry leader.
11. I will be actively involved in the St. Matthew Parish community by completing a minimum of 30 hours of volunteer service during each program year.

I agree to the above requirements and understand that I am responsible for contacting Alicia Quintero at the Youth Ministry Office at (951) 272-3520, through Class Remind, or by email at aquintero@sbdioocese.org if I have difficulty fulfilling any of these requirements.

I understand that my parents/guardians will be notified if there are any issues or concerns regarding my participation in the program. I have read, understand, and agree to abide by the above Youth Ministry requirements.

Signatures from the youth and at least one parent are required below!

Student's e-mail: _____ Phone#: _____

Youth Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____