11th Grade Important Dates and Assignments Breakdown

Important Dates

- **11th Grade Parent/ Teen Meeting** | Sunday, October 4th | School Cafeteria
- **Formation Classes Begin** | Sunday, October 18th 11:30am-12:45pm
- **Confirmation Information Sheet** | Due Sunday, December 6th
- **Candidate's Saint Paper** | Due Sunday, December 6th
- **Confirmation Retreat Form** | Due Sunday, January 3rd
- **Candidate/Sponsor Commitment Mass** and **Meeting to follow 10:30am Mass** | Sunday, January 10th
- **Confirmation Retreat** | Sunday, February 7th
- **Candidate Questionnaire for the Bishop** | Due Sunday, February 28th **THIS QUESTIONNAIRE MUST BE TYPED.**
- **Sponsor's Letter to Fr. Roman** | Due Sunday, March 14th
- **Formation Classes End** | Sunday April 25th
- **Teen Confirmation Interview** | After school hours on **Monday, May 10th** & after school hours on **Tuesday, May 11th** | Candidate interview with Fr. Roman or Deacons.
- **Confirmation Mass Rehearsal | Monday, May 17th 6:00pm**
- **Confirmation Mass | Thursday, May 20th | 7:00pm | Archbishop Grob**

Important Assignments

Candidate's Confirmation Information Sheet: It all begins this year with filling out the Confirmation Information Sheet. Students are asked to complete this form and turn it in no later than **Sunday, December 6th**. Forms are available in the church office, in the school office and online at Stmarycatholic.org.

Candidate's Saint Paper: Your Saint Paper should be one **full page, double spaced** using **time new roman #12 font**. This paper should be written in your own words, making it personal. **Be sure to proofread your paper and include your name!** The Saint Paper is due **Sunday, December 6th.**

Included the following information about your Saint in your paper:

- Why have you chosen this Saint to be your Confirmation Saint?
- Where was your Saint born?
- How and where did your Saint grow up?
- What is the family history of your Saint?
- What was your Saint's education?
- Tell us about your Saint's conversion experience. When did they come to be a follower?
- What is your Saint's philosophy?
- What is your Saint a patron of?
- What is your Saint's feast day?
- How, when, where did your Saint die? Where are they buried

Here are some resources you can use while doing your research

- Archmil.org
- https://gnm.org/saints-find/
- https://catholicsaints.info/
- https://www.catholic.org/saints/

Candidate's Questionnaire for the Bishop: Candidates are required to complete this form and turn it in no later than Sunday, February 28th FORMS MUST BE TYPED. HANDWRITTEN FORMS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED. Answers to questions must be well thought through and answered in completion. Turn in the completed questionnaire before/after class or emailed to the Christian Formation administrative Assistant. This form is also available on our parish website at Stmarycatholic.org

Sponsor's Letter to Fr. Roman: This letter to Fr. Roman is due by **Sunday, March 14th**. It should be typed, double-spaced, font size #12. Sponsors are asked to mail their letters to the attention of the Christian Formation Administrative Assistant at St. Mary Catholic Church 7307 40th Avenue Kenosha WI 53142. Below, is an example of what may be included in the sponsor's letter to Fr. Roman.

Today's Date

Dear Fr. Roman,

My name is _____ and I am a member of _____ Parish. I recommend _____ for confirmation because.....

(talk about at least one of these topics)

1. Of your candidate's maturity or growth in faith (explain).
2. Your candidate's willingness to continue to grow in faith (explain).
3. Your candidate's willingness to serve God (explain).
4. Any other matter that you think may show that your candidate is ready for Confirmation.

Sincerely,

Sponsor Name

(Sign your name after printing)