



Confirmation 2025-2026 Itinerary

REQUIREMENTS:

The Sacrament of Confirmation is celebrated in the fall after a period of preparation that runs from 7-9th grade. This year's activities include:

- Participate in Mass and Holy Days of Obligation
- Participation in Youth Ministry
- Participating in the Faith Formation classes and activities listed below
- Stewardship to church, family and community through service projects
- Choosing a qualified Sponsor and Saint Confirmation name
- Participating in Rite of Enrollment Mass
- Participating in Confirmation Liturgy

DATES OF SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION CLASSES AND ACTIVITIES:

- **September 7, 2025 from 11:00-1:00** (Candidates and Parents should attend)
 - Theme: *Our Catholic Faith*
 - Agenda:
 - 11:00 a.m. Mass
 - 12:00- What to Expect in Preparing for the Sacrament of Confirmation.
 - Candidates should come prepared to complete Sponsor forms
 - Recordkeeping Information Sheet will also be distributed for completion.
 - 12:30- Parents – Powerpoint Presentation / Candidates
 - 1:00- Dismissal
- **September 28, 2025- Youth Ministry- 6-8 pm**
- **October 19, 2025 – Walk a Thon Walk in Their Footsteps- Times to be Announced**
- **October 27, 2025- Youth Ministry- 6-8 pm**
- **November 16, 2025**
- **11:00-2:00 p.m.**
 - Theme: *Expressing Our Faith*
 - Agenda:
 - 11:00 a.m. Mass
 - 12:00 p.m. Lunch in the lower level of the church
 - 12:30-2:00 p.m. Collection for local food pantries, Life curriculum, and introduction of *Faith at Home/On Your Own* projects

- **January 26, 2026 - Office Hours Only**
There will be no in-person confirmation prep activities in January or February (except for youth ministry) However, candidates will be expected to work on their *Faith at Home/On Your Own* scripture project and stewardships requirements.
- **February 8, 2026- Youth Ministry- 6-8 pm**
- **March 7, 2026 – Retreat More Details to Follow- Theme: Sacraments – 11:00am-5:00pm**
- **March 15, 2026 - Mission Sunday 9:00 Mass followed by Community Outreach**
 - Theme: *Living our Faith – Service and Stewardship*
 - Agenda:
 - 9:00 a.m. Mass
 - 10:00 a.m. Breakfast & Meeting
 - 11:00 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Groups depart to engage in various service projects throughout the community.
 - 2:00 Return for Prayer and Reflection
 - Dismissal 2:30
- **May 17, 2026 from 4:30-6:30 (Parents and Candidates)**
 - Theme: Living a Perpetually Authentic Life
 - Agenda
 - 4:30- Dinner in the lower level of the church
 - 5:00-6:30- Various Individuals from the church/community will share practical examples of how they're living God's Call to "go in peace and serve the Lord and one another."
 - Confirmation Candidates should be prepared to share one or two of their completed service projects with the panel
- **June 7, 2026– Mass and Right of Enrollment (Parents/Candidates and Sponsors if Available)**
 - 11:00 a.m. Mass - You have prepared yourself for the Sacrament of Confirmation by prayer and study in your home and in our parish community. You have chosen to present yourself as a candidate for the Sacrament of Confirmation. We as a parish acknowledge your desire to be further initiated into the life of the Church.
 - 12:00 p.m. Reception for Candidates, Parents/Guardians, and sponsors (if possible) to celebrate the completion of your preparation to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation. Candidates can also submit any outstanding Stewardships service project forms.
 - The next time we'll be together will be at the Confirmation Liturgy in the Fall of 2026 (Reconciliation)

STEWARDSHIP REQUIREMENTS:

Candidates are expected to complete three projects in each of the following areas: Church, Family, Community, and Faith Opportunities to volunteer at church (as well as ideas for community service) will be sent periodically.