

# CONFIRMATION PARENT'S MEETING

1. WELCOME            DEACON DAVE
  
2. OPENING PRAYER DEACON DAVE
  
3. OVERVIEW OF PROGRAM
  - a. Our Catechists and their requirements
    - i. Attendance is very important – Please make every effort to be in class each week
    - ii. Homework if and when required by the Catechists must be completed for the next class
    - iii. Quizzes and Units tests (Four during the year) – for us to determine student retention and catechists presentation of material to the students
    - iv. Material for memorization – (See Handout on this web page)
    - v. Interview if necessary by pastor/Deacon or Committee
  
  - b. SERVICE HOURS – (available on the web-site)
    - i. 7<sup>TH</sup> GRADE            10 HOURS – form available on web
    - ii. 8<sup>TH</sup> GRADE            15 HOURS - form available on web
      1. 5 HOURS FOR FAMILY
      2. 5 HOURS FOR COMMUNITY
      3. 5 HOURS FOR CHURCH

How do I choose the Date for Confirmation?

- a. Letter from the Bishop about Confirmation
  - i. He determines the date and the times
  - ii. Confirmation will most likely be in October
  - iii. Usually receive some time in July or August
  
- b. SAINT NAME
  - i. Form is available on the web-site

c. SPONSOR

i. available on the web-site

1. Requirements for the Sponsor
2. Certificate of Eligibility

4. FOCUS SESSION

- a. Three Sessions will be offered – dates and times will be in the confirmation letter when a date has been chosen
- b. Required to attend 1 session

5. RETREAT

- a. Three Sessions will be offered - dates and times will be in the confirmation letter when a date has been chosen
- b. Required to attend 1 session

6. CONFIRMATION

- a. Service [Not a Mass]
- b. Two Sessions 2 PM - & 4:30 PM
- c. Students will be divided in two groups
- d. There will be no changing of times for Confirmation.
- e. Two services so there will be **NO** issuing of tickets

7. REHEARSAL WITH SPONSOR/OR/PARENT

- a. TWO SESSIONS Rehearsal is the Day Before Confirmation
  - i. 6:00 PM for 2:00 PM Service
  - ii. 7:00 PM for 4:30 Service

8. All appropriate information is posted on the Church Web Site under Religious Education as it becomes available.

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