

# 2023-2024

## CONFIRMATION PROGRAM SUPPLIES & REQUIREMENTS:

Books used in each class – provided by the Faith Formation Office

Chosen: Your Journey Toward Confirmation, publisher Ascension Press

YOUCAT, publisher Ignatius Press

Handbook for Today's Catholic, Publisher Liguori Publications

**Mass Signature Cards** - Weekly Mass attendance is required. The student is to write the name of the Celebrant (Presiding Priest) in the appropriate box. Then, after Mass, a priest, or deacon will stamp the card verifying Mass attendance for that week. You are required to turn in each completed card the week following the last date on the card.

**Confirmation Workbook** - Students will complete each of the requirements in this booklet. This includes 15 service hours that are performed between 6/1/23-12/1/23. Service hours and the completed booklet are due 12/1/23. There are several opportunities for service hours at the Church including Altar Serving, Feeding the Homeless, helping with projects in Faith Formation, and miscellaneous projects, however, you are responsible for getting your hours completed and signed off on.

**Confirmation Questions** - Students will complete these questions with their parents and sponsor outside of class.

- Questions 1-20 are due 9/14/23
- Questions 21- 40 are due 10/12/23
- Questions 41 – 60 are due 11/9/23
- Questions 61 – 80 are due 12/14/23
- Questions 81 – 100 are due 1/11/24

**Candidate Information Sheet** - This form is what we use to record your Confirmation Saint name if you pick one. The name of a Saint is not required, if you do not pick the name of a Saint for Confirmation, please write none on the sheet and turn it back in. Everyone must turn in this form. It is due in the Faith Formation Office by 12/1/23.

**Sponsor Testimonial** - This is to be completed by the sponsor and submitted by 12/1/23. If the sponsor is a member of Sts. Peter & Paul Church, Faith Formation will forward the form to Fr. Derk for his approval. If the sponsor is a member of another parish, the sponsor needs to submit the form to their parish office to be signed and sealed by the pastor before being returned to our Faith Formation. There is a list of *criteria* for sponsors on the form which is subscribed by canon law and every criteria listed must be met in order to be approved as a sponsor.

**Attendance** - Attendance is required for weekly Mass and scheduled classes, one confirmation retreat (listed in the acknowledgement form), and all 5 Sacramental Sessions. The **Five Confirmation Sacramental Sessions** must be attended by the Confirmadi & parent or sponsor.

**Prayers** – Students will be required to pass a test prior to receiving the sacraments on the following prayers (the following prayers can be found in your confirmation workbook):

- Our Father
- Hail Mary
- Glory Be
- Act of Contrition
- Sign of the Cross
- Nicene Creed