

# 9<sup>TH</sup> GRADE (Year 2) CONFIRMATION CLASS



## 2024-2025 REQUIREMENTS & SCHEDULE

- Students must sign-in and attend Mass every weekend
- Students must sign-in for classes and events as scheduled
- Students should attend the 11am Mass when class is scheduled (sit front choir section)
- Parents to attend two classes with students per semester (four classes overall)
- Students must attend the Diocesan Catholic Youth Day (Sat. Oct. 5th 10am – 6pm, earn 5 hours)
- Students must attend the Diocesan Confirmation Retreat (Sat. Dec. 14th 10:30am – 5pm)
- Sponsor & Student Mass & Class on Sunday 11/13, 11am-1pm (Sponsor Form Due 11/13)
- Students must write a short Saint essay about their chosen Saint name (Essay Due 2/9)
- Students must earn Twenty Service Hours (Service Hours Due by 4/27)

**ALL SCHEDULE CHANGES/UPDATES WILL BE COMMUNICATED BY GROUP EMAIL**

### **SEPTEMBER – Who is the Holy Spirit? (Gifts for the Journey)**

- SUN, 9/15, 12-1pm – Student & Parent Orientation
- SUN, 9/29, 11am Mass/12-1pm Class – Sponsor Forms & Box of Joy distributed

### **OCTOBER – Why have I been Chosen? (Sealed and Sent in Confirmation)**

- SAT, 10/5, 10am-6pm – Catholic Youth Day/Cathedral Camp (earn 5 service hours)
- SUN, 10/20, 11am Mass/12-1pm Class – Box of Joy Drop-off (earn service hours)
- SAT, 10/26, 5:30-7:30pm – *Optional Youth Night Parish Hall*

### **NOVEMBER – Why do I have to go to Mass? (Encountering Jesus in the Eucharist)**

- SUN, 11/3, 11am Mass/12-1pm Class – Sponsor Day with students
- SUN, 11/24, 11am Mass/12-1pm Class

### **DECEMBER – Who's calling? (Marriage, Holy Orders and Vocational Discernment)**

- SAT, 12/14, 10:30am-5pm – Diocesan Confirmation Retreat/Bishop Stang High School
- SAT, 12/21, 5:30-7:30pm – *Optional Youth Night Parish Hall*

### **JANUARY – Are you talking to me? (Getting to Know God Through Prayer)**

- SUN 1/5, 11am Mass/12-1pm Class – Saint Name Due
- SAT 1/25, 5:30-7:30pm – *Optional Youth Night Parish Hall*
- SUN, 1/26, 11am Mass/12-1pm Class

### **FEBRUARY – What would Jesus do? (The Beatitudes as a Path to True Happiness)**

- SUN, 2/9, 11am Mass/12-1pm Class – Saint Essay due

### **MARCH – Do I have what it takes? (Building Virtue – Your Spiritual Workout)**

- SUN, 3/2, 11am Mass/12-1pm Class
- WED, 3/5, 6-7pm – Ash Wednesday Mass – Canned Goods for Haiti starts
- SUN, 3/30, 11am Mass/12-1pm Class

### **APRIL – Where do I go from here? (The Journey Continues)**

- SUN, 4/13, 11am Mass/12-3pm – Easter Basket Class Service Project earn service hours
- THR, 4/17, 6pm Mass/7-10pm – Holy Thursday Bus Pilgrimage (earn 3 service hours)
- SUN, 4/27, 11am Mass/12-1pm Class – Service Hours Due
- TBD – Confirmation Rehearsal and Confirmation Mass