

# Confirmation 2020-21: "Be Sealed with the Gift of the Holy Spirit"

All sessions are 6:30 to 8:00 PM in the church unless otherwise indicated.

A parent or sponsor accompanies the candidate for each event.

Memorize the Gifts of the Holy Spirit: wisdom, understanding, knowledge, right judgement, courage, reverence, and wonder and awe.

## 2020-21

Tuesday	October 20	Church	Session 1	INTRODUCTION AND OVERVIEW Please arrive early for finding your small group.
<b>Saturday/ Sunday</b>	<b>October 24/25</b>	<b>5:00 PM, 9:00 AM or 11:00 AM Mass</b>	Arrive 15 minutes before Mass	<b>RITE OF ENROLLMENT at Mass</b>  Check-in before Mass and sign the scroll.
Tuesday	October 27	Church	Session 2	<b><i>DUE-Chapter 1 Choose:</i></b> As a family discuss: What does Jesus teach us about how to live in relationship with one another and with God? (see page 4)  Bring a cross for each person. Bring small baby picture of the candidate and find out where to tape it when you arrive.  <b><i>DUE-\$40 registration fee</i></b> <b><i>DUE-Copy of baptism certificate</i></b>
Tuesday	November 10	Church	Session 3	<b><i>DUE-Chapter 2 Scripture:</i></b> As a family discuss: How does the Holy Spirit act in our lives? (see page 4)  Candidates will make name cards in the gathering space when they arrive. Discuss choosing a name for Confirmation-resources provided.
Tuesday	November 17	Church	Session 4	RETREAT 1  <b><i>DUE-Sponsor form</i></b> <b><i>DUE-Certificate Information form</i></b> (Let us know if you need to sit near another family because of shared sponsors or family members.)
Tuesday	December 1	Church	Session 5	RETREAT 2

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Tuesday	January 19	Church	Session 6	<p><b><i>DUE-Chapter 3: Spirituality:</i></b> As a family discuss: Describe how the Holy Spirit is present in your relationships.</p> <p>Guest speaker, David Rinaldi's talk, "Get a Life!" will focus on the Holy Spirit, the Giver of Life.</p>
Tuesday	February 9	Church	Session 7	<p><b><i>DUE-Chapter 4 Sacraments:</i></b> As a family discuss: Share with each other what you know and your experiences of the Seven Sacraments.</p> <p><b><i>DUE-What is God calling you to be and do?</i></b></p> <p>Fr. Talbot will join us for prayer and to talk about all Seven Sacraments.</p>
Tuesday	February 23	Church	Session 8	<p><b><i>DUE-Chapter 5 Service:</i></b> As a family discuss: How do you serve your parish? How do you serve the greater community? What type of service would you like to do?</p> <p><b><i>DUE-Random Acts of Kindness Log</i></b></p> <p><b><i>DUE-Homily Reflections</i></b></p> <p>Sign-up for bus to Cathedral</p>
Tuesday	May 4	Church	Session 9	<p><b><i>DUE-Chapter 6 Confirmation:</i></b> As a family discuss: What gifts do I bring to the community? How ready am I for Confirmation?</p> <p>Prayer service with Fr. Talbot and find out all details for Confirmation</p> <p><b><i>DUE-Photo orders</i></b></p>
<b>Saturday/ Sunday</b>	<b>May 8/9</b>	<b>5:00 PM, 9:00 AM or 11:00 AM Mass</b>	Arrive 15 minutes before Mass	<b>RITE OF SENDING at Mass</b> Check-in before Mass begins
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>May 15</b>	<b>at the Cathedral @ 1:30 PM, arrive by 1 PM</b>	Bus departs St. Mary's at 12:15 PM	<b>RITE OF CONFIRMATION</b> <b>Bus ride available for \$10 per family</b>

We will have a photographer at the Cathedral to take pictures.

An order form is in your folder and on the parish website.

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