

# Confirmation 2025-2026: "Be Sealed with the Gift of the Holy Spirit"

**All sessions are at 4:30 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.

Tuesday	October 21	Church	Session 1	<b>Introduction and Overview</b>
<b>Saturday/ Sunday</b>	<b>October 25/26</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>
Tuesday	October 28	Church	Session 2	<p><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?</p> <p>Discuss choosing a name for Confirmation-resources provided.</p> <p>Adults, bring a cross. Bring a small baby picture of the candidate and find out where to tape it when you arrive.</p> <p><b><i>DUE-\$40 registration fee</i></b> <b><i>DUE-Copy of baptism certificate-newly issued</i></b></p>
Tuesday	November 4	Church	Session 3	<p><b><i>DUE-Chapter 2 Scripture:</i></b> As a family discuss: How does the Holy Spirit act in our lives?</p> <p><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.)</p>
Tuesday	November 11	Church	Session 4	<b>Retreat 1:</b> Be sure to arrive on time!
Tuesday	November 18	Church	Session 5	<b>Retreat 2</b>

Tuesday	January 13	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	January 20	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>
Tuesday	February 10	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>
Tuesday	TBD*	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 and find out all details for Confirmation.</p> <p><b><i>DUE-Photo orders</i></b></p>
Saturday/ Sunday	TBD*	5:00 PM, 9:00 AM or 11:00 AM Mass	Arrive 15 minutes before Mass	<p><b>Rite of Sending at Mass</b> Check-in before Mass begins</p>
TBD	TBD*	TBD PM Cathedral	Arrive no later than TBD PM	<p><b>Celebration of Confirmation</b> We will have a photographer at the Cathedral to take pictures.</p>

\* The TBD dates will be set after we are given a Confirmation date from the Archdiocese.