

Requirements for the Sacrament of Confirmation

The Candidate must:

- Be entering the 9th—12th grade
- Be a baptized Roman Catholic and have received First Holy Communion.
(Please attach a copy of these certificates)
- Fulfill the course requirements.
 1. Attend at least seventy Confirmation Classes (can be completed in two years).
 2. Attend two approved Retreats; one each year. (a Day of Recollection and a B.C.C. Weekend Retreat)
 3. Attend MASS each weekend
 4. Serve 20 hours of Ministry each year.
 - Written documentation must be submitted to the Religious Education Dept. by May 1st.
 - 50% should be through Catholic Programs to the needy (outreach to the poor, shut-ins, unborn, and physically challenged).
 - 50% dedicated to Parish Ministry (altar-serving, ushering, choir, church maintenance, CCD, Youth Ministry, and Diocesan Projects).
 - Non-Catholic Service Projects must receive prior approval from the Youth Minister.
- Complete four interviews with our Pastor
- Select a Sponsor
Canon 874: The Sponsor assists the parents in raising their child in the Roman Catholic Faith. The sponsor and candidate should meet several times during the preparatory period and for scheduled meetings and practices. The sponsor should be present at the Confirmation Ceremony. The sponsor is a Baptized, practicing Catholic, 17 years of age or older; an example and source of support for the Candidate. He/she is not the candidate's parent.
- Select a Confirmation Name
- Provide a Letter to the Bishop. A one page, typed explanation of why the Candidate is ready to receive the Sacrament.
- Attend mandatory Confirmation Ceremony Meetings and Practices
- Participate in the Confirmation Ceremony.

I have read and understand the expectations and requirements for the Holy Trinity Confirmation Program and Youth Ministry.

I agree to cooperate with the Parish / Diocesan Policies.

I give permission for pictures or video clips of the applicant to be published, without charge, to appropriately promote Confirmation/ Youth Ministry.

Youth Signature

Date

Parent/Guardian Signature