

## Confirmation Preparation Schedule

October 2023 – May 2024

Confirmation preparation meets on Sunday evenings. Dinner will be served at 6:30pm following the 5:30pm mass. The program is for teens in 9<sup>th</sup> grade or above and will go from 7-8:30pm. It will involve large group sessions as well as small group sessions. Several times throughout the year parents and sponsors are also invited for a special liturgy, dinner, and program.

### October 1<sup>st</sup> – Parent and Teen Orientation

October 8<sup>th</sup> – Small Group

October 15<sup>th</sup> – Small Group

October 22<sup>nd</sup> – MEA Break

October 29<sup>th</sup> – Small Group

November 5<sup>th</sup> – Small Group

November 12<sup>th</sup> – Small Group

**November 19<sup>th</sup> – Rite of Welcome @ 5:30 Mass, Parent & Sponsor Night**

*- Sponsor Sheet due and retreat registration deadline*

November 26<sup>th</sup> – Thanksgiving Break

December 3<sup>rd</sup> – Small Group

December 10<sup>th</sup> – Small Group

December 17<sup>th</sup> – Small Group

December 24<sup>th</sup> – Christmas Break

December 31<sup>st</sup> – Christmas Break

January 7<sup>th</sup> – Small Group

January 14<sup>th</sup> – Holiday Weekend

January 21<sup>st</sup> – Small Group

**January 28<sup>th</sup> – Parent & Sponsor Night** – *Saint Reflection due*

February 4<sup>th</sup> – Small Group

February 10<sup>th</sup>-11<sup>th</sup> – Confirmation Retreat Weekend

February 18<sup>th</sup> – Holiday Weekend

February 26<sup>th</sup> – Small Group

March 3<sup>rd</sup> – Small Group

March 10<sup>th</sup> – Spring Break

March 17<sup>th</sup> – Small Group

March 24<sup>th</sup> – Small Group – *Letter of Intent due*

March 31<sup>st</sup> – Easter Sunday

April 7<sup>th</sup> – Small Group

**April 14<sup>th</sup> – Rite of Sending @ 5:30 Mass, Parent & Sponsor Night** – *Service Reflection due*

**April 16<sup>th</sup> – 7:00 pm Sacrament of Confirmation @ the Cathedral**

April 21<sup>st</sup> – Post-Confirmation Bible Study

April 28<sup>th</sup> – Post-Confirmation Bible Study

May 5<sup>th</sup> – Post-Confirmation Bible Study

May 12<sup>th</sup> – Post-Confirmation Bible Study

**May 19<sup>th</sup> – Pentecost Celebration @ 5:30 Mass, Parent & Sponsor Night**

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