

CONFIRMATION REQUIREMENTS 2011-2012

Level Two

Classes: Normally first three Saturdays of the month and sometimes fourth Saturday in Epiphany School (600 Italy Ave.)

2011: September 10, 17 & 24 October 01, 08, 15 & 22

November 05 & 12 December 03, 10 & 17

2012: January 07, 14 & 21 February 04, 11 & 18

March 03, 10, 17 and 31 April 14 and 28

May 12 and 19 (Distribution of certificates and pictures)

Doors open at 9:00 a.m. Classes begin at 9:30 a.m. and end at 11:00 am. Attendance at all sessions is required. If there is an unavoidable absence e.g. serious illness, call Loy B. Banez at 333-7630 ext 15 and a medical certificate will be needed if due to illness. If more than three classes are missed, it might be necessary to repeat the level.

Parents' Meeting: Parents are required to attend ALL of the following meetings:

September 10, 2011 at 9:00-11:30am at the Epiphany School Classroom/Cafeteria - Orientation

November 22, 2011 at 7:00 pm at the Epiphany School Cafeteria - Confirmation Catechesis

February 08, 2012 at 7:00pm at the Epiphany School Cafeteria - Confirmandi's Retreat

Rite of Commitment:

November 13, 2011 at the 10:00am Mass.

Sponsors: Sponsors have an important role in the preparation for Confirmation. The person chosen to be a sponsor is to be a practicing Catholic, 18 years of age, who has a good relationship with the candidate, and is willing to spend several hours helping the candidate prepare for Confirmation. **Mandatory attendance for all sponsors and candidates to attend the following meetings:**

November 08, 2011 at 7:00pm at the Epiphany School Cafeteria

November 22, 2011 at 7:00 pm at the Epiphany School Cafeteria

Retreat: February 25 and 26, 2012 at O'Keefe Hall, Church of the Epiphany. **Parents meeting regarding retreat will be on February 07, 2012 at 7:00pm.** Candidates need to submit their **waivers by February 18, 2012.** Candidates will arrive at 12:30 p.m. on February 25, go home at 10:00pm, and will return following day, February 26 at 7:45am.

Service Projects are to be completed and forms returned by February 18, 2012.

Homework: All students will submit a written report on how the whole family worked together or put to action the lesson from the homily for the week.

Reconciliation Service: Participants are to attend our Communal Reconciliation Service which will be held on February 21, 2012 from 7:00-9:00pm, Church of the Epiphany. Parents and sponsors are encouraged to attend the service.

Confirmation rehearsal is on April 17, 2012(?) With Sponsor at 7:00pm. Please assemble at the Church of the Epiphany cafeteria.

Sacrament of Confirmation will be administered at the Church of the Epiphany on **April 21, 2012 (?)** at 10:00 am. Candidates are to assemble at the Church of the Epiphany Cafeteria at 9:00 am and sponsors at 9:40am.

