

Sacrament of Confirmation for Adults

If you are an adult looking to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation, you must contact Deacon Dennis Walters about participating in RCIA (Right of Christian Initiation of Adults).

Classes typically require a year to complete.

The sacraments will be scheduled during the Saturday Easter Vigil Mass in the Spring.

If there is an issue of urgency due to health, please contact Father Bosco at the Parish Office.

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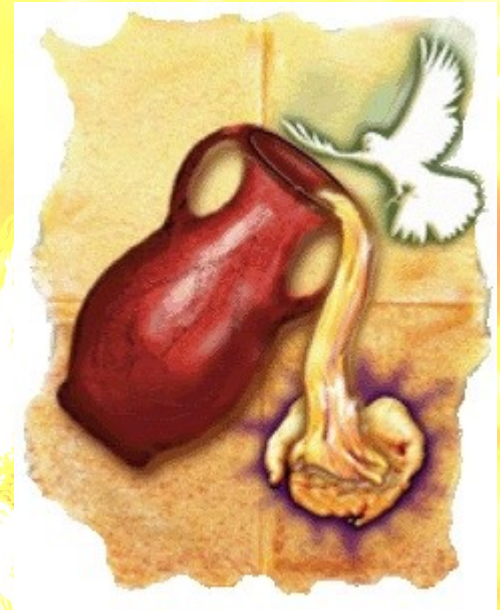
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The Sacrament of Confirmation



**St. Mary Roman Catholic
Church**

210 West Main Street

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Presided By: Father Bosco

Congratulations on Receiving This Blessed Sacrament!

Dear Families,

Congratulations on reaching the fourth exciting milestone in your child's young life in the Catholic Church. We are thrilled to be a part of this wonderful experience with your family and we look forward to walking with your child through this journey of claiming their Catholic Faith.

Eligibility

All children who have reached eighth grade, or older, are eligible to participate in the classes for the Sacrament of Confirmation.

Classes

Classes take place online. Participants will need to set-up a free Schoology Account in order to participate. The access code for the class is: JGPMZ-R77SS. They will have 12 modules to complete over seven months that follow Matthew Kelly's Decision Point Confirmation program. A textbook will be provided. Please consult the calendar for module due dates. All responses will be monitored regularly by the teacher.

Requirements

Parents are required to attend the orientation. **Please bring a copy of your child's Baptismal Certificate and First Communion Certificate to the orientation. A Confirmation Sponsor should also be identified by this time.** Parents are asked to monitor their child's progress on Schoology.

Participants will be expected to complete the following:

10 hours of Community Service

1 Saint Report (Completed within the Modules)

1 Exit Interview with Father Bosco in April

Attendance at the 2 Day January Retreat at the Pious Union is **Mandatory**. Sponsors are encouraged to attend either or both days if they are available.

Dress Code

Participants are expected to dress nicely for their Confirmation at the Cathedral.

Boys are expected to wear suits. Girls are expected to wear dresses with shoulders covered or a nice pant suit.

Confirmation Class/Module Schedule

Sunday, September 24: Confirmation Orientation at the Parish Center, 12-1pm

Sunday, October 8th: Module 1 Due

Sunday, October 22nd: Module 2 Due

Sunday, November 5th: Module 3 Due

Sunday, November 19th: Module 4 Due

Sunday, December 3rd: Module 5 Due

Sunday, December 17th: Module 6 Due

Sunday, January 7th: Module 7 Due

Sunday, January 21st: Module 8 Due

Saturday, January 27th: Confirmation Retreat: Day 1 at the Pious Union: 4-7pm

Sunday, January 28th: Confirmation Retreat: Day 2 at the Pious Union: 4-7pm

Sunday, February 11th: Module 9 Due

Sunday, February 25th: Module 10 Due

Sunday, March 4th: Module 11 Due

Sunday, March 18th: Module 12 Due

Sunday, April 8th: Paper Due

Saturday, April 28th: Confirmation Interviews with Father Bosco

Saturday, May 19th: Confirmation Retreat at the Church Following the 5pm Mass:

Bring Your Service Logs!

Sunday, May 20th: Confirmation at the Lansing Cathedral: Arrive at 1:30, Mass is at 2:30.