



CONFIRMED IN THE SPIRIT!
Schedule / Syllabus

Catechism of the Catholic Church

1315 "Now when the apostles at Jerusalem heard that Samaria had received the word of God, they sent to them Peter and John, who came down and prayed for them that they might receive the Holy Spirit; for it had not yet fallen on any of them, but they had only been baptized in the name of the Lord Jesus. Then they laid their hands on them and they received the Holy Spirit" (Acts 8:14-17).

1316 Confirmation perfects Baptismal grace; it is the sacrament which gives the Holy Spirit in order to root us more deeply in the divine filiation, incorporate us more firmly into Christ, strengthen our bond with the Church, associate us more closely with her mission, and help us bear witness to the Christian faith in words accompanied by deeds.

1317 Confirmation, like Baptism, imprints a spiritual mark or indelible character on the Christian's soul; for this reason one can receive this sacrament only once in one's life.

Confirmation Preparation Sessions generally take place on Saturday or Sunday, moving to or from liturgies ... Mass participation is very important in the preparation process – and in our faith life!

NOVEMBER 8th, 2026	FOLLOWING Noon Mass
	Session 1 PARENT / GUARDIAN
	<i>Informational Gathering – Catholic Beliefs & Practices</i>
	No DECEMBER Session – Advent / Christmas Seasons FAITH & SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES Abound!
JANUARY 10th, 2027	FOLLOWING Noon Mass - CANDIDATE / SPONSOR
	Session 2 Confirmed In The Spirit
	<i>Confirmed In Discipleship</i>
	<i>Confirmed In Faith</i>
	<i>Workbooks and Journals will be distributed. Baptism Certificates due.</i>
FEBRUARY 7th, 2027	FOLLOWING Noon Mass - CANDIDATE / SPONSOR
	Session 3 Confirmed In Love
	<i>Confirmed In Holiness</i>
	<i>Confirmed In Church</i>

ASH WEDNESDAY = February 10th	
<i>Begin your Lenten Season Prayerfully as a Family, Participating in Church Services and Community Outreach!</i>	
No “Session” in March ... Live Lent and Holy Week well ... & look for meaningful service opportunities	
Holy Week: <i>Service Opportunities Triduum / Easter liturgies</i>	
Sunday March 21st	Palm Sunday
Thursday March 25th	Holy Thursday – Evening Mass of the Lord’s Supper
Friday March 26th	Good Friday of the Lord’s Passion
Saturday March 27th	Holy Saturday / Easter Vigil
Sunday March 28th	EASTER SUNDAY – JESUS IS RISEN!
<u>Sunday APRIL 4th, 2027</u>	<i>Special Confirmation Session</i>
<i>Following 12:00PM Mass Until 3:30PM</i>	
This afternoon of enrichment, prayer, reflection and retreat will be held on the Espiritu Santo campus and is for Candidate and Sponsor (or proxy). Candidates are asked to turn in completed reflection packets upon arrival (including sponsor letters if not already submitted).	
Session 4	<i>Confirmed In Witness</i>
<i>Confirmed In Grace</i>	
REMINDER - WHAT IS CONTAINED IN REFLECTION PACKET	
<i>Completed Service Log & Personal Reflection:</i>	
	1. Why I want to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation.
	2. What Confirmation (Saint) name I have chosen AND why – noting date of canonization (or beatification if blessed).
	3. Whom I have chosen as my sponsor AND why.
	4. Reflection on the service I have completed and the experience it has provided me / others.
	5. Personal scriptural, encyclical, synodal reflection.
CELEBRATION OF THE SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION To Be Determined (May tentative)	
<i>As of June 11th, 2026 – subject to change</i>	