

October 1, 2020

Dear Parents,

Autumn Greetings!

As you may already be aware, this year marks a special journey for our seventh and eighth grade youth as they prepare to receive the outpouring of the Holy Spirit in the Sacrament of Confirmation.

We are honored to share this time of preparation towards the sacred step of Christian Initiation with your treasured family. Our parish formation process provides opportunities for both parents and youth to deepen their understanding of the gift of God's love and presence in the sacraments. *Therefore, please plan to attend this mandatory meeting with your Confirmation candidate on*

***Tuesday, October 27  
7:00 PM in the Parish Center***

This meeting is designed to help you grow in your own understanding and appreciation of the Sacrament of Confirmation. In particular, we will consider the connections between the three Sacraments of Initiation: Baptism, Confirmation, and Eucharist.

We will also give important information about participation in community service, details about Investiture, the role of a sponsor, the Evening of Retreat, the Evening of Discernment and picking a Confirmation name.

Please be sure to also mark your calendar for the celebration of the Sacrament of Confirmation which will occur on

***Monday, March 1, 2021  
7 PM St. Martin of Tours Church***

May the Holy Spirit be our guide!

God's Blessings and Light,

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