



About Confirmation Formation Program

We are excited about our Confirmation Formation Program (CFP) for grades 7 thru High School and believe the opportunities presented will encourage growth in faith, build and strengthen students' relationship with Christ and provide a better understanding of our shared Catholic Faith.

Students will receive teachings on Salvation History, the Catholic Church, the Eucharist & the Mass, Mary, the Apostles and Saints, Faith in action, Vocations & callings, and so much more. Classes are intended not only to present information but to help students learn about and understand the roots of our faith, highlight the relevance of Jesus in our lives today, the power of the Holy Spirit, the significance of faith sharing, the power of prayer, and offer encounter with our loving God for whom we were created to know, love, and serve.

To accomplish these goals we need full participation from all registered students and full support from parents and families. Absences and late arrivals not only disrupt the classroom dynamics but also diminish the importance of Sacramental preparation. **Regular class attendance is expected and required. Please consider your child's extracurricular activity schedule before registering for our Confirmation program.**

All students in Confirmation Prep classes will meet twice a month on Sundays from 3:30-6pm. Classroom time will be 3:30-4:50 followed by 5:00 Mass. Mass attendance is required for all students. Families are welcome and encouraged to show their support for Faith Formation by joining us for Mass.

**Additional Wednesday class, once a month, for High School students. Details below.*

NEW FOR 2026-27 CONFIRMATION CLASS REGISTRATION

In an effort to better serve our students, catechists, and families, we are making the following changes to our Faith Formation program for the 2026-27 formation year.

- All students registering for a Year 1, Year 2 or HS Confirmation class should have already received the Sacraments of Baptism, Reconciliation, and Holy Communion.
- Students in a Confirmation Prep class who need Baptism must call the parish house and schedule Baptism before Jan. 1, 2027.
- **Students registering for High School will automatically be enrolled in the Sunday/Wednesday schedule. Wednesday classes will be held once a month from October thru April. Class time will be 5:30-7pm*

For additional information on our confirmation program, please contact Cassie Bertke at 847-816-8677 or email at cbertke@spa.church.