



St. Mary Catholic Church

Confirmation Preparation II



St. Mary's Confirmation Program is for students in 8th grade and high school students who have not yet been confirmed. The program is two years and consists of 18 class sessions each year. For Confirmation II there will be a required weekend retreat, a service component, and sponsors are invited on various evenings.

Confirmation II classes (High School) will take place on Sunday's from 6:30 – 8:00 PM after the 5:30 PM Mass. Classes will consist of interactive lessons and small group discussions.

There is one **mandatory** retreat for all High School Confirmation II students. The students will have a choice of 4 different retreat dates. Students will spend the weekend exploring and learning about their faith through talks, skits, celebration of Sacraments, activities and small group discussions.

Jesus taught us that it is important to serve others and He lead by example. **There will be a list of service projects to choose from and all Confirmation II students will need to choose one.** This is a wonderful opportunity for the sponsors to bond with the student, perhaps one can chosen that both the sponsor and student would enjoy doing together.

The cost of the tuition for the program is \$110 each year. **There is a \$10.00 discount for families who register prior to August 20.** The retreat fees and materials are all included in this fee. The tuition fee is due at the time of registration or a payment plan may be set up. Please return registration form, volunteer form, and tuition fee to Shirley Allen, Director of the Confirmation Ministry, by Friday, August 27, 2010.

Below is a schedule for the Confirmation program. All students are confirmed after completing Confirmation Preparation II .The date of Confirmation is still unknown. The date will be made accessible as soon as it is available. For more information contact Shirley Allen, Director of the Confirmation Ministry, at 847-669-5612 ext. 2 or Sallen@stmaryhuntley.org.

Schedule:

September 12 - Session 1 Kick off
September 19 - Session 2
September 26 - Session 3
October 3 - Session 4
October 17 - Session 5
October 24 - Session 6
November 14 - Session 7
November 19 -21 (Retreat A)
November 28 - No Class (Thanksgiving)
December 5 - Session 8
December 12 - Session 9
December 17 - 19 (Retreat B)

January 2 - Session 10
January 9 - Session 11
January 16 - Session 12
January 21- 23 (Retreat C)
January 30 - Session 13
February 6 - No Class (Super Bowl)
February 11 - 13 (Retreat D)
February 27 - Session 14
March 6 - Session 15
March 13 - Session 16
March 20 - Session 17
April 3 - Session 18