

Dear Families,

I hope you are all doing well. I have the much awaited news regarding Confirmation. WE HAVE A DATE - FRIDAY, JUNE 26. Even with this news, given the current situation with COVID, there are restrictions and guidelines we need to follow. I will have a **video chat meeting this Sunday, May 31 at 7:30** (after our youth hangout) to go over the details. There will be two options for Confirmation mass due to 100 person limit. We will also only be allowing the Confirmandi, Parents, and Sponsor to attend the mass (this means no siblings or extended family). Masks will also have to be worn. On the bright side, we do have a Bishop to preside over our Confirmation masses, (otherwise, special permission would have been given to the pastor). We will have Bishop Dolan at both masses. Please see the information below regarding Confirmation Mass AND select the mass you will attend for Confirmation.

**MANDATORY VIDEO CHAT - SUNDAY, MAY 31 @7:30PM**

Link: [www.gotomeet.me/srym](http://www.gotomeet.me/srym)

**MANDATORY VIDEO REHEARSAL - SUNDAY, JUNE 14 @7:30PM**

Link: [www.gotomeet.me/srym](http://www.gotomeet.me/srym)

**CONFIRMATION MASS**

**CONFIRMATION DATE:** Friday, June 26

**TIME:** 6:00PM & 7:15PM - *Please follow link to select the mass you will attend.*

**Signup Link:** <https://signup.com/go/dVwUbgH>

\*Due to Covid guidelines, only the Confirmandi, Mom, Dad, and Sponsor will attend. NO siblings or extended family.

\*Masks will be worn during mass.

\*Arrive 10 minutes prior to start of mass and find your seat. (Seating chart will be posted/emailed).

\*No reception or photography after mass

\*No Photography during mass. A photographer will be at the mass to take photos as the Confirmandi receives the sacrament. No other photography will be allowed during mass.

**Appropriate Attire for CANDIDATES & SPONSORS**

The bishops are very specific in what is appropriate to wear at the Rite of Confirmation. Please read the following dos or don'ts carefully. If you are not dressed appropriately we will send you home to change. If you are not certain what you have chosen is appropriate, please talk to me about it or bring your clothes in for me to see.

**Guys you should wear:**

Dress Pants with a belt. Dress shoes with socks. Collared dress shirt with tie, shirt tucked in. Dress Coat (optional).

NO JEANS, NO SHORTS, NO SNEAKERS, NO SAGGING PANTS, NO T-SHIRTS

**Ladies you should wear:**

Skirt and blouse or, Dress or, Nice Pant suit. Dress shoes (no flip flops).

**No short-short skirts**

**TOPS/DRESSES MUST HAVE SLEEVES** - Nothing strapless or spaghetti straps

If you have a sleeveless dress or blouse you must wear a sweater over it

No plunging neck lines – no cleavage

No bare backs

No bare midriffs (please make sure your belly is covered)

NO JEANS, NO SNEAKERS, NO OVERLY TIGHT CLOTHING, NO T-SHIRTS

**If in doubt, don't wear it. We will send you home to change if you are dressed inappropriately.**