



Confirmation Year 2

3pm-6pm (Mass included)

Confirmandi must attend all "Confirmation Sessions", all "Required Events", 2 "Youth Ministry Events" and 1 "Youth Alpha / LifeTeen" night.

Date	Title	Description
9/17/2019	Mandatory Parent Meeting	Program requirements
9/22/2019	Session 13 - "Burn"	The Holy Spirit in the Catholic Church
<i>9/29/2019</i>	<i>High School Youth Group Kick-Off!</i>	<i>6pm-8pm in the Hall. Bring a friend!</i>
10/6/2019	Session 14 - "Source"	The Mass and the Eucharist
<i>10/13/2019</i>	<i>Bored? Try Youth Alpha</i>	<i>Alpha is from 6pm-8pm in the Hall. Bring a friend!</i>
10/20/2019	Session 15 - "Enter"	The Sacrament of Baptism
<i>10/27/2019</i>	<i>Got Questions? Try Youth Alpha</i>	<i>Alpha is from 6pm-8pm in the Hall. Bring a friend!</i>
11/3/2019	Session 16 - "Signature"	The Sacrament of Confirmation
<i>11/10/2019</i>	<i>Pause Netflix and Try Youth Alpha ;)</i>	<i>Alpha is from 6pm-8pm in the Hall. Bring a friend!</i>
11/17/2019	n/a	(Year 1 Lock-In)
11/24/2019	Holy Hike (Offsite)	Youth Ministry Event
12/1/2019	Session 17 - "Called"	Foundations of discipleship
<i>12/8/2019</i>	<i>Stop Scrolling and Try Youth Alpha ;)</i>	<i>Alpha is from 6pm-8pm in the Hall. Bring a friend!</i>
12/15/2019	Session 18 - "Power"	The Holy Spirit in a life of discipleship
12/22/19	n/a	(Merry Christmas!)
12/29/19	n/a	(Merry Christmas!)
1/5/2020	n/a	(Happy New Year!)
1/12/2020	Session 19 - "Meaning"	Our vocation
1/15/2020 (Required)	Reboot! w/ Chris Stefanick	An amazing event for the whole family! This dude is famous, don't miss out!
<i>1/19/2020</i>	<i>Want to go deeper? Try LifeTeen</i>	<i>LifeTeen is from 6pm-8pm in the Hall. Bring a friend!</i>
1/25/2020	Walk for Life (San Francisco)	Youth Ministry Event
1/26/2020	Session 20 - "Speak"	Witnesses of faith
2/2/2020	n/a	(Super Bowl Sunday!)
2/9/2020	Session 21 - "Pathway"	Morality
<i>2/16/2020</i>	<i>Tired of Small Talk? Try LifeTeen</i>	<i>LifeTeen is from 6pm-8pm in the Hall. Bring a friend!</i>
2/21-23/2020 (Required)	Year 2 Confirmation Retreat (offsite)	Three days of bonding, relaxation and prayer. You're not going to want to leave!
3/1/2020	Session 22 - "United"	Social Justice
3/8/2020 (Required)	Candidate + Sponsor Day of Reflection	A special day for you and your sponsor to talk about your faith journey. 11am-2pm.
3/15/2020	Session 23 - "Nations"	Evangelization
<i>3/22/2020</i>	<i>Think Jesus is cool? Try LifeTeen</i>	<i>LifeTeen is from 6pm-8pm in the Hall. Bring a friend!</i>
3/29/2020	XLT Praise and Worship	Youth Ministry Event
4/5/2020	n/a	(Spring Break)
4/10/2020	Good Friday Cross Walk (offsite)	Youth Ministry Event
4/12/2020	n/a	(Easter Sunday)
4/19/2020	Session 24 - "My Purpose"	Ongoing Relationship with the Holy Spirit
<i>4/26/2020</i>	<i>It's not too late! Try LifeTeen ;)</i>	<i>LifeTeen is from 6pm-8pm in the Hall. Bring a friend!</i>
5/3/2020	End of Summer BBQ	Youth Ministry Event
TBD	Confirmation Mass	Awaiting bishop's office for date

Youth Alpha and **LifeTeen** are our Youth Group programs. We meet every Sunday at 6pm, with dinner. You don't have to be in Confirmation to come. Try it with a friend!



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Confirmation Attendance Requirements 2019-2020

Attendance Policy

Our Confirmation program is all about transformation. We make every effort on our part to make Confirmation fun, relatable, and worth their time. But our efforts will always fail if teens don't show up. We understand how busy they are, and it may seem like this program requires a lot, but I promise you that everything we do is to help the teens have a life changing experience. We want to help them get to Heaven.

Mass

- † Sunday Mass is required every week.
- † Teens should attend the 5pm Sunday Mass at St. Bonaventure with their small group. Families are welcome to join.
- † All teens in Confirmation are required to serve at mass about once every other month, schedule TBD.

Confirmation Sessions

- † All Confirmation Sessions are required (see Confirmation Calendar).
- † Teens may miss up to 3 Confirmation Sessions for any reason without consequence.
- † Teens who miss more than 3 Confirmation Sessions will be required to attend makeup sessions.
- † Teens who miss more than 6 Confirmation Session will be required to repeat the Confirmation year.

Required Events

- † All Required Events are required (see Confirmation Calendar).
- † Teens who miss a Required Event **must** attend an equivalent event at another parish or else that teen will be required to repeat the Confirmation year.

Youth Ministry Events

- † Teens must attend at least 2 Youth Ministry Events of their choosing (see Confirmation Calendar).
- † **If teens attend more than 2 Youth Ministry Events then 1 absence will be absolved for each additional Event they attend.**
- † Teens should take care to choose the Events ahead of time to avoid scheduling conflicts.
- † Teens who fail to attend any Youth Ministry Events will accrue an (1) additional absence.

Service Projects

- † Small groups serve together at least once a year. Participation is required. Schedule TBD.

Youth Alpha / LifeTeen Nights

- † Always optional, always awesome. Bring a friend. (see Calendar)

Preventing Absences

Social Media: Your teen can stay up to date by following us on Instagram @stbonaventure.

Small-Group Group-Chat: Each small group has a few upperclassmen called "Jr. Core" who help run each session. They will be your teen's point person for getting information about Confirmation. Each week your teen's Jr. Core will send them reminders via group chat.

Email Blasts: Jacob will send out weekly reminders for Confirmation to keep everyone on the same page. Please read these! You don't want to miss out on important info.

Confirmation Calendar: Teens will receive a hard copy of the calendar at registration day and extra copies will be available throughout the year. The calendar can also be found on the website.