

## CONFIRMATION 2021

“To this end catechesis for Confirmation should strive to awaken a sense of belonging to the Church of Jesus Christ, the universal Church as well as the parish community.” (CCC 1309)

### **Initial Inquiry meeting – August 16<sup>th</sup>**

Review requirements of confirmand

- Sunday Mass
- Courses – at minimum 20 hours of catechetical instruction
- Sponsors – at least 16 years old; encouraged to attend courses with confirmands; must be present at liturgy; pass verification if from a different parish
- Parents – minimum of 2 catechetical sessions
- Service – 20 hours
  - Community; Prayer; Church; Family; Witness
- Retreat – January 16-17<sup>th</sup>, Mandatory
- Practice – TBD
- Liturgical Celebration TBD
- Materials being used
  - YOUCAT – In class reference
  - Bible – Should have one, if you don't and cannot acquire, please let me know and we can provide one.

### **Monthly meetings – 8, 1.5 hour Sessions (30 min for meal) Sundays 4:30-6pm**

August 30<sup>th</sup>

September 27<sup>th</sup>

October 25<sup>th</sup>

November 15<sup>th</sup>

December 6<sup>th</sup>

*January 16-17<sup>th</sup> Retreat*

January 31<sup>st</sup>

February 28<sup>th</sup>

March 28<sup>th</sup>

April Meeting TBD

*Come Holy Spirit, and fill the hearts of your faithful, and kindle in them the fire of Your Divine Love. Send forth Your Spirit and they shall be created, and You shall renew the face of the earth. Oh God, Who by the light of the Holy Spirit instructed the hearts of the faithful, Grant, that by the same Spirit we may be truly wise and ever rejoice in His consolation. We ask this through Christ Our Lord.*

*Amen.*