

Updated Calendar of Events for 9th Grade Confirmation 2023 2022 - 2023 School Year

- **Sponsor & Candidate Meeting:** Wed. September 28th at 6:30-7:30 pm in the school.
- **Confirmation Sessions:** Wednesdays at 6:30-7:30 pm in the school. Dates are: Sept. 28, Oct. 19, Nov. 16, Dec. 21, Jan. 18, Feb. 15. (Feb. 15, Sponsors attend please) Snack sign up available at our sessions or email Jen to sign up. Thank you!
- **Confirmation Service Projects:** Candidate is asked to complete two service projects before Confirmation in Feb./March. See attached sheet for suggestions and the reflection sheet that needs to be turned in by Feb. 15 to me.
- **Confirmation Spiritual Journal Exercise:** Continue to work on your journaling.
- **Letter to Fr. Mike:** Youth need to write a letter to Fr. Mike telling him why they want to be confirmed. This letter is due by Feb. 15 to me. See attached sheet for more instructions.
- **Confirmation Interview:** will be scheduled in January of 2023. Sign up for interviews in Nov./Dec.
- **Confirmation Weekend Retreat:** February 4-5, 2023, at the St. Francis Retreat Center in Dewitt. The Bishop expects every candidate for Confirmation to attend a retreat. More details to follow.
- **Confirmation Practice and Confirmation** is determined by Bishop Boyea. As soon as I receive a date, I will announce it. It is usually the third or fourth week of February/March. Confirmation will take place at St. Mary Cathedral in Lansing this year. We'll have a brief *run through* here at one of the sessions with sponsors and candidates.

Contact Jen Nelson for questions at 989-224-8537 or email: dre.stjoseph@gmail.com

The curriculum is the same from last year, called Decision Point by Dynamic Catholic with Matthew Kelly. If your teen misses a session, please have them watch the video that was missed and answer the questions in the textbook. If you need another book, please let me know. (FYI: Season is the same as Session on the website). We are starting with Session/season # 7 this fall.

The website is: DynamicCatholic.com