

9th Grade Confirmation Schedule 2025-2026

Sunday, September 21st: Candidate (Student) & Sponsor meeting at 1:30-2:30 pm in the lower level of the church.

CONFIRMATION CLASSES ARE ON WEDNESDAYS AT 7:30-8:30 PM IN THE LOWER LEVEL OF THE CHURCH.

- **Wednesday: 10/1**
- **Wednesday: 10/15**
- **Wednesday: 10/22**
- **Wednesday: 11/12: Service Project Night**
- **Wednesday: 11/19**
- **Wednesday: 12/10**
- **Wednesday: 12/17**
- **Wednesday: 1/14**
- **Wednesday: 1/28**
- **Wednesday: 2/11: Service Project Night**
- **Wednesday: 2/25**
- **Wednesday: 3/11**
- **Wednesday: 3/18**

Interviews

February of 2026, the date will be confirmed later. A study guide is in the red folder that you received at the Sept. 21st meeting.

Confirmation Letter and Service Project Reflection Sheet

Please see the instructions included in your folder that you will receive in the fall or on the **stjoecatholic.com** website. Letter and Reflection sheet can be mailed to: St. Joseph Parish Attn: Jen Nelson at 109 Linden St. St. Johns, MI 48879, brought to a session, or scanned to dre.stjoseph@gmail.com. FYI: Service projects will be offered throughout the year, see dates above.

Confirmation Retreat

The date is scheduled for Saturday, January 24, 2026 here at St. Joseph Church. You will receive a detailed emailing closer to the retreat date. No one may leave this retreat except for emergency reasons. Please give coaches & theater instructors advance notice of this retreat. The Bishop expects that all youth attend a Confirmation retreat prior to the celebration of the sacrament.

Confirmation Practice

Sunday, March 22nd, 2026 at 1:30 pm in the church. Sponsors and candidates need to attend. If a sponsor cannot make practice a parent may stand in. Practice lasts approximately 30 minutes.

Confirmation

Official Confirmation Mass date is planned for March 2026. Mass is at 6:30, plan on arriving at 6pm. The Office of The Bishop chooses the date for Confirmation and will confirm our date in the fall. Mass will be here at St. Joseph Parish, joining with Most Holy Trinity Parish from Fowler, beginning a rotation with MHT.

Contact Jen Nelson, for questions at 989-224-8537 or email: dre.stjoseph@gmail.com (Calendars are accessible on the Stjoecatholic.com website for your reference).