

# 2024-2025 CONFIRMATION SCHEDULE

Confirmation is part of a journey, begun at Baptism. It is a time of exploration, discovery and commitment in which participants grow in community with God and each other as well as engage in the life of the Church. When young children are baptized, promises are made on their behalf by parents and godparents. Confirmation serves as an individual's personal declaration of faith in God as well as a commitment to life within the community of Christ, not only at Christ Church but around the world with other Christians.

Below is a schedule for all the Confirmation Classes for this year, as well as some other important dates. **Unless otherwise noted**, **all classes will be from 12:15-2:30pm in Formation and Arts Building Room 106.** Any student interested in joining the Confirmation process should reach out to our Youth Ministry team and/or submit the attached form by Sept. 22nd with any questions (contact info below).

### <u>2024</u>

Sunday, September 29 - Confirmation Class #1 Baptism & Confirmation: Living the Creed

Sunday, October 13 - Confirmation Class #2: Bible: What is It and How to Use It

Sunday, October 20 - Confirmation Class #3: Creeds: The Beliefs of the Church

Sunday, November 3- Confirmation Class #4: Worship: Response to the Sacred

Sunday, November 17 – Confirmation Class #5: Sacraments: Means of Grace

## <u>2025</u>

Sunday, January 26 – Mentor Meet and Greet

Sunday, February 9- Confirmation Class #6: Spiritual Disciplines: Prayer, Fasting, Almsgiving

Sunday, February 23 – Confirmation Class #7: Tradition: A History of the Church

Sunday, March 30- Confirmation Class #8: Anglicanism: A Prayer Book People

Sunday, April 6 – Confirmation Class #9: Denominational Differences

Sunday, April 27- Confirmation Class #10: What is God Calling you to Do?

Sunday, May 4th- Confirmation Service Rehearsal with Mentors

#### Attendance Policy

Class members are allowed 2 absences from classes throughout the process. Please make note of these dates and plan accordingly. Students should make every effort to attend all classes and should only use absences for illness or other unmovable commitments. Please reach out if you have any questions or concerns.

#### Other Responsibilities

Worship Attendance: Confirmation is about committing to a life within the community of Christ, and regular worship attendance is a part of that commitment. We ask that class members attend a church worship service at least twice a month (at least 14 services). During the class we are going to discuss different aspects of worship and so confirmands should try and attend each of the following services:

Traditional Rite 1 Service at 7:30 am Traditional Service at 9:00 or 11:15 am Jordan Service at 9:00 or 11:15 am Contemplative Service at 5:00 pm Wednesday Chapel service at 5:30 pm

We also encourage attendance at the following special services: Christmas Eve, December 24 Ash Wednesday, March 5 Maundy Thursday, April 17 Good Friday, April 18 **Easter Sunday, April 20 (Easter Sunday attendance is required)** 

**Service Project with Mentor:** We ask all confirmands to engage in a service project with their mentor. More information about this will be given out in class.

#### May 6th, 2025, 6:30pm\*\* (TENTATIVE)– The Rite of Confirmation Christ Episcopal Church Sanctuary (followed by a reception in the Courtyard).

\*\*This date will be confirmed once we can schedule it with the Office of the Bishop.

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## **Confirmation Class Registration**

Full Name:	
Date of Birth:	Place of Birth (city, state):
Date of Baptism:	Place (church, city, state):
Grade:	School:
Cell:	Email:
Address:	
Parent Names:	
Parent Cell:	Parent Email: