

Office of Religious Education/St. Catharine-St. Margaret Parish
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Dear Parents and Students,

For the past seven years you have been learning and preparing for the Sacrament of Confirmation. You will now be entering into the immediate preparation phase, which begins in the year prior to the reception of Confirmation. Enclosed please find the paper work necessary to begin the application for the Sacrament of Confirmation. Included in this packet are the following forms:

Application for Confirmation- please fill out all required information

Confirmation Candidates Service Pledge – Please sign

Suggestions for Community Service – you are not limited to these suggestions

The Choosing of a Christian Name- complete the saint report

Service Hour Log Sheet- keep a record of community service hours you complete. Altar Servers may log 5 hours. We want the students to experience different types of service to their community.

Other Required forms: (not included with this packet)

Baptismal Certificate - (if not already on file with the CCD Office) a copy of this certificate must be included even for those baptized at St. Catharine-St. Margaret Parish. The Diocese requires us to have this in our records.

Certificate of Sponsor Eligibility with Raised Seal- this is the responsibility of the Sponsor and is obtained from their parish, even St. Catharine- St. Margaret Parish members. A sponsor needs to be 16 years of age and a confirmed Catholic. Parents are not eligible to be their child's sponsor.

Confirmation Fee- \$75 (for materials, confession, retreat, robes, etc.)

All forms are due on or before June 19, 2017.

Service Hours (30 Hours) are to be completed by April 2, 2018.

The CONFIRMATION DATE will be announced when confirmed by the Diocese.