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“Helping Each Other Follow Jesus Christ on the Road to Heaven”

Dear Confirmation Candidates and Parents,

Confirmation is quickly approaching! You have put in a lot of hard work and study as you prepared to receive this beautiful Sacrament. May the gifts of the Holy Spirit help you grow as you continue on your faith journey.

5/17, Friday, 6 PM, rehearsal in the Church. Candidates are required to attend rehearsal. Sponsors, please attend if at all possible. Confession will be available at rehearsal. **Candidates are asked to go to Confession in the week prior to the Confirmation Mass, to prepare your heart to receive the Gifts of the Holy Spirit!**

5/18, Saturday, 10:30 AM in the Parish Hall, brunch and visit with the Bishop for Candidates and sponsors. Please arrive on time, dressed and ready.

12 Noon, Mass begins. Family members should arrive at the Church a little early, as we expect a good size crowd.

No photos or videos can be taken during the Mass itself, other than the professional photographer. After Mass, the Candidates and sponsors will stay in their seats while a professional photographer takes individual photos with the Bishop. **Please follow directions at this time in order to keep the sacredness of the Sacraments we just celebrated.** *(Order form is attached. Please turn it in at or before rehearsal.)*

No reception after the Mass in order to allow families to celebrate as they wish.

Regarding appropriate dress for Confirmation Mass for Candidates and their Sponsors: The clothing we wear to Church reflects the respect we have for the Holy Mass. Please dress up and dress modestly!

Gentlemen: Dress shirt with tie, dress pants (no jeans) and dress shoes. Suit jacket is optional.

Ladies: Dress, dress skirt and blouse, or pant suit (no jeans). Dress shoes (no flip-flops). NO low-cut, sleeveless, strapless, spaghetti straps or backless tops. Your chest, back, and shoulders must be covered.

Please don't hesitate to contact me with any questions or concerns. We are looking forward to a beautiful Confirmation Mass!

Blessings,

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