

St. Ann Catholic Church – Charlotte, NC Confirmation 2021-2022

Confirmation Requirements:

- 1. Age Requirement**
 - a. Confirmation candidates must be at least 13 years of age by September 1 and in eighth grade.
- 2. Confirmation Parent Meeting**
 - a. At least one parent is required to attend meeting in September
 - b. Students do NOT need to attend.
- 3. Religious Education**
 - a. Either through parish Faith Formation, Catholic school, or home school
 - b. Two years of Religious Education is required
- 4. Confirmation Workshops**
 - a. Regular attendance is mandatory at twice monthly Sunday morning workshops for anyone wishing to receive Confirmation.
 - b. Faith Formation Students (non-parochial students), workshop dates are in addition to your regular 8th grade Sunday Faith Formation classes. Beginning in November, plan to attend the Confirmation Workshops rather than Faith Formation class on the days the workshops overlap.
- 5. Confirmation Retreat**
 - a. Day retreat in late winter or early spring (attendance is mandatory).
- 6. Confirmation**
 - a. Once the Confirmation date has been determined by the Bishop, we will notify all families of the rehearsal date and Sacramental Celebration dates (Novus Ordo and Extraordinary Form).
- 7. Service Hours, Adoration Hours, Sponsors, and Interviews**
 - a. Required service and adoration hours: 10 each. More information will be provided during the parent meeting and in Confirmation workshops.
 - b. Each Confirmation candidate will be interviewed by a member of the Faith Formation staff prior to Confirmation in order to ascertain readiness for the sacrament.
- 8. Registration Form, Baptismal Certificate, and Fee**
 - a. Submission of registration form and fee payment, copy of baptismal certificate, and sponsor form are required for participation in the Confirmation program.
 - b. Family of candidate must be registered parishioners at St. Ann Church.
 - c. Confirmation sponsors must be practicing Catholics and in good standing with the Catholic Church.