

Confirmation Program FAQ

Why is Confirmation moving to Sundays?

Confirmation, along with all our Faith Formation programming, is moving to Sundays in order to more fully integrate our formation and sacramental preparation with the primary expression of our parish community in the worship of God in Sunday Mass. The Second Vatican council teaches that the Eucharist is “the source and summit of the Christian life” (Lumen Gentium 11). Our Lord’s true and living presence with us in Sunday Mass should also be the source and summit of our work of preparing our Candidates to receive the great gift of Confirmation.

Do we have to come to the same Mass each weekend?

No. You can attend any of the weekend Masses (Sat. 5:00PM, Sun. 8:30AM, 10:30AM, and 6:00PM). Small groups will meet in the same rooms following each Mass, so join up with the small group that is meeting after the Mass you attend.

How will I know which small group to join?

There will be two small groups after each Mass—one for girls and one for boys.

Who is leading the Small Groups?

The small groups are led by awesome volunteers from Transfiguration who love the Lord Jesus and want to share their love for Him with our Candidates.

Will small groups still meet on the Sundays we have the monthly large group formation sessions?

Yes. Small groups will still meet after each mass on the weekends we have the monthly large group formation sessions.

What if we are not able to attend Mass at Transfiguration some Sundays?

Schedules are busy and sometimes Transfiguration’s Mass times won’t work for your family. That’s okay. On Sundays when your family needs to attend Mass elsewhere simply let me know.

When is Confirmation this year?

Confirmation will be at 7:00PM on Tuesday, May 19th at the Cathedral of St. Paul in St. Paul, MN.

Is there a calendar for this year’s program?

Yes, you can find this year’s Confirmation program calendar along with the registration packet, under the “Church Forms” tab on our website

Don't see your question?

Please call or email me (651-501-2219; jshay@transfigurationmn.org). I am happy to answer any and all questions about our awesome new Confirmation program!