

## **IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR CONFIRMATION**

The sacrament of Confirmation is quickly approaching, below are details to help make this day a joyful and holy celebration.

This year we are blessed with a very large Confirmation class, 81 youth, which means the church will be very full! Please keep this in mind when inviting family and friends to Mass. Your patience finding seating in the church is greatly appreciated.

### **Confirmation Rehearsal - Mandatory**

Who: Youth and Sponsor  
When: Saturday, June 1, 2019  
Time: 10am – 12 noon  
Where: St Thomas the Apostle Church – in the church (enter through the front doors)

### **Confirmation Mass Sunday, June 2, 2019**

- 1)** Youth and Sponsor MUST arrive promptly at 12:30pm to check in at the Parish Hall.
- 2)** Parents and family may find seating in the church beginning at 1:00pm.
- 3)** Mass begins promptly at 2:00pm with Bishop Barnes presiding. The Youth and Sponsor will process in at approximately 1:50pm.
- 4)** No photos are to be taken during the celebration of the Mass. Bishop Barnes will be available after Mass to take photos with the Youth and Sponsor. Instructions will be given at the Rehearsal.

#### **5) Mass Attire:**

**Boys and Men - slacks (no jeans), collared shirt and tie, dress shoes**

**Girls and Women - dresses (must cover shoulders, no cleavage, must reach the knees)**

- 6)** The Youth will be wearing robes over their clothing during Mass, these must be returned to the hall after Mass. Pick up the Confirmation Certificate in the hall after dropping off the gown!

**We welcome your call, text or email with any questions, suggestions or concerns.**

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May God richly bless your family,

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