

St. Francis of Assisi
Religious Education
Confirmation Project

Name _____

Letters of Faith

Please submit the list of people you wish to ask questions to, about their faith.

- Send to at least fifteen (15) people over the age of 16 years old.
- Send to various people: Sponsor, parent, grandparent, friend, teacher, maybe someone famous, Priest etc.

Name of person

Relationship to you

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

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14. _____

15. _____

My three questions of faith are:

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

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Dear _____

Hi, this is _____ As you may already know, I am preparing for the Sacrament of Confirmation at St. Francis of Assisi Parish. One of the requirements at my church for the Sacrament, is to ask people I know, (am close to, admire etc) three questions about your beliefs of faith.

If you could please take the time to answer these questions for me I would greatly appreciate it. Your answers should be more than yes or no and be at least a couple of sentences or more long. After I read your reply I will then write a "reflection" about what I learned.

Your answers will help me on my faith journey and hopefully I will take it as advice as I search out my faith more.

Thank you for your time

(regards)

_____ (sign your name)

(Print/type your name)

Question #1

Question #2

Question

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(The Questions)

- Think about your faith. Is there a question you would like to know more about? Is there something you wonder about but feel funny asking someone in person? What do you want to ask about your faith to: your parent? Grandparent? Sponsor?
- What can you “Learn” from the person regarding their faith?
- **NO yes or no answers.**
- They must be questions where the person can write a paragraph or more.
- Submit your three (3) questions of faith for your catechist to approve.
- Do not ask what name did they choose.

Below are some questions to get you thinking. You may use a couple as your questions but it is suggested you come up with your own as well.

Examples of questions:

How do you imagine Christ’s second coming

Describe what you think would happen if Christ returned to the world today?

Why is the resurrection the central belief of the Christian faith?

Why do you believe the Bible is still around today?

Do you believe the Bible has been altered over time or do you believe it’s been preserved for every generation?

What do you believe about God?

Do you believe that Jesus was the Messiah?

Do you believe that whoever believes in Jesus Christ shall not perish but have everlasting life?

What do you believe about heaven and hell?

What does “Faith” mean to you?

Did you ever struggle in your faith?

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(Your reflections)

Once you receive the replies to your questions:

- Take your time reading the reply. Understand it, re read it a couple of times.
- What was the one thing that stood out for you while reading the answer?
- What did you learn from their letter back to you?
- Write a reflection of what you learned from that reply. **More than two sentences.**
- One reflection per each reply you received. Aunt Carol answered you? Reflect on her answers and write it down, and so on.
- You may put two reflections on each page.
- Do not tell me you were learned what their name was, go deeper