

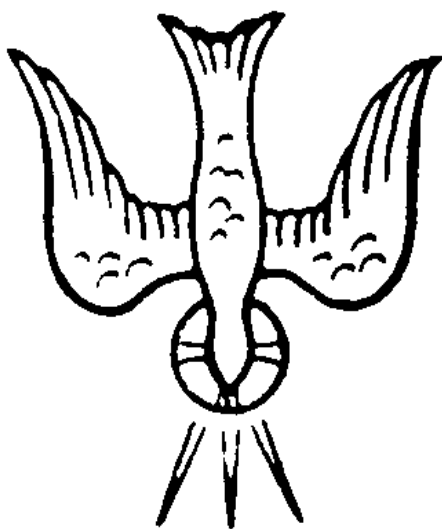
St Benedict Parish

2017-2018 Confirmation Preparation Schedule (Both Years)

Preparation for the Sacrament of Confirmation is a two-year process that begins no earlier than 8th grade

Confirmation preparation classes will run Sunday Nights (St Mary's Yellow House from 5 -6:30 pm) as well as during monthly G.I.F.T. Assemblies (Beginning with 4 pm Mass also at St. Mary's Church) in sixteen total sessions (See schedule below).

Candidates wishing to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation are expected to attend all the sessions listed below as well as the other listed Confirmation requirements (left).



Date	Topic Covered	Location
September 10	Justice & Solidarity	Yellow House 5 pm
September 17	Baptism	G.I.F.T. 4 pm
October 1	Natural Law & Magisterium	Yellow House 5 pm
October 15	Hebrew Scriptures	G.I.F.T. 4 pm
November 5	10 Comm. & Beatitudes	G.I.F.T. 4 pm
November 12	Moral Theology	Yellow House 5 pm
December 3	Incarnation	G.I.F.T. 4 pm
January 7	Living as disciples: Trinity and Community	G.I.F.T. 4 pm
January 21	Sexuality	Yellow House 5 pm
February 11	Grace	G.I.F.T. 4 pm
March 4	Conscience Formation	Yellow House 5 pm
March 11	Medical Ethics *	Yellow House 7pm
March 25	Sin & Reconciliation	G.I.F.T. 4 pm
April 22	Sacraments of Service	G.I.F.T. 4 pm
May 20	Church History	G.I.F.T. 4 pm
June 10	Inter-Generational Session	G.I.F.T. 4 pm

Additional Confirmation Requirements
A Retreat (First Opportunity: Fall Retreat)
Participation in community service projects along with written reflection
Regular attendance at Mass

*Parent & Candidate Info Session: Second Year Candidates stay after Medical Ethics Presentation for more info on the Sacrament itself.

Sponsors will be asked to directly participate only at the end of the second year of formation.

To enroll, complete the Registration and Release form attached, found in church or printed from stbenedictonline.org and submit to Andrew Uttaro in the Parish Office or by email to andrew.uttaro@dor.org

Questions? Contact Andrew Uttaro at auttaro@dor.org or at 585-394-1220

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Confirmation 2017-2018 Registration Form

Youth Ministry Office, 95 N Main St, Canandaigua NY 14424

Registration fee for Conf. Program: \$25 per student, \$45 family maximum. Scholarship available upon request.

Please make checks payable to "St Benedict Parish"

Family last name: _____ Home phone: _____

Father's name _____ Cell/Work phone _____

Mother's name _____ Cell/Work phone _____

Address _____ Zip _____ Email _____

Secondary Emergency Contact if parent/guardian cannot be reached:

Name _____ Home Phone _____ Cell _____

Name of child/youth:	M or F	Date of birth	School attending	Grade as of Sept 2017	Completed Year One of Conf. Prep? (Y/N)?

Allergies and/or Special Needs: Please tell us if your child has any allergies and/or special needs

Child's Name	Allergy and/or Special Need:

Sacramental Information: Please list any sacraments that your child(ren) have celebrated

Child's Name	Sacrament: Baptism, First Communion, First Penance, Confirmation	Location where Sacrament was celebrated

FAMILY RELEASE FORM and MEDICAL CONSENT

I, _____, the parent or legal guardian of _____
(Name of Parent/Guardian) (Names of Children)

authorize the employees, representatives and chaperones of St. Benedict Parish to obtain emergency medical treatment, should it be necessary, during my child's attendance and participation in Youth Ministry and Confirmation sessions. I consent and give permission for my child's participation and attendance in this activity/program. In consideration of my child's attendance and participation, I hereby, for myself, my heirs, executors, administrators and assigns, waive and release any and all claims for damages I may have against of St. Benedict Parish, Diocese of Rochester, New York, their representatives, chaperones, employees, successors and assigns arising out of any and all injuries by my child while participating in this activity/program. **I understand that I will be notified immediately should it become necessary to obtain emergency treatment. The person(s) who should be notified and the telephone number(s) are:**

NAME _____ PHONE _____

I also hereby consent to and authorize the use and reproduction by the parishes of St. Benedict Parish, or anyone authorized by them, of any and all photography, still or in motion, and/or all audio recordings in which this student appears. I also acknowledge that we will not be paid compensation for any reproduction of these materials. All negatives, prints, and audio tapes are the property of St. Benedict Parish parishes.

Parent/Guardian's Signature _____ Date _____

CODE OF CONDUCT FOR MINOR CHILDREN INVOLVED IN PARISH PROGRAMS

As a student in St. Benedict Parish programs, I understand and agree to follow the rules and regulations as determined by the parish, and the Diocese of Rochester for this activity/program. I also understand and agree that I will notify my parent or guardian at the time of any violation requiring my dismissal from the program/activity and that I will be sent home at my own and/or parent's/guardian/s expense. The purchase, possession or consumption/use of alcoholic beverages or other illegal drugs will not be tolerated. Failure to comply will result in immediate dismissal from the event. This policy also applies to adult volunteers and chaperones. Minors will not be allowed to smoke cigarettes or to use tobacco products, including chewing tobacco. Participants are expected to obey the directions of adults in charge (catechists, youth group leaders, chaperones). Participants are representing their parish community. Appropriate behavior and language are expected. No dangerous or rough play will be tolerated. Final decisions regarding acceptable behavior/consequences are the decision of the staff person in charge. In general, if the behavior of a minor child results in his/her dismissal from the program, it is the responsibility of the parents/legal guardians to provide, at their own expense, transportation for the dismissed child. If a child is dismissed from an off site event and an adult chaperone must accompany the child home, the parents/legal guardian are responsible for any related expenses.

Parent/Guardian's Signature _____ Date _____

After completing this form, please send it along with the registration fee to Andrew Uttaro at the parish office:

95 N Main St, Canandaigua NY 14424.

Questions: Contact Andrew at 394-1220 ext. 41 or email andrew.uttaro@dor.org