



Confirmation FAQs 2025

- Do I have to submit my child's baptismal certificate?
 - YES- even if your child was baptized at St. John. Submit a copy along with your child's confirmation registration no matter where he/she was baptized.
- Can parents be a sponsor or proxy to their own child?
 - NO.
- When should my child find a sponsor?
 - Sponsor form is due Nov 15th along with registration.
 - Certificate of Eligibility (for non-St. John Sponsors) is due Dec 15th.
- Is retreat mandatory for my child to attend?
 - YES- please plan to miss sporting events and other extracurricular activities.
- Do sponsors have to attend the rehearsal?
 - It is useful for sponsors to attend rehearsal. We understand that isn't feasible for all sponsors with work and travel time. Try your best!
- How many sessions does my child need to attend?
 - ALL of them.
 - We understand that kids are busy and get sick. Please select your session based on the day and time to best suit your schedule.
- What if I can't attend a session?
 - In the event of a family emergency or illness- email your session leader prior to the session. (see 'Meet the Team' paper for email addresses.)
- Should I continue to attend Edge while attending Confirmation sessions?
 - YES
- How long should we allot for Confirmation Mass?
 - 90 minutes plus picture time.
- Further Questions??
 - email your session leader.
 - Give 2 days for them to respond- they are volunteers!