

CONFIRMATION COMMITMENT COVENANT

The Confirmation Process is a journey in which the Candidate will explore different aspects of faith, church ministry and service. This process necessitates a full commitment from the Candidate, Parents/Guardians, Sponsors, and Church members as this is a Sacrament that, by definition, calls for a time of reflection on personal faith and a more active participation in the life of the Church. As a Candidate to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation, I will honestly commit to the following to the best of my ability:

1. Attend Sunday Eucharist (Mass) weekly at a Roman Catholic Church as well as on Holy Days of Obligation
2. Select a Sponsor and submit Sponsor form
3. Attend Confirmation Retreat
4. Attend all class sessions, and complete assigned videos and reflections
5. Complete Service Projects
6. Write a letter to both the Bishop of the Archdiocese of Baltimore and the Pastor of Our Lady of the Mountains expressing your desire to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation.

Candidate Covenant

I, _____, understand that it is my choice to enter into the process of preparation for the Sacrament of Confirmation as presented. I am ready to enter into this journey leading me to the Sacrament of Confirmation with my parents/guardians, sponsor, faith community, and fellow candidates. I will complete the process set forth above and allow the Holy Spirit to strengthen me and lead me to Confirmation. I understand that receiving Confirmation is not an end to my faith formation or participation in the life of the Catholic Church, including Sunday Eucharist (Mass).

Parent Covenant

I have read and understand the Confirmation Preparation process. As a fulfillment of the promise made during my child's Baptism, I will support and encourage my child in his/her commitment to the process. I will pray for my child and through my example will witness to the faith of the Catholic Church, including my obligations to the Church. Further, I will support the pastor, Directors/Coordinators, catechists, and Confirmation Team in their efforts to prepare my child for the Sacrament of Confirmation. I will continue to support my child in his/her journey of faith in the Catholic Church after Confirmation.

After carefully reading this covenant and reviewing the Confirmation Preparation process, please sign and return this covenant by **October 19th or 20th**. **By not returning the signed covenant, it will be understood that you are not able to begin the preparation process at this time.**

Candidate Signature, Date _____

Parent/Guardian Signature, Date _____

Our Lady of the Mountains Signature, Date _____