# **Welcome Back!**

# **10th Grade 2022/2023**

I welcome you back to the Saint Helen’s Confirmation program! Our innovative approach to the sacrament will include large group sessions with small group break outs, retreats, service opportunities and guest speakers.

All dates/times and locations are subject to change based on state and Archdiocesan regulations.

New for the 23/24 year – all classes will meet from 7:30 to 8:45 pm

**Large Group Sessions**

**October – Parent/Candidate session (one parent must attend this night)**

Monday, October 2, 2023, or Wednesday, October 4

**November – Large Group 2**

Monday, October 30, 2023, or Wednesday November 1

**December – Large Group 3**

Monday, December 4, 2023, or Wednesday December 6

**January – Large Group 4**

Monday, January 22, 2024, or Wednesday, January 24

**February – Combined with 10th grade. Guest Speaker TBA**

Monday, February 5, 2024 and Wednesday, February 7

**March – Large Group**

Monday March 4, 2024, and Wednesday March 6 – Ray Boswell Pottery Retreat

**April – Last Large Group**

Monday, April 8, 2024, or Wednesday, April 10 – Last large group and rehearsal

**Rite of Confirmation Masses**

Friday, April 19, 2024, at 7:30 pm

Saturday, April 20, 2024, at 11:30 am

**Requirements for the 10th grade year:**

1. Attend all scheduled large group sessions
2. Attend one Adoration session – the parish holds adoration once a month. Dates will be posted on the website. Submit the feedback form via our online portal.
3. Service Hours– 10 hours or more of community service. We encourage you to serve here in the parish by assisting with the many programs we have for religious education with grades 1-8, Sundays with our Kids Corner and Children’s Liturgy of the Word programs and with our youth ministry program. Service form can be downloaded from our website. Once completed you can submit your form to the online portal on our website.
4. All confirmation candidates are encouraged to attend mass with your family weekly.

Any questions or concerns, please email or call/text me at 908-265-2169.

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