



Leading People In A Growing Relationship With Jesus Christ

January 25, 2021

Dear Parents,

I am looking forward to serving you and your family in Confirmation this year! I love to teach, and I consider it an honor to be part of this important journey and faith milestone with you all.

Years ago, your child was baptized with the hope that he or she would make the Confession of Faith (Apostles Creed) on their own one day. Now that day is approaching!

6th, 7th, and 8th Graders

Confirmation classes will meet on Wednesday evenings at 6:00pm during Lent. Using Luther's Catechism, I will teach the Ten Commandments and the Law and Gospel.

Raising your child in the Christian faith has always been a partnership between home and church. Therefore, we ask that parents attend class with their child(ren) each week, reinforcing that we learn and grow in our faith throughout our *whole* life. After class, families are invited to attend Lenten worship at 7:00pm in the sanctuary (not required).

When: 6:00-6:50pm on Wednesdays: February 24, March 3, March 10, and March 24.
(No class March 17.)

Where: West Campus Sanctuary

Who: 6th, 7th, and 8th grade students and their parents or guardians

What to bring: Your catechism

Cost: \$20 for 6th graders, who will be receiving their own catechism

Registration: Please sign up here, or go to trinityhudson.org/grow/faith-milestones and follow the link under Confirmation.

8th Graders

This spring, there will be a retreat for 8th graders that will focus on the application of the Christian faith to life. Due to Covid, we are still working out the details. Look for a survey soon as we gather options.

Confirmation for 8th graders will take place on Reformation Sunday, October 31, in the afternoon. Prior to confirmation in the fall, they will meet on Wednesday evenings for a few weeks to develop their individual faith testimonies which they will share at their Confirmation.

If you have any questions, please email me at jbender@trinityhudson.com. In these chaotic times, hearing and teaching of the Ten Commandments will be steadying for us all.

Peace,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Pastor Jim". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Pastor Jim Bender

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