

No	Date	Subject	What will the candidates learn?
Class 1	9 Oct	Introduction/Requirements of Sponsors	
Class 2	16 Oct	Constructing prayers	Understanding liturgical prayer and usage of the bulletin/Composing personal prayers
Class 3	23 Oct	Life of Prayer	Prayer as encountering God/Jesus at prayer/Developing habits
Class 4	6 Nov	Meaning of Names	1) Biblical figures' names and your new name 2) Saints as role models
Class 5	13 Nov	Communion of Saints	What is Communion of Saints? Who is a saint? How do you become one? Bonding with saints/All Saints Day
Class 6	20 Nov	Regular reception of Sacraments of Confession and Eucharist	Importance of Sunday Mass and regular confession
Class 7	27 Nov	The Greatest Miracle	DVD (children & parents)
Class 8	4 Dec	The Place of Confirmation	1) Sacraments of Initiation & other Sacraments 2) Why Confirmation
Class 9	11 Dec	Pentecost	Acts 2 as the first outpouring of the Holy Spirit/Transformation brought by it
Class 10	8 Jan	The Institution of the Church	Structure of the Church/Emphasize the role of a Parish/My place within it
Class 11	15 Jan	Signs and symbols of the Holy Spirit	1) General symbols: Wind, Breath, Flames, Dove 2) The ones present in the Sacrament of Confirmation (Laying on of hands & anointing with Chrism)
Class 12	22 Jan	Rite of Confirmation – part 1	1) Structure (10 min) 2) The Renewal of Baptismal Promises
Class 13	29 Jan	Rite of Confirmation – part 2	1) 'Laying on of hands' prayer (20 min) 2) Meaning of the Seal (20 min) 3) Anointing with Chrism (20 min)
Class 14	5 Feb	Gifts of the Holy Spirit part 1	Gifts of the Holy Spirit in general/Wisdom
Class 15	19 Feb	Gifts of the Holy Spirit part 2	Understanding/Counsel/Fortitude
Class 16	26 Feb	Gifts of the Holy Spirit part 3	Knowledge/Piety/Fear of the Lord
Class 17	4 Mar	Fruits of the Holy Spirit part 1	Defining the fruits of the Holy Spirit
Class 18	11 Mar	Fruits of the Holy Spirit part 2	Producing fruits of the Holy Spirit in real life
Class 19	18 Mar	My Confirmation Saint (1)	Presentation of their chosen saint; biography, why I wish to imitate them, prayer for their guidance
Class 20	8 Apr	My Confirmation Saint (2)	Presentation of their chosen saint; biography, why I wish to imitate them, prayer for their guidance
Class 21	15 Apr	Review	
Class 22	22 Apr	Examining the Readings	Ezekiel 36:24-28; Romans 8:26-27; Luke 8
Class 23	29 Apr	Confirmation - What next? My vocation	Examples of service eg altar server/reader, Youth SVP, JP II award, Sr Mary Therese, Fr Sean Gough/Deacon Owen
Class 24	13 May	Preparation for Confession & Queries	Candidates/Parents
Class 25	20 May	Confessions/Rehearsal	
	24 May (Friday)	CONFIRMATION	2pm – Meeting in the Parish Hall; 6pm Confirmation Mass