

Confirmation Class Schedule for 2023-24

Confirmation Year 1
Sundays 11:15a –12:30p
Pastoral Center

2023

September 24 – Session 1: Why am I here? **Meet in Davidson Center**

Students: 11:15a-1:30p (lunch provided for students)

***Parents Attend: 11:15a-12:15p**

October 15 – Session 2: What makes me happy?

October 29 – Session 3: What's your story God? **Meet in Davidson Center**

November 12 – Session 4: How do I know God is real?

December 3 – Session 5: Who is Jesus?

December 10 – Session 6: Why be Catholic? **Meet in Davidson Center**

2024

January 7 – Session 7: Where am I going?

January 21 – Session 8: How do I get there?

February 11 – Session 9: When did my journey begin?

February 25 – Session 10: Why tell my sins to a priest? **Meet in Davidson Center with Fr. Colin**

March 10 – Session 11: How does God help when it hurts?

Apr 7 – Session 12: Who is the Holy Spirit? ***Parents attend Meet in Davidson Center**

Saturday, Apr 13 9:30 – 11:00AM Safe Environments for students

- ☐ **Action Requirement:** attend a parish event for teens and write a 250-word (or more) reflection.

Questions for reflections are: *What was this experience like? How does this relate to my faith?*

Due 2 weeks after event – email reflection to jboutin@stanastasia.org

- **8th Grader Options: TAG** (Teens And God – Middle School Ministry Tue 6-8p. Dates: Oct 17, Nov 21, Dec 12, Jan 16, Feb 20, Mar 5, Apr 16) **BASIC Bash** Sun May 21 6-9p (High School Youth Group end-of-year party where 8th graders are invited).
- **9th / 10th Grader Options: BASIC** (Brothers And Sisters in Christ – High School Youth Group) Every Sunday 6p-8p unless otherwise announced

Confirmation Attendance Policy: Confirmation preparation is crucial to the spiritual growth of the candidate, so 100% attendance is required for all sessions by the end of each year. The classroom peer-to-peer setting is a critical aspect to the *Chosen* Program, so while at home make-up sessions are available, ideally students will attend an in-person make-up session. Either way, make-ups are required for all missed sessions. It is important to contact **John Boutin, Confirmation coordinator**, jboutin@stanastasia.org **248-689- 8380 Ext. 108** as soon as you are aware of any schedule conflict. Please review your family and sports schedules beforehand and understand attendance at ALL classes is mandatory (make-up sessions are offered as a courtesy – and not as a regular substitute to the classroom).