



**ST. ROCH'S ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
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## CONFIRMATION - SPRING 2025



*Dear Parents and/or Guardians:*

Thank you for registering your child in the Confirmation Program at St. Roch Parish.

### **REGISTRATION FORM**

Attached please find registration form for you to complete and return back to our office **no later than FRIDAY, JANUARY 17, 2025.** Please ensure that a copy of your child's baptism certificate is included with the registration form. (If your child was baptized here at St. Roch, simply indicate this on the form together with the date of baptism. No certificate is required).

### **SPONSOR INFORMATION FORM**

We have also included a form with regards to your child's sponsor. Please note that we will also need a copy of the **sponsor's confirmation certificate to be attached with this form.** (If the sponsor was confirmed here at St. Roch, a certificate is not required. Simply indicate this on the form together with the date of confirmation).

**PLEASE NOTE THAT for administrative purposes, registration packages will not be accepted after Friday, JANUARY 17, 2025.**

### **PLEASE NOTE:**

1. If your child has not been baptized or was not baptized in the Roman rite, or has not received the sacraments of First Reconciliation and First Holy Communion, please contact the parish office directly at 416-749-0328.
2. If you are not a registered member of St. Roch, if your child does not attend one of our parish schools, or even if your child does attend one of our parish schools and you attend another church, then we will need a letter from your local pastor giving permission for Confirmation to occur here.

### **RITE OF ENROLLMENT**

**Students, parents and sponsors are asked to attend the Rite of Enrollment on SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 2, 2025 at 9:00 am in the church.** Your personal attendance is extremely important and we ask that you do not send a representative.

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## **CATECHISM CLASSES**

One of the requirements for Confirmation is the completion of a CATECHISM PROGRAM in order for your child to better understand and be prepared to receive this important sacrament.

**PLEASE NOTE** that ALL students, regardless if they attend Catholic school or private or public school must attend these classes. CATECHISM CLASSES will be held on **Sunday mornings**. Students are required to attend the **9:00 am Mass in the church**. Immediately following the Mass, (approximately 10:15 am) they will go to the parish hall for the class which lasts one hour.

### **DATES FOR CLASSES**

FEBRUARY 9	MARCH 2	APRIL 6
FEBRUARY 23	MARCH 23	
	MARCH 30	

## **CONFIRMATION RETREAT**

Students are also required to attend a Confirmation retreat. This is scheduled for **SATURDAY, APRIL 26, 2025 from 9:00 am - 12:30 pm in the parish hall**.

There will be a fee of \$60.00 to cover the cost of the program and retreat. Fees are due and payable at the time of registration.

### **CONFIRMATION DATE:**

**MONDAY, MAY 5, 2025 AT 7:00 PM**

**Bishop Ivan Camilleri will be here to celebrate Mass and administer the sacrament**

(Note this date applies for students at either St. Roch School, Venerable John Merlini School or public/private schools.)

We look forward to meeting with you and sharing in your child's faith journey.

Sincerely,



Rev. Jerome A. Hologa, C.P.P.S.  
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