

Family Confirmation Preparation Contract

As a candidate for confirmation at Our Lady of Sorrows:

- I must attend all classes, Masses, service work, retreats and any other scheduled activities in their entirety in order to maintain eligibility to receive the sacrament of confirmation.
- It is my responsibility to bring all required supplies to each class or activity including journal, Bible, Catholic Review, pen or pencil and any other requested items.
- I agree to meet with Mary Catherine periodically as marked on the schedule and within the specified time periods.
- I understand that being prepared includes being in a suitable frame of mind for Mass.
- I will actively participate in: prayers, singing and taking part in the Mass, discussion in class, both in assigned small groups and with the entire class; sit in assigned groups; complete any class activities with proper attitude and cooperation.
- I will be present and on time to all Masses, classes and activities. "On time" means at least 15 minutes early to take attendance in the hall and line up for processing into church with Fr. Mark, and assuming an appropriate mood of seriousness. Candidates will sit together in a reserved section.
- I will dress in an appropriate manner. No sweats, no bare skin, no see-through clothes, etc. Shoes must be worn. Clothing must not contain any sayings, writing or offensive language. Hats and hoods may not be worn in church or class.
- I must follow all rules of Our Lady of Sorrows including the use of good manners, display of respect, common courtesy and consideration for others and for the Mass. I must give attention and show respect to Fr. Mark and those who are involved in reading, altar serving, bringing up gifts, ushering or participating in the Mass in any way. I will not chew gum.

Student signature: _____

As the parent or guardian of the confirmation candidate I understand I am responsible for providing transportation and ensuring that my confirmation candidate will arrive promptly and well prepared.

Parent or Guardian signature: _____

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Date: _____

Please return completed form by March 14, 2010