



## Has your child celebrated the Sacrament of **Confirmation**?

The sacrament of Confirmation is celebrated at age 11 years or older. It is the completion of the sacraments of initiation. We welcome all students grade 6 and older to join us in preparing for Confirmation and it is not too late if you are in high school! Did you know that many parishes now require godparents, confirmation sponsors and those wishing to have a Mass at their wedding to be confirmed? Confirmation is an important Sacrament that we encourage everyone to celebrate.

This year the preparation for the Sacrament of Confirmation will be different than it has been in previous years.

The parent registration meeting (Parents only attend this meeting) will be:

**October 17<sup>th</sup>** at 7:00pm at OLPH Parish

**OR**

**February 6<sup>th</sup>** at 7:00pm at OLPH Parish.

There will be a retreat at OLPH Parish with Face to Face Ministries for all grade 6 students who attend EICS in Sherwood Park on **Monday, January 23, 2017** from 9:30am-2:00pm

The parent and the child will attend a one day preparation day:  
**December 3<sup>rd</sup> OR March 18<sup>th</sup>** from 9:30am-following 5:00pm Mass.

Attendance at one of these days will be necessary (mandatory) for the child to be Confirmed. In addition to the 1 preparation day there will be online tasks and work at home to complete prior to Confirmation. This will begin on **February 13<sup>th</sup>, 2017** for all Confirmation candidates.

The Confirmation Celebration is tentatively scheduled for  
**May 7<sup>th</sup> at 2:00pm or May 8<sup>th</sup> at 7:00pm**

If you are interested in preparing for the Sacrament of Confirmation, please contact Raylene at the Parish Office 780-467-5470  
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