

Watertown Confirmation Commitment Form

Jesus tells us time and again in scripture that when we call upon him he will respond to us.

Ask, and it will be given you; search, and you will find; knock, and the door will be opened for you. For everyone who asks receives, and everyone who searches finds, and for everyone who knocks, the door will be opened.

Matthew 7:7-8

And I tell you, Ask, and it will be given you; seek, and you will find; knock, and it will be opened to you. For every one who asks receives, and he who seeks finds, and to him who knocks it will be opened. What father among you, if his son asks for a fish, will instead of a fish give him a serpent; or if he asks for an egg, will give him a scorpion? If you then, who are evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will the heavenly Father give the Holy Spirit to those who ask him!"

Luke 11:9-13

In preparing for Confirmation, you are being invited to seek the Lord and to bring yourself to him. That means addressing the questions in your heart about God and his Church. Many Catholics leave the faith following their Confirmation or soon after, because they didn't bring their questions to the Lord honestly and in full faith. We the Watertown Area Parishes want to aid you as you seek answers to those questions, but it is your task to pose those questions and put in the commitment to seek the Lord. That cannot be done for you.

Please know that whatever questions you have in your heart or whatever else you may be taking with you into this process of preparing for your confirmation, God desires to come to you in some way to bring you closer to him and to reveal more deeply (though maybe not fully) his plans for you. Below are a few lines for you to write out 1-3 burning questions about the faith or about God that you want to seek an answer for as you prepare to be confirmed.

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

Commitment to the Preparation Process

I, _____, here state that I will pray to the best of my ability, seek the Lord in the tasks I am asked to do this year for Confirmation preparation, and will seek out answers to the burning questions God has put on my heart, giving him the space to answer them in his time and in the way he desires. I promise to be as committed a disciple as I am able as I walk through this preparation process.

Signed: _____

Date: _____

Due: Wednesday October 30th