



2020-2021 CONFIRMATION SCHEDULE (as we know it 9/30/2020)

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| September 30 (Wed) | Confirmation Parent Night 7pm Orientation/Parent Night – with question & answer |
| October 7 | Confirmation Classes Begin! Zoom Lesson 1 – Introduction to Luther |
| October 14 | <i>MEA Break – no class</i> |
| October 21 | Zoom Lesson 2 – Luther and the Reformation |
| October 28 | Zoom Lesson 3 – Luther and the Reformation |
| November 4 | In-person Serving Others Through Vocation: At Home or On-site Service Projects |
| November 11 | Zoom Lesson 4 – Understanding the Ten Commandments |
| November 18 | Zoom Lesson 5 – Understanding the Lord’s Prayer |
| November 25 | <i>Thanksgiving Eve – no class</i> |
| December 2 | Zoom Lesson 6 – Understanding the Sacraments (Baptism & Holy Communion) |
| December 9 | Zoom Lesson 7 – Understanding the Apostles Creed |
| December 16 | At Home or On-site Service Projects |
| December 23 | <i>Christmas Break – no class</i> |
| December 30 | <i>Christmas Break – no class</i> |
| January 6 | Zoom Lesson 8 – Understanding Law & Gospel, Sinner & Saint |
| January 13 | Zoom Lesson 9 – Understanding the Stewardship of Creation |
| January 20 | At Home or On-site Service Projects |
| January 27 | <i>No class</i> |
| February 3 | Zoom Lesson 11 – Understanding the Stewardship of Money |
| February 10 | Zoom Lesson 12 – Connecting with God through Prayer |
| February 17 | <i>Ash Wednesday – worship with family</i> |
| February 24 | (Lenten series) |
| March 3 | (Lenten series) |
| March 10 | <i>Spring Break – no class</i> |
| March 17 | (Lenten series) |
| March 24 | (Lenten series) |
| March 31 | <i>Holy Week – no class</i> |
| April 7 | At Home or On-site Service Projects |
| April 14 | Lesson 14 – Touching upon World Religions |
| April 21 | Lesson 15 – Touching upon Christian Denominations |
| April 28 | Lesson 16 – Understanding Lutheran Worship Practices |
| May 5 | Only 9th graders meet to outline Faith Statements or Faith Projects |
| (May 23) | Confirmation Sunday – <i>Affirmation of Baptism service</i> |

Topic: Confirmation - Wednesdays 7:00 pm Every week on Wednesdays until May 2021

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82122491116?pwd=RDVzN2hINUxNSkVwdmxaHdTeHBaZz09>

Meeting ID: 821 2249 1116

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CONFIRMATION PROGRAM DETAILS



Wednesday Schedule

7:00-7:10 pm

7:10-7:40 pm

7:45-8:10 pm

8:10pm-8:15 pm

Times are approximate

Large Group Sharing Highs & Lows

Large Group Learning time

Discussion time (Break Out Groups)

Closing – Announcements & Prayer

Core commitments at Trinity Lutheran (for all 3+ years)

- Active participation in Confirmation and active engagement in Large and Small Groups.**
Regular attendance is expected (at least 80%). Your engagement should be more than just a Zoom connection or a physical presence. Deep and active participation is a vital part of the Confirmation process. Bring your own life experience(s) to the large and small group discussions!
 - If an absence cannot be helped (i.e. illness), please notify Pastor Amy pastoramy@tlcmonticello.org.*
- Be on time**, please. Class begins promptly at 7:00 pm.
- No other technology other than what you are using for the Zoom call**
All devices turned off and out of sight, please.
- Consistent Sunday worship attendance** (at least 2x per mo) and participation 1x month (i.e. reader, tech person, play an instrument or sing for special music).
- Worship Worksheets.** Students are responsible for the satisfactory completion of **ten (10) worship reflections** during each program year. Submit by Google Docs.
- This 2020-2021 year **we will begin on Zoom, at least until mid-February**—with one exception of November 4 which will be a brief outdoor gathering and materials pickup.*
After Lent, our format may change to in-person—this remains to be seen and will be communicated.
- Parents will be small group moderators** for the break-out sessions, starting with Lesson 4.
Parents, please sign up to moderate 3 times during the course of the school year. You will need to Zoom along with us.
- No hours of service will be required for the 2020-2021, beyond the scheduled “At Home or On-site Service Project” days** (see the schedule)
- Lessons during Lent are yet to be determined** – may have a separate series, may follow the congregation’s Lenten practice(s), or may simply have homework assignments weekly. (For example, students may be asked to watch a movie and then write a short reflection on it; or read an essay and comment on it based on what we have studied in class; or do an observation project and make notes.)
- Pastor Amy wants to support her students in their current vocation of student – including as an athlete, academic competitor and/or the artist. Please students, invite me to your activities. While I cannot make all of them, I want to see you in your element—living out your current calling.

Core commitment for final Confirmation year – written Faith Statement or prepared Faith Project

Student signature _____

Parent signature _____