



September 2017

Dear Parents/Guardians

Confirmation Dates

At St. Gregory's Parish we follow the norms of the Archdiocese of Toronto for Sacramental Preparation. They are as follows:

- ❖ Sunday Mass attendance with family
- ❖ Daily prayer in the family
- ❖ Education in a Catholic School system
- ❖ And "immediate" preparation that includes the above as well as specific sacramental catechesis for the sacrament being anticipated.

This coming spring we will celebrate the Sacraments of Confirmation as a parish family on the following dates:

Confirmation Mass (grade 7 through ten) Saturday or Sunday, May 19 or 20, 2018 during weekend Mass times.

Please take note of the following requirements:

1. Registration for each child is required. These forms are available at the church office. Registration will be closed on **Wednesday, December 13, 2017** or when we reach the maximum capacity of 85 candidates for each sacrament.
2. Parent meeting – with the children – will be on **Wednesday, December 13, 2017 @ 6:30 pm in the church**. NO registrations will be accepted after this date.
3. Seating on the day of the celebration is limited. About 5 adults per candidate can be accommodated.
4. Classes will be held on Saturdays from 10 to 12 noon.
5. ALL candidates must complete **AND** attend the required sessions.
6. Baptism certificates must accompany the registration forms.
7. A registration fee of \$100.00 is required to cover material costs
8. I look forward to meeting with you **AND** your child on the evening of **December 13, 2017** if not before, at Sunday Mass.

Sincerely,

Fr. Sean Lee Lung
Parish Priest