



St Christopher's Cathedral

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Dear Parents/Guardians,

ST. CHRISTOPHER'S CATHEDRAL PARISH CONFIRMATION PROGRAMME, 2020

This letter is to invite you to attend the **Parent Evening** in **St Peter Chanel's Parish Room, Weston Street, Yarralumla**, on **Monday, 12 October 2020** at **6.00-7.30pm**.

Some years ago you presented your child for Baptism and made a public commitment to accept the responsibility of raising your child in the practice of the faith. Your child has since celebrated the Sacrament of Eucharist, and now it is time for you to consider the next major step in your child's journey of faith, Confirmation.

Within our Parish the children are prepared for this Sacrament within a Parish School/Parish School of Religion Programme. As with the previous Sacraments your child has celebrated, the programme allows you, their parents/guardians, to accompany your child on their journey of faith. It is also an opportunity for you to re-examine or renew your own faith commitment.

At our meeting on Monday 12 October, all aspects of the Confirmation Programme will be outlined by our Parish Sacramental Team (see below for full list of dates and times for the Confirmation Programme). Both parents and your child are to attend this meeting. Please note that Classes #2-4 involve a half-hour Family Group Activity from 7pm-7.30pm, which parents are asked to attend. More information will be provided at the Information Evening/Class #1 on Monday night.

The **celebration of the Sacrament** will take place in St. Christopher's Cathedral on **Wednesday evening, 18 November 2020 at 6.00pm**. Archbishop Christopher Prowse, will celebrate this Sacrament with us this year.

Please find attached a Sacramental Program Enrolment Form. This form needs to be returned to Michelle O'Connor, Cathedral Parish Secretary, with a copy of your child's Baptismal Certificate, by Wednesday 30 Sept 2020.

For further information, or if you cannot be present on 12 October, please contact the Parish Office on 6239 9846 or email cathedral@cg.org.au.

I look forward to meeting you on 12 October 2020.

Yours sincerely in Christ,

Father Trenton van Reesch
Cathedral Administrator

Date	Time	Event	Location
Mon 12 Oct 2020	6-7.30pm	Information evening and Class #1	St Peter Chanel's Parish Room, Yarralumla
Mon 19 Oct 2020	6-7.30pm	Class #2 and Family Group Activity	St Peter Chanel's Parish Room, Yarralumla
Mon 26 Oct 2020	6-7.30pm	Class #3 and Family Group Activity	St Peter Chanel's Parish Room, Yarralumla
Mon 2 Nov 2020	6-7.30pm	Class #4 and Family Group Activity	St Peter Chanel's Parish Room, Yarralumla
Mon 9 Nov 2020	6-7.30pm	Reconciliation & Rehearsal	St Christopher's Cathedral
Wed 18 Nov 2020	6.00-7.30pm	Confirmation Mass	St Christopher's Cathedral