

October 3, 2011

Dear Parent and Student,

Welcome to the St Agnes Confirmation program. My name is Ms. Lynne Fraser. I will be your teacher. Robert Massey, Youth Minister, will be assisting with the program. If you need to contact me, my cell phone number is 239-404-4788.

Class will start at 6:00pm and end at 8:00pm. Please try to be on time. With season starting up we all know how crazy traffic can be. Do your best to be on time so you and your student do not disrupt the class for the others. You must sign your student in and out. If the students are driving themselves, then they are responsible for their own sign-in/sign-out.



Each month I will be sending home a small family project. I am a parent also so I know how busy we all get. The projects should take about an hour a week. The projects are designed to stimulate conversation and provoke deeper thought by the Confirmation candidates so they may more fully understand the wonderful journey they have chosen.

For this month, please discuss the questions noted below with your teen. Have them write the answers in their journals. The notebooks we are sending home are also to be used as a daily journal. This month the teens are asked to focus on "How they can I more actively and consistently choose to be a disciple of Christ in my daily life?" Thoughts to include are: "How did I reject sin today?" "How did I follow Christ today?" "How did I make a difference in people's lives?"

Bring these journals to every class. We will not discuss or read from the personal entries, but the homework will be reviewed and checked for completion.

Thank you for joining us on this blessed journey.

Wishing you just enough.....

Lynne Fraser

Weekly Family Discussion Project to be recorded in your journal:

1. As I begin this preparation time, I understand the Sacrament of Confirmation to be...
2. How do the choices that I make as a witness to Christ affect me and others?
3. What should I do to prepare myself for Confirmation?
4. My prayer for others who are also preparing to receive Confirmation is...
5. What are some of the benefits of belonging to a faith community like St. Agnes?