



St. Paul's Lutheran: Confirmation at a Glance

When: Wednesdays

Format: 3:30 PM Optional Hangout; 4:15 Class; 5:30 Evening Prayer; 5:50 Dismissal

Who: Those going into 6th Grade to 8th Grade

Where: St. Paul's Lutheran Church; 200 East Burdick Expressway

Class Requirements:

Attendance:

- Minimum of 25 classes per year (i.e., 75 classes over a 3 year period)
- Minimum of 16 Youth Bible Study Classes on Sundays at 9:15 AM per year (i.e., 48 classes over a 3 year period)
- Attendance at Wednesday Advent and Lent Services to serve as ushers and acolytes, as well as a time to catch up on sermon notes if behind
- 4 LYF Monthly Events per year
- Help with LYF Serving Events each year

Class Project:

- Create end of year Confirmation Video to be presented on Confirmation Sunday

Sermon Notes:

- Minimum of 30 sermon notes from services (i.e., 90 notes in a 3 year period)

Service:

- Help serve as an Acolyte at Sunday Divine Services, when scheduled
- Help serve as an Usher for Lent and Advent services
- Help lead weekly Evening Prayer Church Service

Tests:

- Mid-term test in December
- Final test – May (Public)

Memory Requirements:

- Memorize assigned parts of Luther's Small Catechism.

Learning Expectations and Skills:

- Be able to maneuver through the Bible
- Be able to understand the chief parts of the Small Catechism
- Be able to distinguish between Law & Gospel
- Be able to properly apply Law & Gospel
- Be able to distinguish between a Theology of Glory and a Theology of the Cross
- Be able to articulate the human condition
- Be able to understand the role of God's Means of Grace
- Be able to properly listen to a Sermon
- Be able to understand the Church's Divine Service
- Be able to understand our Lutheran Identity
- Be able to articulate the implications of baptism personally speaking
- Be able to know how to prepare for communion

Curriculum:

- Luther's Small Catechism with Explanation (Provided by Church)
- The Lutheran Study Bible (Provided by the Church)
- Handouts from Pastor

Parent Involvement:

- There will be no major homework, since all work will be conducted during the class time.
- Parents will be asked to provide pizza for the confirmation students, as the confirmation students will have pizza every Wednesday during the hangout time.

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Class Schedule

Date	Topic	Memory	Page #
September 4	Parent And Youth Meeting	None	n/a
September 11	What is Worship; Acolyte & Evening Prayer Training		n/a
September 18	Intro to Small Catechism & Bible	None	n/a
September 25	Intro and 1 st Commandment	1 st Command.	Pg. 13
October 2	2 nd and 3 rd Commandments	2 nd & 3 rd Command.	Pg. 13
October 9	4 th and 5 th Commandments	4 th & 5 th Command.	Pg. 14
October 16	6 th and 7 th Commandments	6 th & 7 th Command.	Pg. 14
October 23	8 th , 9 th , and 10 th Commandments	8 th , 9 th , 10 th Command.	Pg. 14-15
October 30	Watch the "Luther" Movie	None	n/a
November 6	Close of Commandments	Close of Command.	Pg. 15
November 13	Apostles' Creed: 1 st Article	First Article	Pg. 16
November 20	Apostles' Creed: 1 st Article	First Article	Pg. 16
November 27	No Confirmation	None	n/a
December 4	Apostles' Creed: 2 nd Article	Second Article	Pg. 17
December 11	Apostles' Creed: 2 nd Article	Second Article	Pg. 17
December 18	Apostles' Creed: 3 rd Article	Third Article	Pg. 17-18
December 25	No Confirmation	None	n/a
January 1	No Confirmation	None	n/a
January 8	Apostles' Creed: 3 rd Article	Third Article	Pg. 17-18
January 15	Intro of Lord's Prayer	Intro of Lord's Prayer	Pg. 19-20
January 22	1 st and 2 nd Petition	1 st and 2 nd Petition	Pg. 20
January 29	3 rd and 4 th Petition	3 rd and 4 th Petition	Pg. 20-21
February 5	5 th and 6 th Petition	5 th and 6 th Petition	Pg. 21-22
February 12	7 th Petition and Conclusion	7 th and Conclusion	Pg. 22
February 19	The Means of Grace	None	n/a
February 26	Baptism: Part 1	1 st and 2 nd of Baptism	Pg. 23-24
March 4	Baptism: Part 2	3 rd and 4 th of Baptism	Pg. 24
March 11	Confession	3 Confess. Questions	Pg. 25
March 18	Office of the Keys	3 Key Questions	Pg. 27
March 25	Communion: Part 1	1 st Part	Pg. 28
April 1	Communion: Part 2	2 nd Part	Pg. 29
April 8	Watch "The Passion of the Christ"	None	n/a
April 15	Table of Duties	Luther's Morning Prayer	Pg. 30
April 22	Life within the Church	Luther's Evening Prayer	Pg. 31
April 29	Review	Review	Review
May 3	Confirmation Sunday	None	n/a