

**Saint Catherine of Bologna
YOUTH MINISTRY**

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2017-2018
1st YEAR CONFIRMATION
REGISTRATION PACKET

Student's First & Last Name:

Registration: _____

Permission Form: _____

Student Essay: _____

Covenant: _____

Payment: Cash _____ Check _____ Check# _____

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2017-2018 Youth Ministry Permission Form

I hereby give my teen, _____, permission to participate in all Youth Ministry activities, trips and programs, (which includes the Confirmation Program, Antioch Retreats, etc.) sponsored by St. Catherine of Bologna Parish for the programming year beginning August 1, 2017 through July 31, 2018.

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____

Medical/Emergency Information and Release

In the event that my child becomes ill, is injured, or requires emergency medical attention of any kind, and I cannot be reached by telephone, I hereby authorize the adult chaperone to make the necessary decisions concerning emergency treatment. I also give permission for my child to be transported to the nearest medical facility or hospital for treatment.

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____

If a parent cannot be reached, please contact the emergency person listed below:

Contact: _____ Telephone #: _____

Relationship to Participant: _____

My child wears **Contact Lenses**: Yes: _____ No: _____

My child's **Last Tetanus shot**: _____

Please list any allergies to Medication your child has: _____ None

Please list any medication that your child takes on a REGULAR basis: _____ None

Is there any other health/physical information we should know about you child (ex: Asthma):

Family Physician's Name: _____ Office Tel #: _____

Medical Insurance Company Name: _____

It is essential that we be made aware of any educational or physical special needs that your teen may have. Please list any information that would be helpful below. **This information will be kept confidential.**

There are times your teen's likeness may be used on a bulletin board, on our website or in some other way to advertise our Confirmation Program. Please sign below to indicate your permission to do so. Your signature will waive your right to future compensation for the use of such images or any claim for invasion of privacy with regard to St. Catherine of Bologna Parish in advertising and promotional materials for the time from August 1, 2017 to July 31, 2018.

(Parent Signature)

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1ST YEAR CONFIRMATION REGISTRATION 2017-2018

CONFIRMATION COVENANT 2017-2018

We understand the requirements of the first year of Confirmation Program at St. Catherine of Bologna Parish are as follows:

- Attendance at weekly Mass and Holy Days of Obligation. We agree that the student will sign his/her name on the Mass attendance sign-in sheets or bring a signed bulletin from the parish where Mass was attended.
- Attendance at Confirmation 1 classes about twice per month and all other required events.
- Attendance at First Year Retreat.
- Completion of 20 hours of community service. At least 10 of the 20 hours must be church related.

When illness or emergency makes attendance at any of the above impossible, we agree to e-mail the Youth Ministry office.

(Student signature)

(Parent signature)

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CONFIRMATION FORMATION 2017-2018

- 2 year time commitment
 - September – May
- 1st year Confirmation
 - **Sunday evenings: 4:00-5:30PM**
 - **Usually twice a month**
 - **Class room setting**
- 2nd year Confirmation/ Antioch
 - **Sunday evenings: 6:00-7:30PM**
 - **Usually twice a month**
 - **Large group gatherings**
- Mass attendance
 - Weekly
 - Holy Days
 - When attending mass at St. Catherine of Bologna, the Confirmation student must sign in on the sheets provided at the rear of the church.
 - If traveling, a bulletin is required with the teenager's name, date and time of mass, as well as signature from priest or deacon who celebrated the mass.
 - Sign in is required the first weekend of class.
- Habit of Service
 - **20 hours minimum for each of the 2 years.**
 - **At least 10 of the 20 hours must be church related.**
 - **Service hours can begin once teenager is registered.**
- Exit Interview
 - For all Confirmation 2 students.
 - A few weeks prior to Confirmation date.
 - **20 minute interview between Confirmation student and priest to insure students readiness to receive the sacrament.**
- Retreats
 - **First year: One day retreat.**
 - **Second year: One or two days retreat.**