

CONFIRMATIONS 2026-2027

LAST UPDATED: Tuesday 18 August 2026

GROUP A:	St Patrick's	Holy Spirit	St André Bessette
GROUP B:	Our Lady of Lourdes	Fr Francis McSpiritt	All Other Schools

NOTE FOR EVERYONE: Please keep in mind that the *most important* component of preparing for the Sacraments is regular participation at the Sunday Mass.

SAINT PATRICK'S YOUTH MINISTRY

All potential Confirmation Students are **highly encouraged** to attend the opening Youth Ministry event on Saturday 03 October 2026 beginning with Mass at 5:00 p.m.

It is *highly recommended* for Students preparing for Confirmation to also participate in the activities of the Saint Patrick's Youth Group throughout the year of preparation.

INFORMATION MEETING FOR PARENTS AND YOUNG PEOPLE

Wednesday 23 September 2026

beginning with Mass at 7:00 p.m. with the formal meeting to follow after Mass.

Registration forms will be handed out at this meeting.

REGISTRATION PERIOD

Saturday 26 September 2026 to Sunday 11 October 2026

Registration forms with other requirements can be handed in:

- At the Parish Office: Tuesday 29 September to Friday 11 October
from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.
- After any Sunday Mass (including Saturday evening)
up to and including Sunday 11 October 2026

MEETINGS WITH FAMILIES

Monday 09 November 2026 to Friday 20 November 2026

Families will meet with one of the priests by appointment.

An online sign-up form will be made available for families to select their date and time.

SESSIONS WITH CONFIRMATION CANDIDATES

Sessions are for the Confirmation Candidates. Please attend the session for your group.
If you can not attend the session for your group, you may attend the session for the other group.

Session 1 – Saturday 24 October 2026 Group A at 2:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.
Group B at 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

For Session 1: Parents are asked to accompany the students.

Session 2 – Saturday 14 November 2026 Group B at 2:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.
Group A at 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Session 3 – Saturday 12 December 2026 Group A at 2:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.
Group B at 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Session 4 – Saturday 09 January 2027 Group B at 2:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.
Group A at 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Session 5 – Saturday 30 January 2027 Group A at 2:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.
Group B at 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Session 6 – Saturday 13 February 2027 Group B at 2:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.
Group A at 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Session 7 – Saturday 10 April 2027 Group A at 2:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.
Group B at 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

CELEBRATION OF CONFESSIONS BEFORE CONFIRMATION

Monday 05 April 2027 to Friday 09 April 2027

An online sign-up form will be made available for families to select their time slot.

Parents who are Catholic are *highly encouraged* to celebrate Confession at this time.

CELEBRATION OF CONFIRMATION

NOTE: THESE DATES ARE TENTATIVE AND ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE.

Tuesday
20 April 2027
7:00 p.m.

Wednesday
21 April 2027
7:00 p.m.

Thursday
22 April 2027
7:00 p.m.