



9TH – 10TH GRADE DECISION POINT CONFIRMATION

- PROGRAM INFORMATION -

Dear Family,

The mission of the Immaculate Conception Parish is “to go and make disciples of all nations, using the tools of prayer, study, generosity and evangelization.” The Religious Education and Youth Ministry programs aim to help every member of the family thrive in these four areas of faith. In response to parent feedback, we are offering several programs for the 2017-2018 year.

This information sheet provides an overview of the new Confirmation Program we are launching this year. Please review the options carefully and complete the attached registration form(s) to enroll your child(ren) for the 2017-2018 year.

The Decision Point Confirmation Program is offered in two formats:

Option 1 – Summer Youth

- Attend Confirmation Boot Camp *between* 9th and 10th grade (July 9-16, 2017)
- Attend one-day Decision Point Retreat during 10th grade year (date TBA)
- Participate in the worship and service life of the Parish.
- ***If your 10th grader did not complete the 9th Grade Retreat in the 2016-2017 year, they will attend one designated Sunday session during the academic year (date TBA)

Option 2 – Sunday Youth

- Attend monthly sessions for 2 years
 - o Track 1 (9th graders) will meet monthly September – April (usually on the 2nd Sunday of each month from 3:30-6:00 pm)
 - o Track 2 (10th graders) will meet monthly September – April (usually on the 4th Sunday of each month from 3:30-6:00 pm)
 - o Calendar will be distributed in August
- Attend one-day Decision Point Retreat during Track 2 (10th grade year; date TBA)
- Participate in the worship and service life of the Parish.

Please note: 10th Grade Students who participate in the Summer and Sunday sessions will be confirmed together at the Parish Confirmation Masses (*in May 2018, date TBA*).



ALL YOUTH ARE INVITED TO JOIN ICYM

(Immaculate Conception Youth Ministry)

ICYM focuses on 3-Ss of our shared Catholic Faith:

Service – Social – Spiritual

email icym@icmarlboro.org to join the ICYM email list.



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Student Information

Student Name _____

School Grade (Fall 2017) _____ Date of Birth _____

Is there any information that the Decision Point team should be aware of? Please include information regarding allergies and/or any special needs.

Family Information

Is your family registered at the Immaculate Conception Parish? Yes / No

Mother's Name _____ Maiden Name _____

Father's Name _____

Parent/Guardian Email _____

Parent/Guardian Phone (*where you may be reached during class time*) _____

Emergency Contact (other than mother or father) _____

Emergency Contact Phone _____

Please check below if the parent/guardians would like information on:

Baptism/Eucharist/Confirmation for Adults Marriage Convalidation

Student's Sacramental Information

Date of Baptism _____ Parish/Town of Baptism _____

Date of 1st Eucharist _____ Parish/Town of 1st Eucharist _____

Please note that *a certificate of Baptism & Eucharist is required* prior to your teen's reception of the sacrament. Kindly request the sacramental record from the Parish of Baptism and submit it to the Religious Education Office as soon as possible. Any students who were baptized at Immaculate Conception, St. Ann or St. Mary parishes in Marlborough do not need to request their records as they are held in the Immaculate Conception Parish.

Please check here if student already has completed the 9th Grade Theology of the Body Retreat.



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PROGRAM REGISTRATION – PAGE 2

Please select one of the following options for your child:

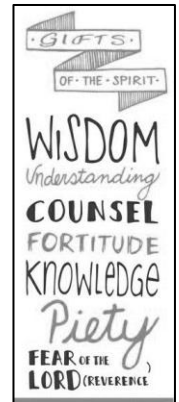
Please enroll my child in Sunday Youth Program.

Track 1 (9th graders) will meet monthly September – May (usually on the 2nd Sunday of each month; calendar will be distributed in August).

Track 2 (10th graders) will meet monthly September – May (usually on the 4th Sunday of each month; calendar will be distributed in August).

OR

Please enroll my child in the Confirmation Boot Camp program to be held July 9-16, 2017.



Volunteer Opportunities

Youth Ministry programs depend on support from families. Please prayerfully consider how you may be called to serve the youth of our parish. Sunday Session Decision Point mentors are asked to “loop” with the group in order to journey with the youth on their two-year Confirmation preparation. Please note that all parish volunteers must complete a CORI form and attend the Protecting God’s Children training session.

Decision Point Mentor Confirmation Boot Camp Volunteer

Decision Point Tuition Rates

2017-2018 Sunday Youth Tuition is \$150/year. (Please note: tuition waived for families of mentors).

2017-2018 Confirmation Boot Camp Tuition is \$250.

Please return payment along with your registration form(s) to:

Immaculate Conception Church - Office of Religious Education
17 Washington Court
Marlborough, MA 01752

Photograph & Video Use Policy

During the year, photographs and videos may be taken by parish employees or volunteers for parish or local media use (parish website, bulletin, social media sites, bulletin boards, newspapers, local cable news station). If you do not want photographs and videos taken of your child to be used for the purposes listed above, please sign below.

Signature _____ Date _____