

#### HOLY NATIVITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH

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## **Online Confirmation Education - Youth**

Welcome to our Online Confirmation Education class for Youth. Through these links you will find some information that you can go over before your decision to be confirmed. As you go through the links please review and ask questions you may have either through our social media forums or Direct Messages.

Our class content covers:-

Welcome and Introductions

• The Who, Where and Why.

Faith and Facts

- Foundations of Faith Coming Soon!
- Outline of Faith (Catechism) Coming Soon!
- Book of Common Prayer Overview Fr Matthew Presents

#### Ministry and Mission

- Daily Devotionals Coming Soon!
- Church based ministries Coming Soon!
- Way of Love
- The Episcopal Church Ministries, USA

### Videos & Resources

• Book of Common Prayer - Download

As a confirmation candidate you will also write a letter to Bishop Russell. The purpose of this letter is to help the Bishop to get to know the confirmands before his arrival at the service. The letter also provides a way for the confirmands to show they have thought through their faith, and are able in their own words, explain their faith and why they want to be confirmed.

The letter do not need to be long, but they need to address the following topics,

- 1. Write a little about your faith journey and about your faith in Jesus Christ as your Savior.
- 2. Write about a mission trip you have taken or a ministry at your church, school or community in which you have been involved and why it has been meaningful to your life of faith.
- 3. Write about your on-going call to be a member of the Body of Christ what new ministry will you do in your church, school or community, or what ongoing ministry will you continue.

Preferably, Bishop Russell should receive the letters ahead of time so we will collect them at the final class meeting and send them to the diocesan office.

If you have any concerns or questions feel free to contact me, email is the best way, <u>aussie aj@holy-nativity.org</u>

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