

2024 SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION: APPLICATION FORM
SCHOOL YEAR 8

Meetings will take place on Tuesday evenings at Holy Name
 Please return to either parish office by 21st October

Son/Daughter's details

Name	
DOB	
Date/place of baptism (copy of certificate)	
School/ year	
Address	

Parents' details

	Mother	Father
Name		
Email		
Phone		
Religion		
Date and place of baptism		
Lead contact (please tick one)		



**CONFIRMATION 2024
 SCHOOL YEAR 8**

Registration Form

Please complete and return to either parish office

Deadline for application 21st October 2023

Signed **Date.....**

THE HOLY FAMILY SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION: PREPARATION 2024

(For 2024 only we will have two programmes: Year 8 and Year 10)

Thank you for your interest in having your son/daughter receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation this year. We are delighted that we can continue to offer the families of the Parish a wide provision for sacramental preparation of Confirmation.

Over the last three years, we have taken an innovative approach to traditional preparation courses. We strongly believe that you, the parents, should be at the forefront in guiding and encouraging your son/daughter's journey of faith and we will give you all you need for the journey ahead. Over the last few years, our Parish has given this preparation course much consideration and thought, and throughout, we have had the full support of our Diocesan Bishop and Youth team.

We will introduce the Sacramental preparation, which will be directed at both parents and young people, in our first meeting on the **09/01/2024**. This will take place at 7:30pm in the Parish Rooms at the Church of Holy Name, Esher and your attendance is essential.

During our evening sessions, we will explore several aspects of faith and approaches to prepare your child on their journey to receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation. Please see the meetings' schedule attached and if you wish to embark with us on this wonderful journey of faith, please prioritise the relevant dates in your diary.

Please note that if you have a son/daughter in **Year 10** and for the time being, there is still another path of preparation for the Sacrament of Confirmation which will take place in OLOL, Thames Ditton. Please note however that this will be the last year the Parish will be providing preparation for Y10, as we move towards inspiring and engaging young people at an earlier age.

We look forward to welcoming you to the Joy of Jesus in the preparation to the Sacrament of Confirmation early in 2024.

The Confirmation team

THE SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION 2024- PREPARATION (Y8 and Parents)

Location: Church of the *Holy Name*, Parish rooms

Date /time	Events - parents	Youngsters -Y8
Tue 9 th Jan 7.30pm	Welcome to the journey and intro to the programme. <i>The Sacrament of Confirmation</i>	Welcome to the journey and intro to the programme. <i>Life: Is this it? (Youth Alpha)</i>
Tue 16 th Jan 7.30pm	The meaning of God's love	Jesus: Who is he?
Tue 23 rd Jan 7.30pm	Love's initiative	Cross: why did Jesus die?
Tues 30 th Jan 7.30pm	Jesus Christ – Our Lord	Faith: How can I have faith? (Pizza night)
Fri 2 nd Feb evening time tbc	Evening of Reflection with Bishop Richard - Cobham	
Sat 3 rd Feb 6.00pm	Families Mass at Our Lady of Lourdes	
Tue 6 th Feb 7.30pm	The Eucharist gifts and the Rosary	Prayer: Why and how do I pray?
Sat 24 th Feb 2.00pm	Families Outing	
Tue 27 th Feb 7.30pm	Jesus Christ – Our Saviour	Bible: Why and how do I read the Bible?
Sun 3 rd Mar 6.00pm	Families Mass at Holy Name – Renewal of Baptismal promises (Pizza night)	
Tue 5 th Mar 7.30pm	Love is Offered	Spirit: Who is the Holy Spirit and what does He do?
Tue 12 th Mar 7.30pm	A New Life	Fill: How can I be filled with the Holy Spirit?
Tue 19 th Mar 7.30pm	The Holy Spirit and the Church Going forwards leading in faith	Evil: How can I resist evil?
Sat 20 th Apr All day	Families' retreat	
Apr/May tbc	Confirmation	
May/Jun tbc	Families' Mass and distribution of Certificates	

