



St Joseph's Primary



P7 Confirmation Information
Wednesday 14 May 2025 6:30pm
St Mirin's Cathedral, Paisley

27/08/24

Dear P7 Parent/Guardian,

I hope you found the Sacramental Preparation Meeting for parents informative last night.

Although Confirmation isn't until May next year, I thought it might be useful to give a brief outline of key information given from the Diocesan Office well in advance:

WHEN IS CONFIRMATION?

Confirmation for St Joseph's and Our Lady of The Missions pupils will take place on **Wednesday 14 May 2025** at 6:30pm in St Mirin's Cathedral, Paisley.

WHO CAN COME?

There are no tickets for entry to the Cathedral however due to the numbers involved, direction from the Diocesan office is that there is a suggested maximum of 5 guests per family (including sponsor).

WHAT SHOULD MY CHILD WEAR?

Full school uniform: grey trousers/skirt of a modest length, blue shirt and St Joseph's tie, grey socks/tights, black school shoes

WHAT HAPPENS NOW?

- We will continue to prepare pupils in school for receiving this Sacrament both spiritually and practically
- We ask that you also continue to support your child at home. e.g. learning prayers, ensuring attendance at Mass, engagement in Pope Francis Faith Award activity and keeping the PFFA Journal, Reconciliation, etc.
- Help your child to decide on a sponsor (baptised, practising Catholic, over 16 years old)
- As clarified by Canon Stephen last night, parents cannot be sponsors. He is able to support via Parish members who would be willing to act as sponsors if required, so please contact him directly, should this be the case.

DATES FOR THE DIARY

- **P7 School Retreat** will take place on **Wednesday 2nd October** followed by a stage Mass.
- **Mass of Enrolment** for P7 Confirmation Pupils - **Sunday 24 November 24 at St Joseph's Church at 9am Mass.**

SACRAMENTAL INFORMATION

We ask that you fill in the link for the Sacramental information [here](#) by **Friday 6th September**. We sincerely appreciate your cooperation in providing the necessary information for your child's Sacraments. Rest assured, this information will be forwarded to the Diocese and will be shared with the Church where your child was baptised.

If you would like further information please continue to check our school website [here](#) for details. Here you will also find the slides from Canon Stephen's presentation on 26/08/24. Further information letters will follow in the coming months.

Yours sincerely

K Wynne (Depute Head)

Confiteor

I confess to almighty God, and to you, my brothers and sisters,
that I have greatly sinned in my thoughts and in my words,
in what I have done, and in what I have failed to do,
through my fault, through my fault, through my most grievous fault;
therefore I ask blessed Mary, ever-Virgin, all the angels and saints,
and you, my brothers and sisters, to pray for me to the Lord our God.



The Gloria

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will.

We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you,

we give you thanks for your great glory,

Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father.

Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,

you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us;

you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer;

you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us.

For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ,

with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father.

AMEN.