

June 1, 2018

Dear 11th Grade Parents and Students for 2018-2109 school year.

We welcome you and your children to the St. Joseph Religious Education Program. Students will celebrate the **Sacrament of Confirmation on October 20, 2018** at St Francis, Ellsworth, at 1PM.

Classes will be held in Sept. and Oct. and I have inserted a schedule below: LAFF, youth group (LAFF) will be coordinated with this. This letter is for your planning and information. You will get a calendar and info in a LAFF mailing also. Please sign your students up for LAFF.

<p>CLASS- Fall 2017- Sept 12th at Freedom Park with the 12th grade and class with Chris too Sept. 12,2018 Class, Gifts of Holy Spirit, the Rite of Confirmation, 6:30p Sept. 19, 2018Class with Fr. Szews,"Fruits of the Spirit" 6:30,church Sept. 26,2018- RECONCILIATION, in the church at 6:30p Oct. 3rd-RETREATparents & student 6pm Gathering Space Church, 6p <u>MUST FOR ALL PARENTS AND STUDENTS IN 10TH AND 11TH GRADE IN CHURCH. 6PM</u> Oct. 10th- No Class for grade 11 Oct. 17th- Rehearsal at St. Francis 7pm with sponsor or parent Oct. 24th- First night of Class with the LAFF youth group at _____ <u>Confirmation at St. Francis, line up for pictures in front of church at</u> <u>12noon, Confirmation Mass at 1PM with St Francis, Oct. 20th</u></p>
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We invite you to continue your Baptismal commitment of growing in faith. Baptism was the beginning of a faith journey for all of us; it is a continuing process of growth and knowledge. Confirmation is a 'stepping stone, a new stronger beginning.'

Picture order forms attached. Pictures will be taken before Mass at 12 NOON in or in front of the church .

Blessings,
Carol Mercord, DRE

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