



August 11, 2017

Dear Confirmation Candidates and Parents,

Greetings and welcome to the St. Kenneth Confirmation Program for the 2017-2018 school year. All of us here at the parish hopes that each Confirmation candidate, along with their family and sponsor, will be an active part of this faith-filled experience, culminating with the Confirmation liturgy on February 8, 2018 at 7:00 pm.

The calendar for the Confirmation preparation program is in this mailing. Please note that all candidates will be expected to participate in a day-long mini-retreat experience on November 18, 2017 here at the St. Kenneth Parish Center, culminating in the enrollment mass at 4:30. Additional, specific information about this important day will be forthcoming. In the meantime, please mark this date on your family calendar. Please also note that there will be a very important **parents only** meeting on **Wednesday, September 6 at 6:00pm** in the Parish Center hall. Further details about the program will be discussed and information folders will be distributed at this meeting. I am aware that this is a busy time of year and I will do my best to make certain that the meeting will conclude in less than an hour.

This is my ninth year working with the Confirmation candidates here at St. Kenneth. It is my sincere hope that this time of preparation will deepen the candidates' commitment to living their Catholic faith. As summer winds down, I hope you and your family continue to enjoy many relaxing moments in the Lord's presence. If you have questions or concerns prior to the meeting, feel free to contact me via e-mail at elaine@stkenneth.org or leave a message in the Religious Formation office at 734-927-1254 and I will return your phone call as soon as possible. Mrs. Jonell Traylor will be assisting me this year and she is also available through the Religious Formation office to answer your questions.

I look forward to meeting with all of you on September 6.

Sincerely,

Elaine Marie Kramer
Confirmation Facilitator