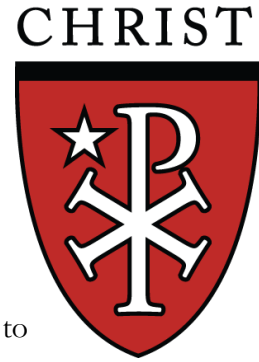


Christ Lutheran Church, Lubbock Confirmation 2024-2025



Dear Confirmation Parents,

Confirmation is an important opportunity for your child to learn and grow in the Word of God, and declare his faithfulness, publicly, before God and man. Parents are welcome and requested to attend classes with their child(ren). Catechumens should recite their memory work to their parents prior to catechesis on Wednesday evening.

Each class period will follow the following schedule:

Opening (5:10)
Memory Work
Bible History Lesson
Additional Time for Questions and Brief Discussion on Sermon Reports
Closing (6:20)

As this time for instruction and growth in the Word is an important part of preparation for Confirmation, students are expected to attend all classes. If a student is absent, all work is expected to be made up by the next class period. (Emergencies excepted) More than 5 absences for the year will demonstrate that Confirmation instruction has not been made a priority for the student.

Another essential part of the life of any Christian, not only Confirmation students, is regular attendance at the Divine Service. Our Lord commands us to meet together to receive His Word and Sacrament. Active participation and church attendance is especially expected of Confirmands so that they can confidently take their vows and form the habit of coming to church weekly to hear the Word of God. To aid them in this, **two sermon reports a month will be part of their classwork.** (Blank sermon reports will be found on the ushers' stand outside of church.)

The arc of the two years of confirmation is to cover the Catechism in Memory Work each year, plus focused study on Bible History and the Catechism in detail. The text books will be:

The Bible (ESV translation)
Concordia Bible History
Concordia Bible History Workbook
Luther's Small Catechism with Explanation
Lutheran Service Book (just grab one from the church before class)

This letter, catechism memory assignments, and audio recording of the memory work are available at the following link: <https://www.christlutheranlubbock.org/confirmation>

You may also use the shortened URL: bit.ly/catechesisCLC

I look forward to aiding you and your child in your walk with our Lord and in His forgiveness.
Your Servant in Christ,
Pastor Hinton

Calendar for Catechism Class (2024-2025)

2022

September 4
September 11
September 28
September 25

October 2
October 9
October 16
October 23
October 30

November 6
November 13
November 20
November 27 – Thanksgiving Break

December 4
December 11
December 18
December 25 – Christmas Break

2023

January 1 – Christmas Break
January 8
January 15
January 22
January 29

February 5
February 12
February 19
February 26

March 5
March 12
March 19 - Spring Break
March 26

April 2
April 9
April 16 - Holy Wednesday
April 23
April 30

May 7
May 14

-Underlined dates are days when there is no catechesis

-Confirmation is on Cantate Sunday, May 18th