

Santa Maria de la Paz Catholic Community
Adult Confirmation Program Fall 2020 (version 7/10 /20)

| Session | Day and Date | Topic | Presenters | Assignment |
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| I | Saturday, August 15, 10:00AM to 12:00noon | Welcome/Introductions/Faith Journey/Pillars of Faith/Intro to the Bible | | Read Ch. 1 <u>Seeker's</u> , put Bible tabs in, do Bible assignment (letter from God) |
| II | Saturday, August 22, 10:00AM to 12:00noon | God the Parent and Creator/ Jesus, the Son of God | | Read Ch. 2-4 of <u>Seeker's</u> , complete worksheets Growing Into God, Who is This Man |
| III | Saturday, August 29 10:00AM to 12:00noon | The Holy Spirit and the Trinity/ Our Creed | | Read Ch. 5, 6 <u>Seeker's</u> , do reflection sheet |
| IV | Saturday, September 5, 10:00AM to 12:00noon | Prayer and Mary and the Rosary/Sacramentals; develop Catholic Identity and Spiritual Growth Plan | | Read Ch. 18 & 9 <u>Seeker's</u> ;Do activity sheet on Prayer; next week Rosary at 9:30, Mass at 10:00, then class; Saint's name, letter to Archbishop + 5 hrs of Comm Service due next week |
| V | Saturday, September 12 10:00AM to 12:00noon | Let's Look at the Mass | | Read <u>Understanding the Mass</u> ; |
| VI | Saturday, September 19, 10:00AM to 12noon | Church: Brief History/Structure/Tour/Review of concepts so far | | Read Ch. 7, 8 of <u>Seeker's</u> |
| VII | Saturday, September 26 10:00AM to 12:00 noon | Seven Sacraments: Baptism, Eucharist, Confirmation, | | Read Ch. 12-17 of <u>Seeker's</u> ; Complete |

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| | | Reconciliation, Anointing, Matrimony, Holy Orders | | Sacrament Review sheet; make personal shield |
| VIII | Saturday, October 3, 10:00AM to 12:00 noon | Morality and the Virtues – What Do They Mean for Me? | | Read Ch. 9 of <u>Seeker's</u> |
| IX | Saturday, October 10, 10:00AM to 12:00noon | Discipleship/Catholic Life and Practice class | | Read <u>Seeker's</u> Ch. 22, Review Catholic Identity and Spiritual Growth Plan; Final Community Service hours due next week |
| X | Saturday, October 17, 10:00AM to 12:00 noon | Test/Book Report/ Exit Interview | Team | Team meeting after class |
| Retreat | Saturday, October 24, 9:30AM to 12:00 noon in the San Jose Chapel | Retreat – Continuing the Journey of Being a Confirmed Catholic | Team | Begin with Liturgy of the Hours followed by half hour of Eucharistic Adoration, then the retreat to include Stations of the Cross |
| Confirmation | Saturday, October 31, 2PM | Cathedral Basilica of St. Francis of Assisi, downtown Santa Fe | Archbishop John C. Wester | |

Additional events: Eucharistic Adoration is held for 24 hours beginning on the First Friday of each month from 9:00AM and continuing until Saturday at 9:00AM. We would like you to experience Eucharistic Adoration on one of the possible First Fridays of: September or October, even if you can only do 15 minutes rather than the suggested whole hour.

Baptism of babies takes place on the following dates and times: Sunday, September 8 or Sunday, October 13. It would be good to attend one of these to observe the rite of Baptism as it is done with children.