2025-2026 CONFIRMATION YEAR I PROGRAM – GRADE 7 Holy Trinity Parish 227 Sea Street Quincy, MA 02169

LEARNING MODEL FOR CONFIRMATION PROGRAM YEAR I

Holy Trinity Parish Confirmation Year I students (Grade 7) will meet in-person at the time and location below following the schedule on the reverse.

LOCATION AND TIMING

Class Day and Time: 9:15 AM – 10:15 AM two Sundays a month Location: Our Lady of Good Counsel Hall

CATECHIST

Roseann Pope

All Sundays are obligatory for the faithful to participate in the Mass. Regularly attending Sunday Mass and receiving the Eucharist is an important part of faith formation and the practice of the faith. The weekend schedule of Masses at Holy Trinity Parish is as follows:

Most Blessed Sacrament Church: Saturday 4:30 PM and Sunday 8:30 AM
Our Lady of Good Counsel Church: Saturday 6:00 PM and Sunday 10:30 AM
All Masses are live streamed and recordings stored at the HTP Facebook page
https://www.facebook.com/holytrinityquincy/)

HOLY DAYS OF OBLIGATION

November 1, 2025 (All Saints' Day)

December 8, 2025 (Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary)

December 25, 2025 (Christmas)

January 1, 2026 (Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God)

May 14, 2026 (Ascension of Jesus)

August 15, 2026 (Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary)

ATTENDANCE

Students are expected to attend all classes. If the child is sick, stay home, and send an email to <a href="https://ht

GOALS

- o To know God in Jesus Christ and the Holy Spirit
- o To understand how the Sacraments help us practice the faith
- o To come closer to Christ through devotion to the Blessed Virgin Mary
- o To reinforce the fundamentals of the Catholic faith and the teachings of the Church
- o To better understand the different states/vocations in life from the witness of others
- o To prepare for the Sacrament of Confirmation and a life of faithful witness to Christ and his Church

The Pflaum *Gifted with the Spirit Confirmation* series begin with the call to prayer, cover Catholic tradition clearly and in depth, include a Scripture search to strengthen biblical connections, and offer lively activities to keep young minds engaged. A *Called to Serve* feature suggests works of mercy

or justice the young people can perform to serve others outside of their class sessions. A recall to prayer provides a reflective closure.

Lesson Elements

Each of the following lessons of *Gifted with the Spirit* begins and ends with prayer. Each lesson includes hands-on Bible activities to help the young people develop greater familiarity and comfort with Scripture. Lessons also include a *Catholic Literacy* feature, definition of faith words, journaling opportunities, individual and group activities that invite the young people to consider ways to put their faith into action, and suggestions for service.

LESSON SCHEDULE

No.	Class Date	Gospel Theme
	Wednesday	Start of Year In-Person Parent Meeting and Child Safe Environment
	October 1, 2025	Information at 6:30 PM Our Lady of Good Counsel Church Hall
1	October 5, 2025	Lesson 1: Called by the Holy Spirit (pages 1-4)
2	October 19, 2025	Lesson 1: Called by the Holy Spirit (pages 4-8)
3	November 2, 2025	Lesson 2: Accepting God's Call (pages 1-4)
4	November 16, 2025	Lesson 2: Accepting God's Call (pages 4-8)
5	December 7, 2025	Lesson 3: Building a Friendship with God (pages 1-4)
6	December 21, 2025	Lesson 3: Building a Friendship with God (pages 4-8)
7	January 11, 2026	Lesson 4: Recognizing the Holy Spirit in Your Life (pages 1-4)
8	January 25, 2026	Lesson 4: Recognizing the Holy Spirit in Your Life (pages 4-8)
9	February 8, 2026	Lesson 5: Receiving the Gifts of the Holy Spirit (pages 1-4)
10	February 22, 2026	Lesson 5: Receiving the Gifts of the Holy Spirit (pages 4-8)
11	March 8, 2026	Lesson 6: Experiencing God's Love in the Church (pages 1-4)
12	March 22 2026	Lesson 6: Experiencing God's Love in the Church (pages 4-8)
13	April 12, 2026	Lesson 7: Celebrating the Sacrament of Confirmation (pages 1-4)
14	April 26, 2026	Lesson 7: Celebrating the Sacrament of Confirmation (pages 4-8)
15	May 3, 2026	Lesson 8: Making a Difference as Disciples (pages 1-8)