

Baptismal Promises Reflection

Listed below are the baptismal promises that will be renewed at Confirmation. Spend time in prayer, reflecting on each one and how Christ is calling you to live each promise in your life. Feel free to use the given questions to guide you.

Do you renounce Satan, and all his works and empty promises?

- How can you stand firm in the face of temptation this week, or how have you stood firm in the face of temptation before to live this promise?

Do you believe in God, the Father almighty, Creator of heaven and earth?

- How can you put God first in your life this week and follow his will, even when it is difficult?

Do you believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was born of the Virgin Mary, suffered death and was buried, rose again from the dead and is seated at the right hand of the Father?

- How can you live this promise by learning more about who Jesus is this week? How can you better witness to Jesus' teachings in your life, or reflect clearly His image in you?

Do you believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who today through the Sacrament of Confirmation is given to you in a special way just as he was given to the Apostles on the day of Pentecost?

- This week, how can you be open to the working of the Holy Spirit in your heart and mind? Or, how have you experienced the Holy Spirit working in your life before?

Do you believe in the holy catholic Church, the communion of Saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting?

- How can you participate more in our parish's life?