

St. Isidore Confirmation Year One Fall Newsletter

VOLUME 15 ISSUE 1



Welcome to Confirmation Year One!

Welcome to Year One of the St. Isidore Confirmation program. This newsletter describes the eight fall workshops and a few ongoing service opportunities.

In order to fulfill the Confirmation Year One requirement, you need to participate in 24 hours of activities over the entire year. You will receive two newsletters, Fall (this one) and winter in early 2018. During the school year, there will be a minimum of 20 to 25 different ways to be an active member of the community of St. Isidore. Before you know it, you will have those 24 hours and many, many more!

Sign ups for the fall workshops start at 5:00pm Wednesday September 20th. To sign up go to goo.gl/98eKDK after 5pm on 9/20. Don't delay workshops fill up fast.

Throughout the year I will be texting out Confirmation year one reminders and service opportunities. In order to get these text updates please text:

SIchurch to 84576

When prompted sign up for Year 1 Confirmation

I will send a text with the registration link when workshop registrations open.

In Christ,

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WORKSHOPS AT A GLANCE

- **Youth Group**
Sundays 1:30 -3:00
- **Youth Group - Wed**
Wednesdays 7:15-8:30
- **Teen Choir / Band**
12:15 PM Teen Mass
- **Why?**
Sundays 7:00-8:30
- **Thy Kingdom Come**
Sundays 7:00-8:30
- **Film Clips**
Sundays 7:00-8:30
- **You.**
Sundays 7:00-8:30
- **Altarations**
Sundays 7:00—8:30



SERVICE & SOCIAL JUSTICE

- Greeter / Usher @
12:15 Mass
- Little Farmers
- Walk for Life

Workshop # 1 "Youth Group" & "Youth Group Wednesday"

Want variety? Youth Group has it all! Community building + Bible Study + Games + Videos + Food + Prayer + Service Projects. Youth Group is always different & always fun!

Sundays After the 12:15 PM Mass
1:30 PM to 3:00 PM

Location: Youth Center

Start Date: Sunday, October 15

Leader: Keith Machi

OR

Wednesday Nights
7:15—8:30 PM

Location: School science room 119

Start Date: Wednesday, October 11

Leader: Keith Machi

Workshop # 2 "Teen Choir & Band"

This is a great opportunity to make the Teen Mass - Your Mass!

Picture it - teen singers, guitarists, violinists, keyboard players and (insert instrument you play here), ALL involved in making our Sunday Celebration a spirit-filled experience.

Sings at the 12:15 PM Teen Mass

Rehearsal time TBD

Leader: Music Director, John Erreca



Workshop # 3 "Thy Kingdom Come"

THIS IS NOT YOUR PARENT'S BIBLE STUDY

This teen bible study looks into the Gospel of Matthew. It will open up the world in which Jesus lived and preached His Father's word. Walk along with the apostles as we learn about the inception of the Catholic Church, the papacy, and the sacraments.

Sunday evenings 7:00 to 8:30 PM

Starting Date: Sunday, October 15

Location: St. Isidore School room 110

Leader: Barbara Hooper



Workshop #4 "Altaration"

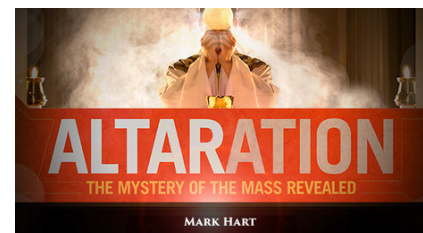
Altaration—the mystery of the Mass revealed. This workshop is designed to stir thought, create conversation, dispel myths and inspire young souls to a deep and lasting love for the Mass. If you find Mass boring, this workshop is for you.

Sunday Evenings 7:00 - 8:30 PM

Start Date: Sunday, October 15

Location: St. Isidore School room 111

Leader: JoAnna Brooks



Workshop #5 "Film Clips for Catholic Youth"

Movies focus on the best and the worst of humanity. This workshop looks at some classic movies and how they handled challenging moral dilemmas. Every week a new theme will inspire you as you continue your journey toward Confirmation.



Sunday Evenings 7:00–8:30 PM
Location: School Science room 119

Start Date: Sunday, October 15
Leader: Catechist Needed

Workshop #6 "Why? Student Led Conversations"

An honest conversation on why and what it is to be a Catholic lead by students? How does it all fit in with my High School life? Topics include: Who is involved? What are Faith and Grace? Where is it happening in the church, community, and the world?



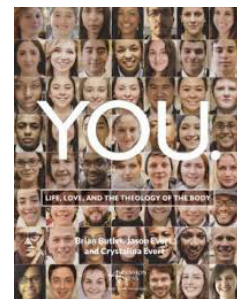
Sunday Evenings 7:00–8:30 PM
Location: Church Sacred Heart Room

Start Date: Sunday, October 15
Leader: Kellie French



Workshop #7 "You. Life, Love & Theology of the Body"

In an age of "selfies", *You* cuts through the noise to present an authentic view of the human person. It presents young people with the extraordinary story of their creation as unrepeatable individuals. This workshop goes deeper and expects more than any other workshop - think the equivalent of an High School AP class.



Sunday Evenings 7:00 to 8:30 PM
Location: St. Isidore School room 109

Starting Date: Sunday, October 15
Leader: Mitzi Devlin

Service #1 "Usher @ 12:15 Mass"

A few teens are needed every week to help greet people, pass out bulletins and take up the collection.

If you attend the 12:15 Youth Mass, sign up for this wonderful & important opportunity to play an active role in the liturgy!

Sundays at the 12:15 PM Mass



Service #2 "Little Farmers"

Do little children make you smile?

Do you like teaching children and working on projects with them?

If you answered yes, then "Little Farmers" needs you!



During the 9:00am Masses on Sunday
Sign up to Here: goo.gl/tF5qkA

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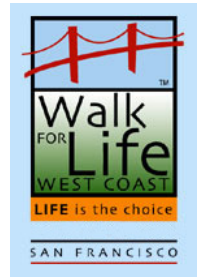
REMINDER

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Check out these special events!

Walk for Life

San Francisco
Saturday, January 27, 2018



Friends of the Poor Walk

St. Isidore track
Saturday, September 30th, 2017
9:00AM



I am an active Catholic!

St. Isidore Confirmation year one 17/18

Participation Form

Students Name: _____ Date: _____

Date(s) of participation : _____

Total number of hours completed: _____

What did you do?: _____

Where did you do it? _____

Name of parent / supervisor _____

Signature of parent / supervisor _____

Return this form to:

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St. Isidore

Fall Workshop Calendar 17/18

Sunday Workshops

October 15

October 22

October 29

November 5

November 19

December 3

December 10

December 17

Wednesday Workshop

October 11

October 18

October 25

November 1

November 8

November 29

December 13

December 20

Fall Workshop quick reference

♦ Youth Group Sunday	Sunday 1:30 - 3:00pm	Keith Machi
♦ Youth Group Wednesday	Wednesday 7:15 - 8:30pm	Keith Machi
♦ Teen Choir / Band	Sings @ 12:15 Mass	John Erreca
♦ Why?	Sunday 7:00 - 8:30pm	Kellye French
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