



*Please read carefully, and indicate selections clearly:*

1. Information: (Print or type clearly)

Parish (Hosting) \_\_\_\_\_ Confirmation Date \_\_\_\_\_ Time \_\_\_\_\_

Parish (es) Attending (if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_

Parish Address (include street address, city and zip code) \_\_\_\_\_

Parking Information: \_\_\_\_\_

Pastor/Administrator \_\_\_\_\_ Parish Phone(s) \_\_\_\_\_ Pastor/Administrator Cell \_\_\_\_\_

Parochial Vicar \_\_\_\_\_ Deacon(s) \_\_\_\_\_

2. The Archbishop or his delegate is invited for:  Lunch  Dinner  Before the ceremony  After the ceremony Location/ time \_\_\_\_\_

*Please confirm the meal details and availability directly with the celebrant.*

3. Candidates

Number of candidates (total number if hosting additional parish(es)) \_\_\_\_\_ Age range of candidates \_\_\_\_\_

a.) **Archbishop Wester or his delegate would like to meet with the candidates 30 minutes before the liturgy.**

Meeting location \_\_\_\_\_

b.) The Archbishop or his delegate is expected to meet the confirmandi/confirmed for photos:  Immediately before Mass  After Mass  At the reception

Photo Location \_\_\_\_\_  No photos

Reception Location \_\_\_\_\_  No Reception

4. Readings (some general reminders)

a.) For the celebration of the Sacrament of Confirmation, there are several options for readings found in the lectionary (#764-#768). These readings may be used on any day during the Paschal Season except at Saturday evening (if it fulfills the Sunday obligation) and Sunday Masses and Solemnities - when the readings of the day must be used.

b.) **During the Paschal Season, the first reading is always taken from the Acts of the Apostles. The second reading is taken from one of the Letters of the New Testament.**

During the Paschal Season, it is not appropriate to have an Old Testament reading.

*Please select one option:*

d.)  Readings will be taken from the *Lectionary* cycle for the current day.

1<sup>st</sup> Reading \_\_\_\_\_ Psalm \_\_\_\_\_ 2<sup>nd</sup> Reading \_\_\_\_\_ Gospel \_\_\_\_\_

e.)  Readings will be taken from the options given for the current feast or solemnity (please specify the readings you have chosen from the options): Name of

Feast/Solemnity: \_\_\_\_\_

1<sup>st</sup> Reading \_\_\_\_\_ Psalm \_\_\_\_\_ 2<sup>nd</sup> Reading \_\_\_\_\_ Gospel \_\_\_\_\_

f.)  Readings will be taken from the *Lectionary* for Confirmation Masses (*Lectionary* #765-768). Please refer to volume four of the *Lectionary* for specific verses and other details. Please mark your selection on the following chart (on back of this page):

Please choose one from each of the following headings:

*For specific verse numbers, please see the Lectionary or the Confirmation ritual*

New Testament 1 <sup>st</sup> Reading (From Lectionary 765)	Psalm (From Lectionary 766)	New Testament 2 <sup>nd</sup> Reading (From Lectionary 765)	Gospel ..... (From Lectionary 768)	
<input type="checkbox"/> 1.) Acts 1: 3 f <input type="checkbox"/> 2.) Acts 2: 1 ff <input type="checkbox"/> 3.) Acts 8: 1bc ff <input type="checkbox"/> 4.) Acts 10: 1 ff <input type="checkbox"/> 5.) Acts 19: 1b ff <input type="checkbox"/> 6.) Romans 5:1 ff	<input type="checkbox"/> 1.) 22:23-23ab ff <input type="checkbox"/> 2.) 23: 1b-3a ff <input type="checkbox"/> 3.) 96:1-2a ff <input type="checkbox"/> 4.) 104: 1ab and 24 ff <input type="checkbox"/> 5.) 117: 1bc, 2 <input type="checkbox"/> 6.) 145:2-3 ff	<input type="checkbox"/> 7.) Romans 8:14 ff <input type="checkbox"/> 8.) Romans 8:26 ff <input type="checkbox"/> 9.) 1 Corinthians 12: 4 ff <input type="checkbox"/> 10.) Galatians 5:16 ff <input type="checkbox"/> 11.) Ephesians 1:3a ff <input type="checkbox"/> 12.) Ephesians 4: 1 ff	<input type="checkbox"/> 1.) Matthew 5: 1 ff <input type="checkbox"/> 2.) Matthew 16:24 ff <input type="checkbox"/> 3.) Matthew 25: 14 ff <input type="checkbox"/> 4.) Mark 1: 9 ff <input type="checkbox"/> 5.) Luke 4: 16 ff <input type="checkbox"/> 6.) Luke 8: 4 ff	<input type="checkbox"/> 7.) Luke 10: 21 ff <input type="checkbox"/> 8.) John 7:37b ff <input type="checkbox"/> 9.) John 14:15 ff <input type="checkbox"/> 10.) John 14:23 ff <input type="checkbox"/> 11.) John 15:18 ff <input type="checkbox"/> 12.) John 16: 5 ff

Color of Vestments: Red during the week      White on Sundays and Solemnities

5. Acknowledgements (If applicable, please also include names with parish, if additional parish(es) are attending)

Names of DRE/ Religious Education Coordinator/ Confirmation Coordinator \_\_\_\_\_

If Applicable:

Youth Minister: \_\_\_\_\_

Choir Director: \_\_\_\_\_

6. Confirmation Ceremony

*N.B.* It is **NOT** appropriate for the candidates to wear stoles which are liturgical vestments proper to bishops, priests, and deacons.

- Confirmation names will be worn by candidates on name tags
- Confirmation names will be presented on cards
- Confirmands will be presented to the Archbishop or his delegate by the candidate's sponsor

7. Additional Options for the Liturgy

The options are explained in the Ceremonial for the Sacraments of Confirmation within the Mass, which is enclosed

- The Liturgy will be:     English       Spanish       Bi-lingual
- Sprinkling Rite         Yes             No            (This is especially appropriate during the Paschal Season – and is NOT done during the Gloria.)
- Penitential Rite         Sung             Spoken        (This is NOT done if there is a Sprinkling Rite.)
- Gloria                     Sung             Spoken        (The Gloria is only spoken for serious pastoral reasons.)
- Offertory Procession     Yes             No
- Preface                     Holy Spirit I     Holy Spirit II     Feast       Mass of the Day
- Eucharistic Prayer       I                 II                 III            (IV requires its own preface, which is NOT an option in the Paschal Season)
- The Lord's Prayer         Sung             Spoken
- The Sign of Peace        Concelebrants will NOT enter the body of the church for the greeting, but a few representatives of the newly confirmed (and sponsors) may be invited into the sanctuary for the exchange of the sign of peace.    **Will representatives come forward for greeting:**     Yes             No

After completing both sides, please sign and return the form *no later than* 14 days before Confirmation date to: Archbishop's Office, 4000 Saint Joseph Place NW, Albuquerque, NM 87120 OR by fax to 505-831-8101 or by email at [mamascarenas@asfnm.org](mailto:mamascarenas@asfnm.org). **This form is submitted by the host parish.** Thank you.      *Come, Holy Spirit...*

Pastor/Priest Administrator \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

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