



CELEBRANT           “Confirmation candidates, do you make a special choice today to embark upon a process of intensive catechetical preparation for the sacrament of Confirmation?”

CANDIDATES        “We do.”

CELEBRANT           “Do you freely choose to try and follow the Gospel teachings which you have been reviewing?”

CANDIDATES        “We do.”

CELEBRANT           “Do you promise to study, to pray, to serve, and to build community in order to become a young adult witness to Jesus Christ?”

CANDIDATES        “We do.”

*Ask parent and sponsors to please stand.*

CELEBRANT           “Candidates for confirmation receive the sign of your life in Christ. Your parents and sponsor will now trace a cross on your forehead as a reminder of your baptism into Christ’s saving death and resurrection.”

CELEBRANT           “Almighty God, by the cross and resurrection of your Son you have given life to your people. Your servants have received the sign of the cross,

make them living proof of its saving power and help them to persevere in the footsteps of Christ. We ask this through Christ our Lord.”

“We the parish community of Holy Trinity pledge to support you in your decision and we look forward to the day of your Confirmation when you will be fully initiated members of the Body of Christ.”

*Applause*