

Letter to the Pastor

*Before the celebration of Confirmation, the pastor is required by Canon Law to know that candidates have been properly prepared. He should also know that you have a desire for and knowledge of the sacrament of Confirmation. To help **Fr. Creedon**, meet his responsibility, you are asked to write a letter to him. He will also share these letters with Bishop Tobin.*

This letter is to address two basic questions:

What does Confirmation mean to you?

In your own words, write one or two paragraphs explaining what the sacrament of Confirmation means to you and something about your preparation (stewardship projects, classes, retreats, etc.)

Why do you feel you are ready to receive the sacrament of Confirmation?

Again in your own words, write two or three paragraphs about why you feel you are ready to receive this sacrament.

You are free to choose to receive Confirmation at another time if you feel that you are not ready and would like to wait. *If, for whatever reason, you wish to delay your reception of the sacrament of Confirmation, you must make an **appointment** with Mrs. Lardaro.*

Directions:

- *letter should be typed*
- *done in letter format starting with Dear Fr. Creedon*
- *ending with your signature above your **typed name***
- *letters should be handed in at your final interview (4/7)*