

YEAR 1

Dear Parents and Confirmation Candidate,

WELCOME to St. Raphael's LIFE TEEN Youth Ministry and Confirmation program. Thank you for taking the time and responsibility for considering our confirmation preparation program. Please find the enclosed Confirmation requirements and registration form for the 2009-2010 school year.

- Review the Confirmation Requirements with your candidate.
- Complete the following forms and submit to the rectory or to me personally with the proper payment of \$75 prior to September 16th (\$95 registration fee after September 16th).
 - Registration Form
 - Parent Contract
 - Confirmation Sponsor Form
 - Confirmation Retreat Permission Slip
 - LIFE TEEN Magic Mountain Inspiration Tour (Optional)
 - Santa Barbara Youth Day (Optional)
 - Tuition Payment Plan (Optional)

Please look over the registration packet carefully. All the dates, times, and requirements are found in this packet.

<p>Monday, September 21st is the first Year 1 Confirmation Class</p>

There is a **MANDATORY PARENT MEETING** for all Year 1 parents on:

- Wednesday, September 9th from 7:30-8:30 PM in ROOM A&B
- Thursday, September 10th from 7:30-8:30 PM in ROOM A&B
- Wednesday, September 16th from 7:30-8:30 PM in ROOM A&B

This meeting is held at three different times for your convenience. A parent **MUST** attend one of these meetings in order for your student to be registered in the Year 1 Confirmation program. If you are unable to attend any of these meetings please contact me at 964-3466 ext 1 or email me at srym12@yahoo.com so that we can arrange a meeting.

PLEASE NOTE: You can access this packet and all documents on our web site: www.straphaelsyouth.com. Click on Confirmation and then click on Forms and Documents.

I will answer all questions and clarify all of the changes to the program at the parent meeting. You may also register your student at the September 9th, 10th or the 16th parent meetings. Please register your student **BEFORE** September 21st

In Christ,

John Vasellina
Director of Youth Ministry, Confirmation Coordinator