Dear Parents, Guardians & Confirmation Candidates,

Confirmation Preparation will once again involve candidates from the entire North Bay region. This is a great opportunity for you to meet other young people who are also preparing for their Confirmation and who will be celebrating the Sacrament along with you.

Confirmation Preparation has already begun with a kick-off retreat! But it is not too late to register for Confirmation 2018. Please do so as soon as possible!!!

We wish to congratulate you on taking this big step in your faith journey. Confirmation is a special time for a young person to commit to their faith and experience the Holy Spirit in their life. It is a sacrament that continues the welcoming and the belonging that began with Baptism and which continues with the celebration of Eucharist. We are hoping our Confirmation preparation will not only prepare you for the Sacrament of Confirmation, but will be a fun experience, that will help build new friendships, spark different interests and present personal challenges.

Please note that in requesting the Sacrament of Confirmation it is presumed that you are in Grade 7 or 8 (or older) and have received the Sacraments of Baptism, First Reconciliation and First Eucharist.

If you are missing one or more of these sacraments, call your parish office as soon as possible.

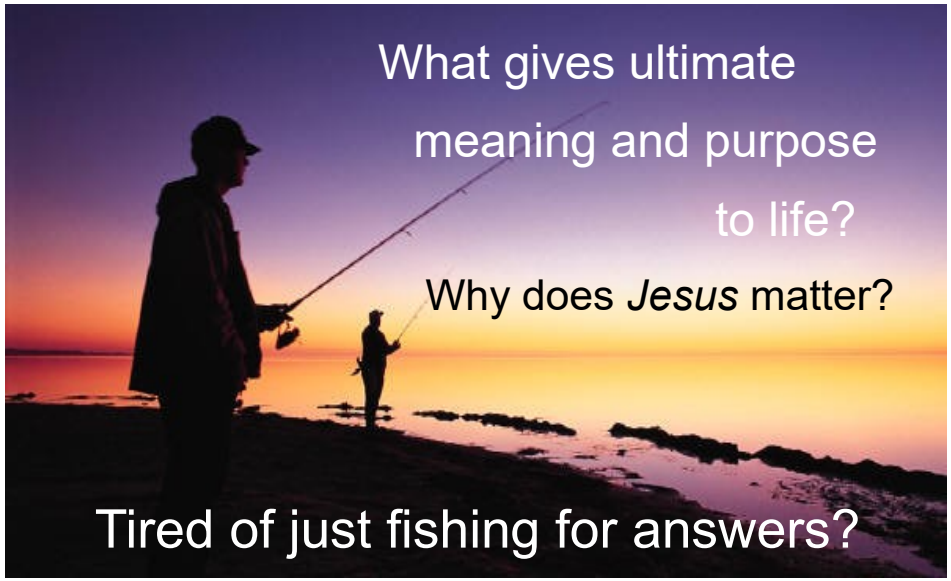
Register NOW for Confirmation

Contact the Parish Office

Please register through the parish that your family is registered at and/or attends on a regular basis.



Visit procathedral.ca for more information
Under SACRAMENTS click on CONFIRMATION then CONFIRMATION REGISTRATION



Discovering Christ

Join us for this exciting new 8-session series where we gather to share a delicious breakfast, listen to a dynamic teaching, and explore answers to some of the most important questions worth asking about God and finding ultimate purpose in life.

Saturday mornings, January 20–March 10, 9:00-11:30 AM
Parish Hall, Pro-Cathedral of the Assumption
McIntyre Street Entrance (Double Grey Doors)

Breakfast and program offered at no cost.
Seating limited. Childcare provided as needed.

For more information on this course call your Parish Office

To Register See Reverse

To register online go to christlifenorthbay.org
To register using this form, please complete and drop it in the collection basket or at your Parish office

Discovering Christ

(Registration Form)

First Name: _____

Last Name: _____

Parish: _____

(Where you are registered and/or usually attend)

Email: _____

Phone #: _____ **(Home)**

_____ **(Cell)**

_____ **(Other)**

If childcare needed, list children's ages here:

_____, _____, _____, _____



Aiding Your Church ~

The Message of Stewardship

Stewardship is an attitude of the mind and of the heart. When a person makes a specific commitment of their time, their talent, and their treasure to the church, it is because they see our church as their spiritual home. By making stewardship an integral part of our mission we become a living testament to our faith.

2018 envelopes are in the church for pickup.
If you donate in this manner, print your name and address on the envelope for the first few weeks you use them. Your envelope number is edited—you do not need the same number each year.

Have you given any thought to donating this year through pre-authorized donations, VISA or Mastercard?
If you are already using these methods, have you reviewed your stewardship commitment since you began?

The Pro-Cathedral needs everyone to become stewards of the gifts they have been given by God ... whether it is clothes for the poor, food for the hungry, or simply arms outreached to someone who is lonely.

There are several ways in which you may contribute financially to the Pro-Cathedral of the Assumption.

Weekly Contribution Envelopes
Envelopes are currently available at the back of the church by asking an usher or by calling the parish office. Remember to write your name and address on your new envelopes for the first few weeks you use them.

Postdated Cheques
You may wish to donate weekly by postdated cheque. Many of our parishioners who are lucky enough to be "snow birds" for the winter months leave postdated cheques for their weekly offerings. Also, for those who are often away in the summer months, this option provides a means to donate even though you may not be able to attend church regularly. Authorization forms are located in the pamphlet racks at the entrance to the Cathedral.

VISA / MASTERCARD
Convenient, safe, and reliable, VISA or Mastercard contributions can be made weekly, monthly, or at any time at your convenience. Pick up a form at the entrance to the Cathedral in the pamphlet racks to designate your donations. It's safe, easy, and absolutely free.

ALSO - Talk to your tax professional or financial consultant about how you can donate by making the Pro-Cathedral a recipient of ***securities*** (bonds, mutual funds, etc.); ***life insurance***, ***gift annuities***, ***endowment funds***, ***bequests***, ***real estate***, and ***gifts of retirement plan accumulations***.

If you have never donated, please consider supporting our parish financially — we truly need your support to continue the good works of the parish!