



Holy Name of Mary. Rydalmere
Sacraments of Initiation for Children.
Enrolment Form for the Sacrament of
Confirmation.

Friday 6th November 2020 – 7.00pm

Friday 13th November 2020 – 7.00pm

Possibly – Friday 20th November – 7.00pm



Dear Parents/Carers

Due to the unprecedented times this year has given us, please be advised of the format for the preparation and celebration of the Sacrament of Confirmation. Due to the restriction of numbers of people gathering together in one place we have had to make drastic changes.

Please know that if YOU choose to celebrate this Sacrament next year there is absolutely no problem.

The changes that we have made are:

1. Collecting the Enrolment Form from 26th August 2020

The enrolment form can be downloaded from the parish website. The web address is **holymary.org.au**

The enrolment form can be collected from the entrance to the church.

The enrolment form can be received from St Mary's School.

The enrolment form can be received from the Catechists at our State Schools

2. Enrolling – received before Sunday 20th September 2020

The enrolment form can be emailed to the email address on the enrolment form

The enrolment form can be placed in a sealed box at the entrance to the church.

The enrolment form can be handed to the Catechist at our State Schools.

Due to the organizing of dates and times **NO LATE ENROLMENTS WILL BE ACCEPTED UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCES.**

3. Dates for Preparation Session. Saturday 24th October 2020 – 1.00pm to 2.00pm OR 2.15pm to 3.15pm.

There will be ONE preparation session, with two different times, in the Parish Hall.

Parents are NOT permitted to come into the hall to drop off or collect their child. Parents must wait outside the gates.

You will be given the time of your child's session prior to the day.

4. Parental Support.

After receiving the enrolment form each parent will be given a "Parent Material Book" that will help you also guide your child for Confirmation. This is a very simple booklet that you can do at your leisure.

5. Practice

You will be notified of the date and time for a practice. The Sponsor is not required to attend the practice.

6. Celebration of Confirmation.

You will be notified of your date for Confirmation. If you have an absolute preference please advise us.

Due to the restriction of numbers allowed at any gathering and the distancing laws we have to have just your child (the Candidate), the Sponsor and two parents.

This will be a full mass with Fr Peter being our Celebrant.

Invitation – Due to the restrictions the children will not attend mass together after the Preparation Session, but you are invited to attend mass at the regular times.

Saturday Vigil – 5.30pm

Sunday 7.30am & 9.30am