

Confirmation 2011 – 2012

Confirmation Compact

As a member of the 2011 -2012 Confirmation class I _____ promise to fulfill the following expectations of the confirmation program:

- I will attend class each week so that I may discover and express a union with my community. (Exceptions; illness, emergencies)
- I will commit to understand and experience the Christian Faith. I will do this by actively participating in class discussions, thoughtfully completing all assignments, and by fully participating in class activities, worship and projects.
- I will create a personal credo which describes my beliefs about God, religion and the experiences I've had throughout the confirmation year.
- I will attend a retreat with all other Confirmands
- I will actively participate in interdenominational worship with other faith traditions in order to better understand how others seek and find God. I will complete and submit a reflection sheet following each of these experiences.
- I will attend at least two of the worship services offered at First Plymouth (Saturday Evening, Sunday at either the 9:00 or 10:30 a.m. 11:59 or the Taize Service) in order to gain a better understanding of inclusive Christian worship of First Plymouth. I will complete and submit a sermon summary following each of these experiences.
- I will spend 18 hours this year in service to the wider community. This is to help me better understand the sacrifice and rewards to living out the Christian witness.

As a parent / guardian and sponsor of the following Confirmand _____ I promise to fulfill the following expectations:

- I will make confirmation classes and activities a priority on our family calendar.
- I will actively engage in communication with my youth about confirmation topics and activities.
- I will support my Confirmand in mission work in and outside the community, by willingly participating alongside my Confirmand in community service and outreach whenever possible.
- I will participate in the Confirmand's spiritual nourishing by modeling the words and deeds of Jesus and by actively supporting the goals of the confirmation program. I will whenever possible, encourage the living of a Christian Life and serve as an example of a person journeying toward a closer relationship with God.

I hereby sign this commitment as a sign of my intentions to fulfill the requirements listed above.

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Parent/ Guardian

Director Youth Ministries

Minister of Children, Youth and Families