

Confirmation Connect:

VIDEO 3

Gifted by the Spirit



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WELCOME

- We meet at a precious moment in family life
- Approaching Confirmation
- 3 half-hour sessions, each with a specially prepared video
- To make the most of this special time
- This second session is 'Gifted by the Spirit'

Format of the Session

- Welcome & Opening Prayer - **5 mins**
- Show Video Clip - **5 mins**
- Family Chat with Questionns - **10 mins**
- Feedback - **5 mins**
- Home Activity & Closing Prayer - **5 mins**

Opening Prayer

**Walk with us Lord
as we prepare together as a family
for the sacrament of Confirmation.**

**Be with us every day
as we try to grow together in your way.**

**Strengthen us for the journey of life,
help us to use our gifts for others,
and remind us that you call us by our name to follow you.**

**We ask this through Christ our Lord.
AMEN.**



Watching the Video

As you watch this together just notice and enjoy

- Notice images
- Notice words or phrases
- Notice how you feel

Click Mute and chat
about the questions on
the next slide:



Chat about these questions and put the answers in your Confirmation Journal

Candidate Question

What type of person do you want to be in the world?

What talents can you use or learn to be the person you want to be?

Which of the 7 Gifts of the Holy Spirit are you most looking forward to receiving?

Parent Questions

Share details you can remember about your own Confirmation day...

What gift do you hope to pass on to your child?

How has the Gift of Faith helped you in life?

Feedback:

What came up for you?

What are the hopes?

What are the fears?



We are inviting you to look at the video again at home, with this question in mind:

What is my prayer to God as I move into this new stage of my life?

You can access the video from:

- Diocesan Youtube
- Can be posted in Parish Website



What to do at Home...

Closing Prayer

**God of love,
we are brothers and sisters in Jesus your Son,
one family, in the Spirit of your love.
Bless us with the joy of love.
Make us patient and kind, gentle and generous,
welcoming to those in need.
Help us to live your forgiveness and peace.**

**Protect all families with your loving care,
Especially those for our own family whom we now pray:
[We pause and remember family members and others by name].**

**Increase our faith, strengthen our hope, keep us safe in your love,
Make us always grateful for the gift of life that we share.
This we ask, through Christ our Lord. Amen.**



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