Archdiocesan Adult Confirmation Program

Archdiocese of New York Office of Adult Faith Formation, 1011 First Ave, NY, NY 10022

Resources:

-Catechism of the Catholic Church & Sacred Scripture

-Sunday Mass Readings

-Handouts created by the Archdiocesan Office of Adult Faith Formation & the Catechist

First Session Welcome / Introductions... Overview of the Program Expectations

Title: Personal Commitment to Our Lord Jesus Christ

Who is Jesus Christ and what is his Good News?

Incarnation, Ministry, Paschal Mystery, Mission, Salvation/Redemption

Second Session Title: Having a Catholic Prayer Life

What is Catholic Christian Prayer all about?

Personal and Public Prayer / Private and Communal Prayer, the Mass

Third Session Title: We are Members of Jesus' Church

Understanding what the Catholic Church is all about? Four Marks of the Church, Purpose and Meaning of the Church

Fourth Session Title: Meeting Jesus in the Sacraments

What are the Catholic Sacraments all about?

Baptism, Confirmation, Eucharist, Reconciliation, Anointing of the Sick

Holy Orders, Marriage.

Fifth Session Title: Living the Catholic Christian Moral Life

What is the Catholic Christian Way of Life all about? Principles for Catholic Morality / and Catholic Social Teaching.

Sixth Session Title: Celebrating Reconciliation

How do I celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation?

Examination of Conscience, Contrition, Confession, Absolution, Reconciliation

Seventh Session Title: Celebrating the Sacrament of Confirmation

What are we celebrating with the Sacrament of Confirmation?

Renewal of Baptism, Gifts / Fruits of the Holy Spirit, Missioned Discipleship,

Rite of Confirmation

Eighth Session Evening of Prayer & Reflection

+ Both you and your Confirmation Sponsor attend evening retreat.

+ Celebration of the Sacrament of Reconciliation during retreat.

Ninth Session Confirmation Mass with Bishop