

SHEPHERD CONFIRMATION CALENDAR—2024-2025

The Small Catechism & Other Fun Things

SEPTEMBER

FOCUS: The 10 Commandments (1-3—Love God)

- 11 Orientation—For PARENTS and YOUTH
- 18 Lesson—Youth & Parents
- 25 Small Group Time

OCTOBER

FOCUS: The 10 Commandments (4-10—Love Others)

- 2 Lesson—Youth & Parents
- 4-5 Confirmation Retreat at Gustavus
- 9 Small Group Time
- 16 Individual Project Week
- 23 9th Graders: Confirmation Service Prep/
6th-8th Graders: Presentation of Projects
- 27 Confirmation Sunday**

OCTOBER/NOVEMBER

FOCUS: The Creeds

- 30 Lesson—Youth & Parents
- 6 Small Group Time
- 13 Individual Project Week
- 20 Presentation of Projects
- 27 *Pies For Praise & Thanksgiving Eve Worship*

DECEMBER

FOCUS: Augsburg Confessions/Lutheran Confessions/Book of Concord

- 4 Lesson—Youth & Parents
- 11 Small Group Time
- 18 Christmas Party
- 25 *No Confirmation—Merry Christmas/
Happy New Year*

JANUARY

FOCUS: The Lord's Prayer

- 1 *No Confirmation—Merry Christmas/
Happy New Year*
- 8 Lesson—Youth & Parents
- 15 Small Group Time
- 22 Individual Project Week
- 29 Presentation of Projects

FEBRUARY

FOCUS: Holy Communion

- 5 Lesson—Youth & Parents
- 12 Small Group Time
- 19 Individual Project Week
- 26 Presentation of Projects

MARCH

FOCUS: Lenten Member Panels & Mentors

- 5 *Ash Wednesday Worship*
- 12 Worship, Member Panel, & Mentors
(Spring Break for: RV, WB, & Cen)
- 19 Worship, Member Panel, & Mentors
- 26 Worship, Member Panel, & Mentors
(Spring Break for: MV & St O)

APRIL

FOCUS: Holy Baptism

- 2 Worship, Member Panel, & Mentors
- 9 Worship, Member Panel, & Mentors
- 16 *No Confirmation—Holy Week*
- 23 Lesson—Youth & Parents
- 30 Small Group Time
- Spring Retreat will be in April Dates TBD*

MAY

FOCUS: Confession & Forgiveness

- 2-3 Tentative Spring World Religions Retreat
- 7 Lesson—Youth & Parents Lesson
- 14 Small Group Time
- 21 End of the Year Party