

ST. VINCENT de PAUL PARISH, MARINO

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You and your child have started the journey towards Confirmation when they will 'confirm' the decision you took at their baptism to have them become members of the Catholic Church. While a lot of the preparation for Confirmation takes place at school, in recognition of the responsibility of family and parish in handing on the faith, we also have a parish preparation programme.

Usually at this time of year we would be getting ready to welcome you all to the church to a meeting for parents and to starting the celebration of the monthly masses in the

church together. This year sadly things are a little different. As you probably know, under current restrictions we are not permitted to have public Masses BUT with the help of the parish webcam, we propose to go ahead with the celebration of the monthly Masses and we invite you and your son/daughter to join us from home. When we return to a lower level of restriction, we may be able to welcome a small number of families to the church, while the remaining families can still attend via the webcam.



In advance of the Enrolment Mass on Sun 29th Nov at 12.30pm

we plan to have a short virtual meeting for parents (on a week night in Nov). Meeting details will follow after mid-term.

Attached is the sacramental application form. Please return the completed form, a photocopy of your child's baptismal certificate and donation (€20) to the church (sacristy letterbox can be accessed any time Mon – Sun 9am – 5pm) **by Friday November 6th, at the latest.** In order for you to attend the virtual meeting it is vital that the application form is returned to the parish by this date.

If you have any questions please do not hesitate to make contact with me.

We look forward to working with you and your children throughout the coming year and, please God, to actually seeing each other in the church, sooner rather than later!

Anne Dooley.

Parish of St. Vincent de Paul, Marino

Application to Receive the Sacrament of Confirmation

(You must be a baptised Catholic in order to receive this sacrament)

Please complete form in **BLOCK CAPITALS**.

I, (name) _____ wish to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation in Marino Parish and I undertake to participate in the school and parish preparation programmes for this sacrament.

It is essential that the name that appears here is the same as on both baptismal and birth certificates.

Candidate's Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____

School: _____ Teacher's Name: _____

Date of Baptism: _____ Where Baptised? _____

*****Please supply a photocopy of your child's Baptismal Cert with this form*****

(If your child has not been baptised, please contact the Parish Priest, Fr Tom Noone as soon as possible (ph: 8332772))

Parental Consent

I/We _____ consent to my/our child receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation and I/we undertake to support my/our child in his/her preparation.

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

Parent/Guardian Name: _____

Address: _____

Email: _____ Mobile No.: _____

I/We _____ consent to the information provided being retained by the parish in connection with the celebration of Confirmation and to being contacted by the parish for this purpose.

This information will not be shared with anyone else except in the event your child was baptised in a different parish. In that case the Confirmation details will be shared with that parish to be included in their Baptism register. The information entered in the Sacramental Register is a permanent record.

We ask you, if possible, to make a donation of €20 towards the running costs of the Parish Programme.

I enclose a copy of my child's Baptismal Certificate

I enclose a donation

Please return this form, a photocopy of the baptismal cert. and donation to the sacristy of St Vincent de Paul Church, marked for the attention of Anne Dooley by

Friday 6th November *(baptismal cert. may follow at a later date if necessary).*