

# 2025-2026 YOUTH GROUP/CONFIRMATION DATES

*This year's Confirmation Class will happen during our youth group meetings (5:30-7pm).  
Each meeting will include class, some fun activity or game and having dinner together.  
The Confirmation Class of 8<sup>th</sup> & 9<sup>th</sup> graders will be joined by our other middle and high schoolers.*

Oct	5 Sun	5:30-7pm	<u>Class</u> – Old Testament Recap – How the Bible came to be. Moving on to Jesus and the Early Church.
Nov	2 Sun	5:30-7pm	<u>Class</u> – Why do we believe in God? History or Myth? Religion and/or Science? The problem of evil? What is faith good for?
Dec	7 Sun	5:30-7pm	<u>Class</u> - World Religions, Judaism, Christianity - Anglican Communion & the Episcopal Church
Dec	14 Sun	3-5 pm	<u>Christmas Cookie Bake</u>
Dec	14 Sun	5-6pm	<u>Carols by Candlelight on St. Peter's Terrace</u>
Dec	19 Fri	4-5pm	<u>Caroling at the Oaks Health Center, Denville</u>
Jan	10 Sat	TBD	<u>Diocesan Youth Pilgrimage</u> to St. John the Divine Cathedral in New York
Feb	1 Sun	4:30*- 5:30pm	<u>Class</u> – Baptism & Eucharist. (*early start time)
Feb	1 Sun	5:30-7pm	<u>Chili Making</u> for the “ <i>Souper</i> ” Bowl of Caring
Feb	18 Wed		<i>Ash Wednesday</i>
Mar	1 Sun	5:30-7pm	<u>Class</u> – The Book of Common Prayer. Practices for following the Way of Christ.
Mar	29 Sun	10:15am	<i>Palm Sunday</i>
Apr	4 Sat	7:30pm	<i>Great Vigil of Easter</i>
Apr	5 Sun	10:15am	<i>Easter Sunday Festive Holy Eucharist</i>
Apr	10 & 11	Fri 7pm- Sat 6pm	<u>DIOCESAN CONFIRMATION RETREAT</u> at Crossroads
May	3 Sun	5:30-7pm	<u>Class</u> – Confirmation & Living our Baptismal Covenant
May	9	10am	<u>CONFIRMATION SERVICE</u> – St. Mary's, Sparta