



# 2017-2018

## CONFIRMATION

## COVENANT

### STUDENT'S ROLE

- ◆ Show respect for your guide, other students, adults, and property
- ◆ Refrain from talking during large group presentation
- ◆ Bring your Bible
- ◆ Make your best effort, participate in activities, and decide to have a good attitude
- ◆ Inappropriate language or taking the name of God in vain will not be tolerated
- ◆ Use or possession of alcohol, tobacco, or any illegal substance will result in immediate contact of law enforcement and parents
- ◆ All students must sit with their guide groups for the large group presentation and move with their group to and from small group time
- ◆ Roughhousing is not acceptable
- ◆ Confidentiality is of utmost importance - what's said in your group stays in your group
- ◆ I-Pods, electronic games or any other electronic devices are not allowed at confirmation. There will be no warning given, and they will be taken until contact with your parents.
- ◆ Cell phones must **NOT** be used during confirmation. If you are caught with your cell phone on, it will be taken until your parents are contacted. There will be no warning given - this **IS** your warning!
- ◆ Attending worship and completing sermon notes are a requirement. Unfinished sermon notes carry over from year to year. All sermon notes must be completed in order to be confirmed at the end of your second year.

### Steps of enforcement by leaders and church staff

- ◆ *Verbal Warning*
- ◆ *Call to parent*
- ◆ *Parent/guide/pastor conference*
- ◆ *Parent attend confirmation with child*
- ◆ *Completion of program at home under parent's supervision*

### PARENT'S ROLE

- ◆ Know your student's schedule
- ◆ Make confirmation attendance a priority and not optional
- ◆ Be prompt in dropping them off and picking them up
- ◆ Attend worship regularly with your student and see that they complete the required sermon notes
- ◆ Make sure that a pastor is contacted if they will be absent
- ◆ Make sure your student brings their Bible to confirmation each night
- ◆ Please be of support to the pastors and mentors - they are making a big commitment to your student

### CHURCH'S ROLE

- ◆ We will be the best educators and Christian role models that we can be.
- ◆ We will partner with parents to be a positive influence in the lives of young people.
- ◆ We will strive to provide the best confirmation program possible.
- ◆ We will listen, laugh, learn, and love together to the glory of God.

I have read the confirmation handbook along with this confirmation covenant and I understand the expectations of conduct and participation

Student: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_