

Dear Parents,

First, I would like to thank you for your commitment to God and to Perry Methodist Church. Our Biblical goal in the church is to make disciples of Jesus Christ. It is in this spirit that I would like to invite your child to join us for confirmation. Confirmation is a journey toward God through Jesus Christ. This is a time where our students are presented the opportunity to journey with others as they learn more about God, God's love for us, and the church. Confirmation is an exciting time in the spiritual development of your child's life.

We will have classes throughout the year, and those classes will be divided between fall and spring semesters. During the fall your child will learn about the basics of our faith, and in the spring, they will learn about the Wesleyan way.

Our introductory class begins on September 13, 2026, in the Youth Center at 10 a.m. In addition to this letter, you will find a calendar of events for your child. *Please reserve this weekly commitment in your schedule so that your son or daughter may get the full benefit of the confirmation experience.* We will add a date in November or December to go to the Biblical History center in LaGrange. We will get that date out ASAP. **Mark your calendar for the confirmation retreat at Epworth by the Sea March 12th-14th. This retreat is important because it is the culmination of everything they have learned. We will celebrate the journey of Confirmation on Sunday, April 18th with a breakfast for your child and their family before they are confirmed during the 11 a.m. worship service.**

I am so excited to see how God works in the lives of our confirmands. Please feel free to call or email me with any questions you may have. May God bless each of you and your families!

In Christ,
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