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Dear Parents/Carers of Year 6

Please see below information from Salford Diocese regarding Confirmation.

Best wishes

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The Diocese of Salford has changed the age at which children receive the Sacrament of Confirmation to when they are in Y8. So your child is due to be Confirmed in Easter 2023.

Confirmation is the next sacramental milestone after First Holy Communion, when a person 'confirms' their faith and is strengthened by the Holy Spirit. All the preparation for this Sacrament will be organised on a local deanery level, or in your local parish. At this time, we are just contacting you to make you aware and so that you can register your interest.

So, if you and your child are interested in taking part in the preparation and receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation, please fill out and submit the attached Google Form and your parish priest will contact you with more information in the future.

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSf5V-Fk5l15fc7DnxY9v5XyjU5KWjEsVqNDSGtHxrZh232rCg/viewform?vc=0&c=0&w=1&flr=0&gxids=7628>