



TRINITY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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## Confirmation Interview Form

### PREPARING FOR THE CONFIRMATION INTERVIEW

Now that you and your child have completed the Confirmation Class, you are ready, if you so desire, to continue the process of confirmation.

If you wish to pursue confirmation for your child, your next step is to arrange for a confirmation interview with one or more of the pastors or elders, as discussed in the class.

### INFORMATION

[A separate form should be completed by each child seeking confirmation.]

**Name:**

**Birthday:**

**Parent(s):**

**Address:**

**Phone, Fax, Email ():**

**Grade in School:**

**Has this child been baptized? If so, please give church & (approximate) date.**

## **MEMBERSHIP VOWS**

NOTE: In the Confirmation Class, we discuss these vows in more *age-appropriate* terms, and we encourage the parents to do the same with their children. Pastors & Elders: Please do the same in this interview.

- Do you renounce the devil and all his works, the empty show and false values of the world, and the sinful desires of the flesh, so that you will not follow them or be led by them?
- Do you acknowledge yourself to be a sinner in the sight of God, justly deserving his displeasure, and without hope except in his sovereign mercy?
- Do you believe in the Lord Jesus Christ as the Son of God and Savior of sinners, and do you receive and rest upon him alone for salvation as he is offered in the gospel?
- Do you now resolve and promise, in humble reliance upon the grace of the Holy Spirit, that you will endeavor to live as is fitting for a follower of Christ?
- Do you promise to support the church in its worship and work to the best of your ability?
- Do you submit yourself to the government and discipline of the church, and do you promise to promote its purity and peace?

## **SOME HELPFUL CONFIRMATION INTERVIEW QUESTIONS**

- Do you sin? Against whom do you sin? How can we be forgiven?
- Who is God? What do we mean by the word “Trinity”?
- Who is Jesus? Why did Jesus die? Is he still dead today?
- What does it mean to be a follower of Christ?
- Why do you want to be confirmed (or baptized, for those not already baptized)?
- Why is Communion important?

### **TO BE COMPLETED BY INTERVIEWER(S) ONLY**

Name(s) of interviewer(s)

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

Recommended: \_\_\_\_\_ Pending: \_\_\_\_\_

#### Method of Uniting with Trinity Church

- Confirmation (previously baptized)
- Baptism upon Profession of Faith