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Confirmation candidates, parents, and sponsors:

Thank you for registering for the 2011-2012 Confirmation program. It is my honor to be a part of this special journey in your lives. I want to start out by saying congratulations in making this decision for yourselves and for your faith. This year will give you an opportunity to enjoy a retreat and provide service to others; as well as finding more about your individuality and faith relationship with God.

Enclosed is the calendar and addresses of locations for the year. For extra or misplaced calendars/addresses, please visit our website at www.saintveronica.org. Classes will be held at Nativity of the Lord parish (NOTL) in Cudahy. A brief overview of the class will be given on September 18th in the gym of the school building at NOTL. Students will be given their folders with all of the necessary information at this time.

For classes and the orientation, please use the glass breezeway entrance between the church and the school building. These doors will be the only ones unlocked for in and out access. The doors will remain open for 15 minutes after class begins, then promptly locked for security purposes, so don't be late to class. All regular classes will meet on the second floor of the school building. The first few classes will have signs designating where to go.

Confirmation candidates are required to attend retreat, complete service hours, write a letter of their intentions to the Archbishop, attend the district sessions and classes, and be present at an interview towards the end of the year. Confirmation Mass and practice have not been scheduled at this point. We are expecting notice from the Archdiocese of Milwaukee of the date, time, and location in September. As a result, the Confirmation Mass and practice will not be on this calendar. When I am made aware of these dates, candidates will be given a revised schedule in class.

I ask all parents, candidates, and sponsors to complete all that is asked of them in a timely manner. This includes all paperwork, make-up work, permission slips, service, etc. I will greatly appreciate all this effort!!! I am here to always provide you with help and service of my own.

Thank you all very much for your kindness. I pray for a great year and remember why we are all here, for God. Because of this, we must treat each other with respect and have patience for one another. In keeping with this idea, everything will fall into place and the candidates can have the wonderful experience that they deserve!!! Enjoy the rest of your summer and God bless all of you!!!

Sincerely,

Debbie Barycki
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