

# Gloria Dei Lutheran Church

## CONFIRMATION SCHEDULE 2025-2026

(Living the Faith)

1st and 3rd Sunday of Each Month. Lunch provided (11:15am-12:30pm. Bankson Hall)

Details: Lunch, then game/activity, and lesson. Lessons will also be posted on [www.mygloriadei.org/confirmation](http://www.mygloriadei.org/confirmation)

This year, the focus will be the New Testament. There are fun events and service projects scheduled also. Sermon notes are found at the back of the pews..

2 leaders: Pastor David ([pastordavid@mygloriadei.org](mailto:pastordavid@mygloriadei.org)); Paige Gulck ([youth@mygloriadei.org](mailto:youth@mygloriadei.org)); If your Confirmand is not able to attend one of the meetings below, please contact a leader. Otherwise, we will assume they will be there and prepare food and lessons for them.

This year, acolytes will be assigned, hopefully at your "normal" service time. There will be special times and holidays where we will need two for a service. If you have a conflict, please reach out and switch around. Speak with Paige about this activity.

The focus this year will be on **LIVING THE FAITH** - Sacraments, the Lord's Prayer, and the Apostles' Creed. There are also fun events and service projects scheduled that your child needs to attend.

Class in Bankson Hall begins at 11:15am and is done around 12:30pm. Lunch is provided.

**Parents Meeting - Confirmation Orientation:** Sunday, September 21 between services (Sanctuary), 9:30am. This is also "Rally Sunday" and New Member Sunday.

### October 2025

Meeting 1 - October 5 - Overview of Bible

Meeting 2 - October 18 - Confirmands and Friends - Day trip to CLU/Santa Monica Pier (Apostles' Creed)

### November 2025

Meeting 3 - November 3 - Apostles' Creed

SYNOD MIDDLE SCHOOL/CONFIRMATION GATHERING (Knott's Berry Farm) - November 14-16

### December 2025

Meeting 5 - December 7 - Martin Luther Movie - Catechism

December 14? - Sunday school Christmas program (Confirmands are usually narrators.)

### January 2026

Meeting 6 - January 4 - Sacrament of Baptism

Meeting 7 - January 18 - Service Project - Train trip to the Union Rescue Mission

### February 2026

Meeting 8/9 - February 15 - Holy Communion

### March 2026

Meeting 10 - March 1 - The Lord's Prayer

Meeting 11 - March 15 - The Lord's Prayer

### April 2026

Meeting 12 - April 19 - Christian Life: Grace/Faith/Love

### May 2026

Meeting 13 - May 3 - Final Test on Luther's Small Catechism and Party

Meeting 14 - May 17 - Rehearsal for Confirmation Sunday (8th graders paper due)

**CONFIRMATION SUNDAY** for 8th graders is on Pentecost Sunday, May 24.