



The Fruits of the Spirit

Opening Prayer



<https://youtu.be/AFlq22N9Jdc>

Confirmation ceremony practice

- ▶ Introduction of candidates
- ▶ Renewal of baptismal promises
- ▶ Anointing with sacred chrism



Introduction of Candidates

- ▶ When your name is called, please stand up.



Renewal of Baptismal Promises

- ▶ Do you reject Satan and all his works and empty promises?
- ▶ **Response: I do.**
- ▶ Do you believe in God the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth?
- ▶ **Response: I do.**
- ▶ Do you believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, who was born of the Virgin Mary, was crucified, died, and was buried, rose from the dead, and is now seated at the right hand of the Father?
- ▶ **Response: I do.**

Renewal of Baptismal Promises

- ▶ Do you believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who came upon the apostles at Pentecost and today is given to you sacramentally in confirmation?
- ▶ **Response: I do.**
- ▶ Do you believe in the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting?
- ▶ **Response: I do.**
- ▶ This is our faith. This is the faith of the Church. We are proud to profess it in Christ Jesus our Lord.
- ▶ **Response: Amen.**

Anointing with Sacred Chrism

- ▶ You and your sponsor will walk to the front of the church and stand in front of the bishop.
- ▶ Your sponsor will tell the bishop your Confirmation saint name.

The Bishop will anoint you with the sacred chrism while saying:

[Confirmation Name], be sealed with the gift of the Holy Spirit

You reply: **Amen**

Bishop will say: Peace be with you

You reply: **And with your spirit**



- ▶ You and your sponsor return to your seat and wait until the service is over.

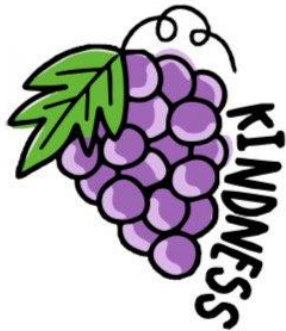
Celebration of Confirmation



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Today's topic

THE FRUIT OF THE SPIRIT



Fruits of the Spirit

How would you describe **Charity**?



Unselfish love, giving of yourself for the good of others.

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How would you describe **Joy**?



Happiness, delight, gratitude.

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How would you describe **Peace**?



Calmness, freedom from anxiety or trouble.

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How would you describe **Patience**?



The ability to wait without getting upset.

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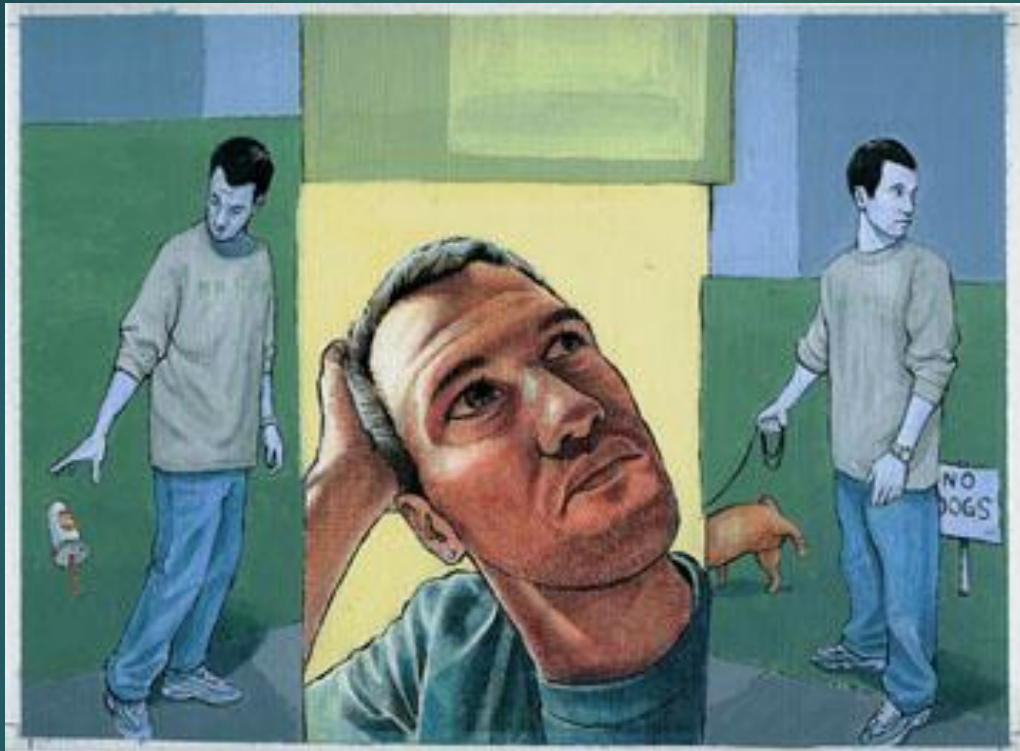
How would you describe **Kindness**?



Friendliness and considerateness.

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How would you describe **Goodness**?



The habit of choosing right over wrong.

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How would you describe **Generosity**?



Happily giving much to others.

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How would you describe **Gentleness**?



Softness, sweetness, calmness.

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How would you describe **Faithfulness**?



Keeping your word; holding to promises.

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How would you describe **Modesty**?



Humility and decency in the way
you present yourself.

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How would you describe **Self-control**?



The ability to discipline your actions and feelings.

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How would you describe **Chastity**?



Respecting your body and treating it
the way God intended you to.

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<https://youtu.be/HQClE6GuL8>

Summary



Time to Reflect



<https://youtu.be/p8TCZiy5A2A>

Closing Prayer

Holy Spirit,
make my heart open
to the Word of God,
make my heart open
to goodness,
make my heart open
to the beauty of God every day.

Pope Francis

