

## 8<sup>th</sup> grade Confirmation Calendar 2017 – 2018\*

Sun Sept 10 Orientation-students & parents in the Life Center 6 pm, 8<sup>th</sup> grade breakout at 7

Sun Sept 17 Learning Event (LE) 6 – 7:30 in Life Center: Sacrament Review

Sun Sept 24 LE: Why Does God let Bad Things Happen?

Sun Oct 1 LE/Stewardship

Sun Oct 8 Pet Blessing @ 4 pm, no LE

Sun Oct 15 LE: How do I Stop Doing things I Know I Shouldn't Do?

Sun Oct 22 LE: Luther and the 500<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Reformation

Sun Oct 29 LE: Trunk or Treat @ LW

Sun Nov 5 LE: Faith Statement Kick Off Night

Fri-Sun Nov 10 –12 Confirmation Retreat @ Lutherhill

Sun Nov 12: 8<sup>th</sup> grade off

Sun Nov 19, 26 No LE due to Thanksgiving Break

Sun Dec 3 LE/Advent

Sun Dec 10 LE: The Arts as Religious Expression *\*FS proposals due*

Sun Dec 17, 24, 31 no LE due to KISD Winter Break

Wed Dec 27: Schlitterbahn Galveston trip

Fri Jan 5: *Trip to synagogue, leave @ 6:45*

Sun Jan 7: 8<sup>th</sup> grade off

Sun Jan 14 LE: *Kindred Dinner Church, leave @ 4:45 pm*

Sat Jan 20: Progressive Dinner @ LW

Sun Jan 21 LE: Guest Speaker

Sun Jan 28: 8<sup>th</sup> grade off

Fri Feb 2 – Sat Feb 3 Human Dignity Sexuality Retreat @ Living Word (7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> graders only)

Sun Feb 4 Human Dignity Lunch

Sun Feb 4 no LE due to Super Bowl

Sun Feb 11 LE/Lent

Sun Feb 18 No LE due to KISD holiday

Sun Feb 25 LE: Can you Accept the Theory of Evolution & Still be a Christian? *\*FS rough drafts due*

Sun Mar 4 LE: Is it Okay to be Angry at God?

Sun Mar 11, 18 No LE due to KISD Spring Break

Sun Mar 25 LE: Why Should I Follow Jesus, can't I just say I Believe in Him?

Sun April 1 No LE due to Easter

Sun April 8 LE: *What does it mean to be a disciple? \*\*Faith Statement Projects Due!!!*

Sun April 15 LE: Can I be a Christian Without Going to Church?

Sun April 22: 8<sup>th</sup> grade off

Sat April 28 End of Year All Confirmation @ Main Event

Sun April 29 Celebration Lunch and Rehearsal for Milestone

Sun May 6 Confirmation Milestone Worship Celebration @ 11 am

\*additional events may be added; guest speaker date may change