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Confirmation 2026-27 Orientation

GENERAL INFORMATION

Confirmation begins **Wednesday, September 9, 2026**. Confirmation for our 8th grade students will tentatively be **May 2nd, 2027**, at the 9am service. Confirmation will meet every Wednesday from 4pm-5:00 pm unless noted on the schedule, cancelled due to weather or an unforeseen event at the time of this writing.

MATERIALS

We will use *Luther's Small Catechism with Explanation* the 2017 Edition from Concordia Publishing House. It can be purchased here:

<https://www.cph.org/p-32272-luthers-small-catechism-with-explanation-2017-edition.aspx>

For those with an iPhone, an iPad, or an Android device, CPH has an app. The free app has the basic text of the Small Catechism in multiple languages. There is an in-app purchase to have the explanation to the Small Catechism. If the confirmands intend to use the electronic version of the Small Catechism, it is NECESSARY to purchase the explanation as it is required for class.

Here is the link for the Small Catechism for Apple devices:

<https://apps.apple.com/us/app/luthers-small-catechism/id733691341>

Here is the link for the Small Catechism for Android devices:

https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=org.cph.catechism&hl=en_US

Any English Standard Version (ESV) of the Bible will work for class. I do recommend CPH's Faith Alive Student Bible:

<https://www.cph.org/p-18467-faith-alive-student-bible-esv-translation.aspx>

Not Required but Good Additional Resources (Confirmation Gifts):

Lutheran Service Book (The hymnal): [https://www.cph.org/p-98-lutheran-service-book-pew-](https://www.cph.org/p-98-lutheran-service-book-pew-edition.aspx?REName=&plk=0&Lk=0&rlk=0)

[edition.aspx?REName=&plk=0&Lk=0&rlk=0](https://www.cph.org/p-98-lutheran-service-book-pew-edition.aspx?REName=&plk=0&Lk=0&rlk=0)

Kindle Edition: https://www.amazon.com/Lutheran-Service-Book-Pew-LCMS-ebook/dp/B00W6FYNFK/ref=sr_1_2?dchild=1&keywords=lutheran+service+book&qid=1599677664&sr=8-2

The Book of Concord: <https://www.cph.org/p-2939-concordia-the-lutheran-confessions-pocket-edition.aspx>

Kindle Edition: https://www.amazon.com/Concordia-Lutheran-Confessions-Readers-Concord-ebook-dp-B07HX64NCG/dp/B07HX64NCG/ref=mt_other?_encoding=UTF8&me=&qid=1599677721