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Date: June 3, 2024
To: Pastors, deacons, DRE's and secretaries
From: Mardessa Smith, sr. executive assistant, Office of the Archbishop
Re: Spring 2025 confirmations

The scheduling of confirmations taking place between **January 2025 and July 2025** has begun. Please use this link <https://intranet.archatl.com/parish-confirmation-reservations/> to access, complete and submit your request form.

Please note that the request forms are handled on a first come first serve basis on Archbishop Hartmayer, Bishop Konzen, Bishop Shlesinger or Bishop Tran's calendar. Parishes will be notified via email with a letter confirming the date, time and respective bishop no later than Friday, July 5. The online request form will not be available after this date. If you have any questions about scheduling a confirmation, please contact me by phone, 404-920-7303, or e-mail, mwsmith@archatl.com.

POINTS TO CONSIDER:

- Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays are the most requested days for confirmation. Parishes located within the perimeter, please choose a weeknight **no later than 6 p.m.** for your confirmation if possible.
- The bishops are not available on the following dates in 2025:
 - Monday, January 6 – Friday, January 10
 - Saturday, February 1
 - Saturday, May 17
 - Monday, June 16 – Friday, June 20
- If the number of confirmation candidates is fewer than **ten (10)**, consider joining with a neighboring parish or celebrating the sacrament of confirmation every two years. If the number of candidates is more than 80, please request two liturgies.

- The fall 2025 confirmation schedule will open on Monday, January 6, 2025.
- The spring 2026 confirmation schedule will open on Monday, June 2, 2025.