



# Family of Faith

St. Philip Catholic Church Parent Catechesis



**DATE:** NOVEMBER 16, 2025    **TOPIC:** DECEMBER CONTENT - CONFIRMATION

## MEMORY *verse*

Then they laid their hands on them and they received the Holy Spirit.

- Acts 8:17

## SAINT *of the month*

ST. STEPHEN  
DECEMBER 26TH



## SACRAMENT *focus*



CONFIRMATION  
A SACRAMENT OF  
INITIATION

## KEY *points*

- Confirmation, like Baptism, places an indelible mark on our souls.
- Confirmation perfects Baptismal grace, making us full members of the Church.
- Confirmation is prefigured in the Old Testament by the anointing of priests and kings, and foretold by the prophets.
- Confirmation is instituted in the New Testament by the descent of the Holy Spirit at Pentecost.
- Confirmation increases the gifts of the Holy Spirit in us, and gives us special strength to spread and defend the Faith.

## FAITH AT *home*

- ✓ **Remember Special Liturgical Days**
  - **Nov. 30** - First Sunday of Advent
  - **Dec. 6** - St. Nicholas Day
  - **Dec. 8** - The Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception
  - **Dec. 25** - Christmas!
  - Celebrate Saint Feast Days

- ✓ **Learn memory verse & key concepts**

- ✓ **Discuss how your family will observe Advent this year**



## HELPFUL *links*

### ST. PHILIP PARENT CATECHESIS VIDEOS

[www.WholeCatholicParenting.com/  
st-philip-parent-catechesis](http://www.WholeCatholicParenting.com/st-philip-parent-catechesis)



### WHOLE CATHOLIC ADVENT DELIVERED

[https://lp.constantcontactpages.com/  
sl/nuNOFAK/halloween](https://lp.constantcontactpages.com/sl/nuNOFAK/halloween)

### HOLY HEROES ADVENT ADVENTURE

[https://lp.constantcontactpages.com/  
su/Fg0le9b/HolySpiritPrayer](https://lp.constantcontactpages.com/su/Fg0le9b/HolySpiritPrayer)



