

The Parish of St. Peter (Upper Gullies)

THE CONFIRMATION OF BAPTISMAL VOWS

7:00 PM – SUNDAY, JUNE 3, 2018

MINISTERS OF THE LITURGY

Officiant & Preacher:	The Right Reverend Cyrus Pitman
Assistant:	The Reverend Irving Letto
Organist:	Andrea Powell
Eucharistic Assistant:	Amy Anthony and Michele Young
Presenters:	Amy Anthony & Andrew Greeley
Server:	Darcy Scott
Crucifer:	Jenifer Warford
Readers:	Reagan Scott (I Samuel 3:1-10) Sarah Young (Psalm 139:1-5, 12-17) Grace DeHann (II Corinthians 4:5-12) Daniel Button (Mark 2:23-3:6)
Prayers:	Andrew Greeley
Greeters:	Kaleb Gulliver Zabrina Taylor
Banner Bearer:	Evan Dicks
Eucharistic Gifts:	Kaleb Gulliver & Family
Offertory Helpers:	Terri-Lynn Baird, Daniel Button Evan Dicks, Julie Lomholt-Farrell
Worksheets:	Kylee Holwell
PWRDF Boxes:	Zabrina Taylor
Thanksgiving:	Julie Lomholt-Farrell
Dismissal:	Sarah Young

To the Confirmation Candidates

When you were baptized water was poured over you and you were signed with the cross. These were signs that you were beginning a new life in Christ. You were anointed by the Holy Spirit. Your parents and sponsors expressed their faith and promised to guide you in that faith. Through them you promised to do what is right and to accept Jesus as your Saviour and Guide.

Today your families, friends and the members of your church gather to pray for you and to support you as you take “one more step” in your journey of life. You will *reaffirm* your baptismal covenant. The Bishop will lay his hands on your head and we will join him in praying that the Holy Spirit will strengthen you. Why?

God has given each of you special gifts. Many of these you have not discovered yet. As you discover them God wants you to use them as Jesus did to help other people. But you will be tempted to use your gifts for yourself only and for evil purposes. Some people will even encourage you to do that.

That is why you need the help of God the Holy Spirit. The Holy Spirit is like the air you breath. It is like the wind that refreshes and moves things around. It is like fire that purifies and the electrical energy that drives a motor. The Holy Spirit is the passion and love of God that inspires and strengthens us to be like Jesus in the world.

The church is there to help you, too. In the sacrament of the Holy Eucharist we encounter the presence of Jesus. He is like an invisible friend who walks by our side in good times and in bad. Come to church often and plug yourself into God every day to recharge your spiritual battery. Your family, sponsors and friends are important, too. I hope they will continue to support you in your Christian journey. Pray:

Give me courage when the world is rough,
keep me loving though the world is tough;
leap and sing in all I do, keep me traveling along with you.



Rev. Irving Letto, Interim Administrator

CONFIRMATION CANDIDATES 2018

Terri-Lynn Leah Baird

Daniel Jesse Thomas Button

Grace Allison DeHann

Evan Grant Dicks

Kaleb Rayne Gulliver

Kylee Jane Holwell

Julie Ann Lomholt-Farrell

Reagan Rebecca Scott

Zabrina Tracy Taylor

Sarah Elizabeth Young



***COME, HOLY SPIRIT,
FILL THE HEARTS OF YOUR FAITHFUL PEOPLE;
AND KINDLE IN US THE FIRE OF YOUR LOVE.***

Amy Anthony and Andrew Greeley have given a special offering of thanksgiving for the privilege of being Confirmation teachers this past year, and have dedicated the bulletin to all those being confirmed today.