



# Requirements for Confirmation Service Hours

The Confirmation Service Program is an integral part of the spiritual development of the students at St. Therese Parish. It adds the dimension of faith in action and encourages students to reach out to those in need.

Our goal is to teach compassion and understanding for others and follow the model of self-sacrifice exemplified by our Savior, Jesus Christ. It is through these life-challenging experiences that students encounter the living Christ in others. We hope to kindle a spirit of giving that will last a lifetime for young men and women.

## Requirements

- All students must earn a minimum of 7 hours of service throughout the Confirmation Program.
- Hours begin in September and end by the Confirmation Retreat in December.
- Student service hours will be designed to build a community of service.
- Projects will incorporate the life and teachings of Jesus through the Spiritual and Corporal Works of Mercy; thus building interpersonal relationships within the community.
- Service projects involving organizations such as Catholic Charities, Franciscan Mission Warehouse, Harvesters, Synergy, Gardening at St. Isidore Garden, St. Vincent de Paul work to build and foster community.
- Students will fill out a form stating the number of hours performed and receive a signature from the organization's supervisor and his or her parent. The form is online at [www.sttheresenorth.org/confirmation](http://www.sttheresenorth.org/confirmation)
- Students will fill out a new form per service project.
- All service projects must be done through a Catholic Organization. This is to help develop and foster the beauty of Catholicism for the young men and women receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation.
- Service projects will be approved at the discretion of Sam Ford.

If you have any questions, please email Sam Ford: [sford@sttheresenorth.org](mailto:sford@sttheresenorth.org)