

Review

Circle the letter of the correct answer.

- Confirmation deepens the gift of grace we first received at _____.
a. Mass b. Baptism c. Eucharist
- To _____ is to apply oil to someone as a sign that God has chosen that person for a special mission.
a. anoint b. bless c. pray
- A _____ is a Catholic who helps prepare a candidate for Confirmation.
a. godparent b. disciple c. sponsor
- There are _____ sacraments of Christian initiation.
a. two b. three c. seven

Write True or False for the following sentences. Then change the false sentences to make them true.

- _____ The Holy Spirit came upon the first disciples at Pentecost.

- _____ Laying on of hands and anointing are signs of our sponsor's presence.

- _____ In Confirmation we become more like Christ and are strengthened to be his witnesses.

- _____ During preparation for Confirmation, godparents learn about the Gift of the Holy Spirit.

Write a sentence to answer the question.

9–10. What is the importance of the sacrament of Confirmation?



Use Scripture, interviews with family or friends, parish sources, periodicals, and the Internet to make a booklet about the meaning of Confirmation. Share your booklet with your classmates or family.

We Respond in Faith

Reflect & Pray

Holy Spirit, help the Church to grow. Holy Spirit, help us all to follow Jesus Christ. Help me to



Confirmation (p. 100)

Remember

- On Pentecost the Holy Spirit came upon the first disciples.
- Laying on of hands and anointing are signs of the Holy Spirit's presence.
- In Confirmation we become more like Christ and are strengthened to be his witnesses.
- Preparation is an important part of Confirmation.

OUR CATHOLIC LIFE

Saint John Bosco

John Bosco was born into a poor family near Turin, Italy. He learned about Jesus and the gospel from his mother. He loved to share these teachings with the other children in his neighborhood. Even as a young boy, he witnessed to Christ. He learned ventriloquism so that he could put on puppet shows. He learned to juggle and to walk a tightrope. Before he began his shows, he first led the crowd in prayers and hymns. Only then would he perform for them his latest tricks!

John later became a priest who dedicated himself to helping poor children. He founded a religious order called the Salesians to help children. He also was the first to publish religious education materials for children. Saint John Bosco's feast day is January 31.

