



THE DIOCESE OF YAKIMA • PASTORAL CENTER
LA DIÓCESIS DE YAKIMA • CENTRO PASTORAL

Memo

To: Priests, Diaconate Community, Religious, Seminarians, Parish Staff

From: Rocio Regis, Administrative Associate

Date: December 10, 2021

RE: 2022 Confirmation Season and Special Events Requests

Dear Father and/or Pastoral Coordinator,

The purpose of this memo is to provide you with information as well as key deadlines regarding the 2022 Confirmation Season. We are asking each parish to verify if the proposed Confirmation date and time will work. Additionally, we are asking you to provide important details regarding the day of the Confirmation. **Monday, January 10, will be the deadline for submitting the 2022 Confirmation Form.** Receiving a prompt response will enable us to adjust and finalize the Confirmation schedule.

The Pastoral Office will send emails to the contact listed on your form acknowledging receipt of the confirmation form as well as detailed information regarding instructions for the Confirmation Mass. In the spring you will receive letters and emails reminding you of your date and *Bishop Requests for Day of Confirmation*. You will also receive Bishop's prayer card gifts in the mail.

For your reference attached is a "**Special Event Request**" form to invite the Bishop to participate in 2022 key events at your parish, such as significant anniversaries (25-year intervals), building dedications, substantial renovations, and special cultural events. Please be sure to submit the Special Events form with sufficient notice, to allow proper arrangements in the Bishop's calendar.

Please note that Confirmations take priority and will be scheduled before other events are considered. If you have any questions, please contact me at (509) 965-7117 or via email at rocio.regis@yakimadiocese.org.

Thank you for your kind attention to these details!

###

Copies to:
Office of the Bishop
Finance Office
Office of Canonical Concerns
Catholic Charities