

**FLC Confirmation Class Schedule
2011/12**

(all sessions meet in the main church sanctuary from 5:45-7:00)

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| October 5 | Introduction session. |
| October 12 | Theme Night 1 |
| October 19 | Group Guide Huddle – “Organizing for the year in a post-flood world and flooded calendars”. Also, “making a difference and taking care of basic small group needs”. This session will meet in the main church from 6:00 – 7:00 PM for all guides. <u>NO theme night presentation.</u> |
| October 26 | Halloween Carnival for grades K-6. Confirmation class kids will use this as a service project. Julie Benson will give time & task assignments to each grade. |
| November 2 | Theme Night 2 |
| November 9 | Theme Night 3 |
| November 16 | Theme Night 4 |
| November 23 | No Classes – Thanksgiving Eve Service at 7:00 PM
<i>This night features the gathering of items for local food pantries. Volunteers are needed to line the aisle and altar with bags of groceries and then take them to the parish center after the worship service.</i> |
| November 30 | Theme Night 5 |
| December 7 | Theme Night 6 |
| December 14 | Theme Night 7 |
| December 21 | <i>Christmas Recess – no classes or guide gatherings.</i> |
| December 28 | <i>New Year’s Recess – no classes or guide gatherings.</i> |

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| January 4 | Group Guide Huddle –“Sharing highs and lows of being a guide, listening to your kids when they aren’t even talking, |
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and planning for the 2nd half of the year". This session will meet in the main church from 6:00 – 7:00 PM for all guides. NO theme night presentation.

January 11 Theme Night 8

January 18 Theme Night 9

January 25 Theme Night 10

February 1 Theme Night 11

February 8 Theme Night 12

February 15 Theme Night 13

February 22 Theme Night 14

February 29 Theme Night 15

March 7 Group Guide Huddle – “*Preparing for the Spring Thaw – or “I’ve never been so nervous about Spring in my entire life!” How can we prepare to live the milestones of life with our kids, and be ready for the milestones of this coming year in our river valley?” This session will meet in the main church from 6:00 – 7:00 PM for all guides. NO theme night presentation.*

March 14 Theme Night 16

March 21 Theme Night 17

March 28 Theme Night 18

April 4 No Classes – Holy Week Recess

April 11 Theme Night 19

April 18 Theme Night 20

April 25 Theme Night 21

Sunday, April 28th - Pictures and rehearsal for 9th grade Confirmation Service. Meal to follow for students and parents. (Time TBA)

May 2 **Final Preparation for Confirmation**

Confirmation Service will take place on Sunday, May 6th at the 11:00 AM service. You must be at the church with gowns on by 10:15 at the latest.

May 9 **Closing Celebration and Family Picnic**