St. Thomas of Villanova Confirmation Calendar 2026-2027

**updated 9/2/2026*

Class Time & Attendance

- **Class Time:** Sunday 10:10–11:25 AM (2-3x per month, after 9:00 AM Mass).
- **Class Location:** STV Rosemont Harten Hall (Below the church-enter from church via stairs, elevator, or steps outside the lower lot to the Harten Hall Doors. For the safety of the building, the doors will be locked starting at 10:10.
- **Mass:** Weekly Mass attendance is required for all students-core of our Catholic faith.

Preparation Options for students

- Sunday Class with Mrs. Lauren Finore – must meet all requirements listed below.
- Camp Caritas Summer Program – plus 1x monthly requirements (highlighted in yellow).
- Catholic School Students – plus 1x monthly requirements (highlighted in yellow).

Requirements

- Camp Caritas & Catholic School: Attend the *monthly* highlighted requirements only (other classes optional-but always welcome to attend).
- Sunday Students: Attend *all* scheduled classes/events. Book provided in the fall.
- ALL students must complete the Saint Project/Presentation, submit a sponsor form, attend the retreat & confirmation practice.

SEPTEMBER

- 9/27 – Confirmation Kick-off (ALL students & parents): "Confirmation 101,"
  - Hmk Chp. 1 (pg. 16 Qs & vocab), **pick Saint name & Sponsor**

OCTOBER

- **10/4 – Class-drop off/pick up in chapel-All REP MASS 10:30**
  - Hmk Chp 2. (review Qs & vocab), work on Saint project & pick sponsor
- 10/11-Class
  - Hmk Chp. 3 (review Qs & vocab), work on Saint project & pick sponsor
- 10/18 – Class-Lead living rosary in chapel. Pickup in Chapel
  - Hmk, Chp. 4 finalize Saint Project & Sponsor forms
- 10/25 – Confirmation Speaker (ALL students & 1 parent invited)

NOVEMBER

- 11/1-Saint Project Presentations (ALL students & 1 parent):
  - *Sponsor Eligibility forms due (copies on website & folders)*
  - *Nativity Play roles assigned-Sunday students*
- 1/8-NO CLASS
- 11/15 – Class in chapel: Ch. 5 hmk (review Qs & vocab) **event in Harten Hall*
- 11/22 –Class: Nativity practice, Ch. 6 (review page & vocab)
  **Optional Turkeys to the Table service before/after class. Do not sign up DURING class.*
- 11/29-NO CLASS-Happy Thanksgiving

DECEMBER

- *12/5 (Sat) –Breakfast with Santa & poinsettia delivery sign up genius to follow (for service hrs)*
- 12/6 ***–Chapel 10:10 Pickup outside HH.*** Nativity practice in chapel 6th & 7th grade only
- 12/13-Class: Nativity practice ALL REP

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- 12/20 – Nativity Play: *Sunday* students & families (details via email)
- **12/27 & 1/3 – No Class (Christmas & New Year)**

JANUARY

- 1/10 – Class: Review of Confirmation Candidate book & diocesan questions
- 1/17-NO CLASS MLK
- 1/18 (Mon) – Optional MLK Day of Service (great for service hours)
- 1/24-VIRTUAL Assignment will be emailed. Faith in action event (TBD)
- 1/31-No Class

FEBRUARY

- 2/7 – Class: Superbowl of Confirmation Questions Family Game Show
  **for upcoming Superbowl Sunday focus on faith in sports*
- 2/14-NO CLASS
- 2/21 –Sunday students help lead 2nd Grade Sacrament Retreat in lieu of class.
  *Service log & reflection sheet due for ALL students (in person or email)
- *2/20-STV Family Skating Party 5:30-7:30 (great for service hours/community building)*
- *2/28-TBD-Sunday class if needed*

MARCH

- 3/7 – Class: Confirmation Questions Quiz
- 3/14 – Retreat at STV Chapel & Harten Hall 9-1 (Details will be emailed)
- **3/21 & 3/28-No Class (Holy Week & Easter Break)**

APRIL

- 4/4 – Mass & Practice: 10:30 AM Mass at Villanova Church followed by Confirmation practice ~1 hr (sponsor OR 1 parent required to attend)
- 4/11 – Confirmation: 2:00 PM, Villanova Church (details via email). *Arrive 1:15pm.
- No Class 4/18 & 4/25

POST-CONFIRMATION

- **5/2-All REP Closing Mass & May Procession 10:30am-11:30am – Rosemont Chapel**
  - Drop off at Harten Hall to line up with class. The newly confirmed lead procession. All students & 1 parent must attend.