

### Typical Confirmation retreat under the direction of Gilmary Center\*

<b>TIME</b>	<b>ACTIVITY</b>
9:30 to 10:00	Welcome, opening prayer, and orientation
10:00 to 10:45	Talk 1—Confirmation in the context of “sacraments of Christian initiation”: Baptism
10:45 to 11:00	Personalization assignment
11:00 to 11:45	Talk 2—Confirmation in the context of “sacraments of Christian initiation”: Eucharist
11:45 to 12:00	Personalization assignment
12:00 to 12:45	Lunch
12:45 to 1:30	Talk 3—The effects of Confirmation
1:30 to 1:45	Reflection assignment
1:55 to 2:40	Talk 3—Personal preparation for Confirmation
2:40 to 3:00	Reflection assignment - Examination of conscience
3:10	Mass or prayer service followed by departure

\*Note: This program can be modified to meet the needs and/or desires of the parish.

#### **Provided by Gilmary**

- Retreat program
- Speaker(s)
- Materials
- Lunch

#### **Parish must provide:**

- Chaperones (preferably 1 adult for every 7 children) with the following duties:
  - Always know where retreatants are and what they are doing.
  - Monitor behavior of retreatants.
  - Provide example, encouragement and assistance to retreatants.
- A priest, if Mass is to be celebrated.

Cost is \$11 per person and includes lunch. Parish will be billed following the retreat. If there are students who cannot afford the full amount, scholarships are available through Maronda Foundation.