



St. William Catholic Church
2300 Frederica Road
St. Simons Island GA 31522

Pledge of Commitment

I, _____, the Parent/Guardian of a student attending **St. Francis Xavier Catholic School**, (student's name) _____, am making a formal request to have my child receive the following Sacrament(s) at St. William Catholic Church, St. Simons Island, GA (circle all applicable):

First Reconciliation

First Holy Communion

Confirmation

I understand, in order for my child to receive the Sacrament(s) listed above, that my child must be registered at St. William, enrolled in the sacramental preparation program and begin attending sacramental preparation classes at St. William as required by the Diocese of Savannah. I pledge that:

- I will register my child for Children's Religious Education, (C.RE.ED) with St. William by September 1 (or the first day of class), to be included in the spring Sacrament of Reconciliation and Communion.
- I understand that for Reconciliation/Communion, my child must attend the program beginning in January of the same year in which the Sacrament(s) is/are to be received.
- I understand that the sacramental preparation year for Confirmation is determined by the schedule of the Bishop of Savannah and may or may not be in my child's 8th grade year at St. Francis.
- I will assist my child with the work that accompanies the program as directed by the Catechists.
- I will support my child by ensuring my child's attendance at Sunday Mass thus fulfilling the promise I made at my child's Baptism.

Please note that non-compliance with the above may result in your child being unable to make his/her Reconciliation, Holy Communion or Confirmation at St. William.

Declaration of Intent and Acknowledgement of Commitment

(This needs to be acknowledged in the first year of Sacramental preparation for all three Sacraments.)

It is my intention that my child will receive the Sacrament of (circle all applicable):

First Reconciliation

First Holy Communion

Confirmation

in the community of St. William Catholic Church. I acknowledge my responsibility to journey with him/her at home and commit to support him/her in the best way during and after preparation for this Sacrament. As parent/guardian, I recognize that the best way of accomplishing this obligation is by faithful attendance at Sunday Mass.

Parent/Guardian signature: _____

Date: _____ Email: _____

If you have any questions, please contact Nancy Power, Director of Religious Education, at St. William Catholic Church. (912) 638-2651 or PowerNancy@comcast.net