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Confirmation Registration Procedure

- Any baptised member of ELCSA 12 years and older may apply to be prepared for confirmation. The application form (to be filled out by the parent if the applicant is younger than 18 years of age) is to be filled out and handed to the congregational secretary, together with the registration fee. The secretary will hand the “Guidelines for Confirmation Class” to the applicant (or his/her parents). The date of the first confirmation class session will be announced during the service (classes usually start on the first Sunday in February).
- At least one of the parents of the applicant (if younger than 18 years of age) must be a church member in good standing (paid up membership/ pledges) with a membership card (ticket). This needs to be clarified before a child can be registered for confirmation class.
- In the case of confirmands younger than 18 years of age, parents are responsible for the regular attendance. They are informed on the procedures in case of non-compliance through the “Guidelines”. Through their signature on the application form they undertake to take all their duties as parents regarding confirmation class seriously – regarding necessary material (bible, catechism, hymnbook), regular attendance – including of parish confirmand days, etc.
- The teachers, pastor in charge and parish pastor have the last say on the readiness of each confirmand to be confirmed.
- In the case of confirmands older than 18 years (or in all cases assessed in such a way by the confirmation class teachers) the pastor in charge will be informed and have at least two sessions with these adult confirmands (for more information see “Guidelines”).

Confirmation Registration Form

Name of congregation:

Full names and surname of person applying for confirmation class

Surname: Names:

Date and place (town) of birth:

Date and place of baptism:

For persons under 18 years full names and surnames of both parents:

Mother: Cell:

e-mail:

Father: Cell:

e-mail:

Declaration by applicant (in case of children under 18 years by parent)

I have read the “Guidelines on Confirmation Class” and herewith promise to act according to the Guidelines – especially regarding attendance of classes.

Signed by (print name) on (Date)

Signature:

For office use only

(please circle the applicable term)

- Conf. Class application is approved/ approved conditionally/ not approved
- Confirmation class registration fee has been paid/ not paid
- Outstanding – up to date membership ticket of parent/ other:

Signed _____ Date: _____
_____ (Congregational Secretary)

Outstanding issues sorted

Signed _____ Date: _____
_____ (Congregational Secretary)