

Confirmation – Fall '17 – January '18

Desert Foothills UMC

(updated Aug.18 & 24, changes are shaded in gray)

Desert Foothills UMC invites all students 7th-12th grades interested in being part of a deliberate time of faith development to join *Confirmation '17*.

We recognize that the calendar and requirements for are rigorous. We believe this process is worthy of attention, effort, and commitment. We look forward to sharing in this time of learning, growing, friendship-building and fun.

Sunday, August 20

- 11:30 am -12 pm – **Confirmation** parent meeting in the Sanctuary (EI& PK)

Sunday, September 3, 2017

- 4:00-7:00 – **Confirmation Activity – Movie - *The Lion, The Witch and the Wardrobe***(EI)

Mon, Sept 4 – Labor Day

Saturday, Sept. 16, 1 pm- Sept. 17, 11:30a **Confirmation Overnight at DFUMC**

Sat - 5:00 pm – Dinner & Discussion –Parents invited

- Unit 1 - Our Journey (EI)
- Unit 2 - Our History (PK/EI)

Sunday, October 1, 2017

- 4:00-6:30 – **Confirmation – Unit 3 - Our Life Together (EI)**

Fri-Sun, Oct 6- 15 –Kyrene Fall Break

Sat-Sun, Oct 7- 15 – TUHS Fall Break

Sunday, October 15

- 4:00-6:30 – **Confirmation – Unit 4 - Our Beliefs (PK)**

Sunday, October 29 - 5th Sunday!

- 4:00-6:30 – **Confirmation – Unit 5 - Our Theology (PK)**

Friday, November 10 - Veterans Day

Fri AM - Sunday, November 10-12 - Retreat in Prescott

- **Confirmation Retreat Unit 6 - Our Faith & Calling and Faith Stories [plus] (PK & EI)**

Thur.-Sun, Nov. 23-26 – Thanksgiving weekend

Sunday, December 10

- 4:00-5:00 – **Confirmation - Spiritual Practices/A Story to Tell (EI)**
- 5:00-7:00 pm – **Youth Christmas Party**

Fri-Sun, Dec 22- Jan7 –Kyrene/ TUHS Break

Sunday, January 7, 2018

- 9:00 or 10:30 am – **Worship Services. Confirmands “Share a Prayer” w/ church.**
- 4:00-6:30 – **Confirmation – Wrap up/Faith Stories/Practice (EI/PK)**

Mon, Jan 15 – MLK Day

Sunday, January 21

- **Confirmation Sunday – Share Faith Stories, both 9 & 10:30 am services**