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**LITURGICAL PLANNING FORM FOR THE CELEBRATION OF HOLY MASS:  
 THE SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION WITHIN MASS**

(revised 2022)

Return this form two weeks in advance of the Confirmation Mass to the Office of Sacred Liturgy by mail or e-mail to [sacredliturgy@bhmdiocese.org](mailto:sacredliturgy@bhmdiocese.org). *Once the Liturgical Planning Form has been reviewed, it will be sent back with a final confirmation to the parish office. Please indicate to whom the confirmation should be emailed:*

Name & Email: \_\_\_\_\_

TODAY'S DATE (date of submission): \_

**General Information**

Parish/Place:				Liturgical Color:	
Date & Time:		Number of Concelebrants:		Number of Deacons	
Name of Concelebrant(s):					
Name of Deacon(s):					
Names of Altar Servers:					

**CELEBRATION OF HOLY MASS**

**I. Prelude and Introductory Rites**

Prelude:	<i>Enter Title/Composer</i>	
Entrance Chant:	<i>Enter Title/Composer</i>	
Optional Rite, Sundays only: Blessing, Sprinkling of Water	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Hymn during Rite:
Or Penitential Act	<input type="checkbox"/> I confess (Bishop) <input type="checkbox"/> Have mercy on us, O Lord <input type="checkbox"/> Invocations (Deacon)	<b>Indicate if these will be sung/recited:</b> Kyrie: <input type="checkbox"/> Sung   or <input type="checkbox"/> Recited Invocations: <input type="checkbox"/> Sung   or <input type="checkbox"/> Recited
The Gloria	Indicate if it will be sung/recited: <input type="checkbox"/> Sung   or <input type="checkbox"/> Recited	
Collect:	<i>From "For the Conferral of Confirmation", Page 1130</i>	

**II. Liturgy of the Word**

First Reading:	(cf. Lectionary 765) <b>Acts 1:3-8</b> <i>(You will receive the power when the Holy Spirit comes upon you and you will be my witnesses.)</i>
Responsorial Psalm:	(cf. Lectionary 766) <b>Psalm 96: 1-2a, 2b-3, 9-10a, 11-12</b> <i>R/ : Proclaim God's marvelous deeds to all the nations.</i>
Gospel Acclamation:	[Whatever would be appropriate to the local community] – (cf. Lectionary 767)

<b>Gospel:</b>	(cf. Lectionary 768) <b>John 14:23-26</b> ( <i>The Holy Spirit will teach you everything.</i> )
<b>Homily:</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Bishop <input type="checkbox"/> Other, <i>Homilist Name:</i>
<b>Prayer of Faithful:</b>	<i>From "For the Conferral of Confirmation", prayers will be provided by Office of Sacred Liturgy</i>

**III. Rite of Confirmation: PLEASE VIEW DETAILS on the INSTRUCTION SHEET!**

**IV. Liturgy of the Eucharist**

<b>Offertory Chant/Music:</b>	
<b>Prayer over Offering:</b>	<i>From "Ritual Mass Missal", page 1130</i>
<b>Sanctus, Mystery of Faith, Amen and Agnus Dei are sung:</b>	<i>Indicate Setting:</i>
<b>The Lord's Prayer: Indicate if it will be</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Sung or <input type="checkbox"/> Recited
<b>Communion Chants:</b>	<i>Enter Antiphon/Title</i>
	<i>Enter Additional Music</i>
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<b>Prayer after Communion:</b>	<i>From "Ritual Mass Missal, page 1131</i>

**V. The Concluding Rites**

<b>Recessional Hymn/Instrumental Music:</b>	<i>Enter Title/Composer</i>
<b>Postlude:</b>	<i>Enter Title/Composer</i>

**Other Additional Information**

<b>Remarks by the Pastor:</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<b>Where will the Bishop greet the congregation after Mass?</b>	<i>Indicate Location</i>
<b>Will any part of the celebration be in another language other than English?</b>	<i>Indicate Language(s)</i>
<b>Indicate if there is a meal, and/or a reception, and time of the event:</b>	<b>MEAL:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <b>TIME:</b> _____ <b>RECEPTION:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <b>TIME:</b> _____
<b>Indicate special parking instructions:</b>	
<b>Do you have any other comments?</b>	

**PASTOR'S SIGNATURE:** \_\_\_\_\_