

Confirmation / First Communion Update

Due to the Government pausing their reopening plans for the country the number permitted to attend at all masses, funerals, baptisms, and other services here in Holy Trinity will now remain at 50 people for the foreseeable future.

Many have been in contact with us in recent days seeking clarification about our celebration of the sacraments over the next four weekends. You have clearly indicated a desire that we should proceed as planned despite this very disappointing news. So, this means that for all our Confirmation and First Communion ceremonies only the Candidate and ONE adult from each family can now attend. We regret we cannot make any exceptions for additional places for any family.

For Confirmation, the Adult/Parent who attends the ceremony can represent the child's sponsor who can still be named on their Confirmation certificate.

All ceremonies will be streamed live via our webcam.

The recent increase in Covid-19 cases has clearly shown that the virus has not gone away. We don't know when or if the numbers allowed at indoor gatherings will be increased in August or indeed September. Given this uncertainty and listening to your feedback in recent days we believe it best to proceed as planned.

We appreciate your understanding in these uncertain and troubling times.

Fr. Gerry