## Confirmation Immersion: FAQ

Here are a few of the frequently asked questions about:
Confirmation Immersion July 29-Aug. 2

## Holston Camp and Conference Center: Banner Elk, NC

## - Reason for this NEW Opportunity:

- Confirmation like MPPC has done it in the past is a great program but we recognize the need for more. More faith formation, deeper education about bible stories and more time to build genuine authentic community. We are excited about time to play together, really get to know each other, dig into scriptures and build life-long relationships youth to youth and youth with adults.
- Specific times of departure and return:
- 9:30 departure from the Outreach Center. Return at 1:00 on Friday.
- What will the year look like for those attending the immersion and those going through the Confirmation class during the year?


## If you attend the Retreat:

You will still be invited to attend the $1 / 2$ day of service in September, Jubilee Shopping in November and a closing retreat in February before you join the church at the end of February. On Sunday nights, the $8^{\text {th }}$ grader can attend youth group. Youth will go through all the same lessons and activities.

## If you DO NOT attend the retreat:

Confirmation will begin the end of August and continue through February with most of the sessions on Sunday night at 5:00, almost every week.

- What other activities will they do at Camp?

Youth will do the high ropes course, swim every day, play four square, hike and do other camp activities. We will be staying in camp cabins, the girls in one cabin and the boys in another cabin.

- Who are the leaders?

We will have great camp counselors helping throughout the week but Rev. Michelle Thomas-Bush, Allison Billings and Liz Corsig will be teaching lessons.

- What does the cost cover?
\$750 not only covers the Confirmation Camp and all the expenses, but it also covers the cost of the Confirmation service retreat and the retreat in February at the end of Confirmation.

