**First Lutheran Church – Glasgow MT**

**2022-2023 Confirmation Program Covenant**

**Participants:**

I realize that in registering for Confirmation at First Lutheran, I am participating in events that represent First Lutheran Church. As a responsible member of the church of Christ, I will do everything in my power to help meaningful worship, sincere fellowship, and growth take place.

I will participate fully in the Confirmation activities. I understand that I am here to grow closer to God and to prepare myself for affirming my baptism. I also understand that while many people have worked hard at making this a fun and interesting program, I know that the program is intended to help me and is not for entertainment purposes. I also understand that a lack of interest is not an acceptable reason to not attend. If I plan on leaving early from any Confirmation event, I will have my parents notify Pastor Scott, preferably in writing.

I will follow the “golden rule” – Do onto others as they should do unto me in all things. This means I will be respectful towards other students, group leaders, guest speakers, and all others within the program. I will not use my cell phone during any Confirmation event. If my cell phone is seen, I fully understand that it will be collected until the end of the event. Respectful communication is expected. Disrespectful or profane language, gestures or comments will not be tolerated at any time. I realize that this also means no gossiping or talking while others are speaking.

I will wear clothes that are appropriate for a Christian gathering. This means that the school dress code will be the minimum standard by which I base the appropriateness of my attire.

I will refrain from using alcohol, tobacco, and/or illegal drugs.

**Parents:**

I understand that we are a volunteer organization, and we need everyone’s help in order to make it all work. I agree to help as I am able, to make the program run smoothly and be a meaningful tool in my child’s development and faith journey.

I will support the mission and goals of the First Lutheran Church confirmation program and will support the leadership team in the planning, implementing and enforcing of these guidelines and in the program itself.

I will help my child understand that the Affirmation of Baptism is their choice to make. It is, therefore, their responsibility to obtain the information they will need to make that choice. The Confirmation program at First Lutheran Church is here for them to obtain that information.

I understand that if my child needs to be sent home as a result of illness or discipline, an adult leader will attempt to contact me to arrange for such transportation.

**Confirmation Team:**

We will provide the youth with a living, Christian environment in order for them to grow spiritually, while also providing opportunities for socialization and service to Christ within the church and within the community.

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Parents/Guardians Signature \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_