



# Called

Through Baptism and Confirmation people are given the gift of the Holy Spirit and are called to respond in their lives. In this unit we will learn about the call of Samuel, David and the apostles. We will learn about the Sacrament of Confirmation and what this means to Christians. We will think about the commitment of people who respond to the call of God.

## Prayer to The Holy Spirit

Come Holy Spirit  
fill the hearts of the faithful  
and enkindle in them  
the fire of your love.  
Send forth your spirit  
and they shall be created.  
And shall renew the face of the  
earth.



Our Bishop is Bishop Paul.

## Key Knowledge

- The call of David and Samuel in the Old Testament.
- The call of the Apostles.
- The Sacrament of Confirmation.
- The baptismal promises.
- The work of the Holy Spirit in our lives.
- The ways in which we can respond to the call of God.
- The example of people who responded to God's call.
- The Trinity.

## Key Vocabulary

**Sacrament of Confirmation:** When the person being confirmed renews the promises from their Baptism and receives the gift of the Holy Spirit via the Bishop.

**Oil of Chrism:** A special oil that signifies the gift of the Holy Spirit.



**Mitre:** a special headdress worn by the Bishop.

**Sponsor:** The person who represents the community into which the person being confirmed is being welcomed into.

**Catechist:** The person who instructs the person who is being confirmed.

**Crozier:** a staff which looks like a shepherd's crook carried by the Bishop.

**Bishop:** The leader of the Christians and the Christian priests in the Diocese.



## Questions of Meaning and Purpose:

- How does it feel to be chosen?
- How do people respond to being called?