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Dear Pastor / Principal / Confirmation Coordinator,

I’m writing to invite you and your parish/school to our 8th Annual Confirmation Conference which will take place on **Saturday, March 4, and Sunday, March 5, 2017** at Christian Brothers High School in Sacramento. We expect an increase in attendance this year and in order to accommodate everyone, we will have a staggered start and end time each day. We also hope that this will help those who must travel a great distance to join us. The day is intended for all junior high and high school youth who are scheduled to receive the sacrament of Confirmation in 2017. When you register you will have a **choice of one of the following options:**

* **Saturday, March 4, 2017 from 9:00 am – 3:00 pm**
* **Saturday, March 4, 2017 from 11:00 am – 5:00 pm**
* **Sunday, March 5, 2017 from 9:00 am – 3:00 pm**
* **Sunday, March 5, 2017 from 11:00 - 5:00 pm**

**Space is limited each day and time, so be sure to register early**. Registration is open at <http://www.confirmationconference.com/>. More information and resources will be available at the beginning of January to help you prepare for Fire Up. This event is for all 7th – 12th grade youths scheduled to be confirmed in 2017. The cost for the day is $35 per person (if you register before February 3, 2017) and includes lunch and a t-shirt. You must have one screened and trained chaperone for every 10 youths**. We truly want everyone to have the opportunity to participate, please contact us if you encounter obstacles that would prevent you and your youth from attending so we might assist you to make this a reality for everyone**.

Our 2017 Fired Up Committee is planning Mass with the Bishops, keynote speakers and exciting activities for the Conference. If you would like to join the committee, please contact me ASAP. Our goal is that our young people will leave FIRED UP! If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me at (916)733-0131 or [mhaig@scd.org](mailto:mhaig@scd.org).

Blessings,



Martha Haig

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