

# Holy Communion: Biblical Doctrine; Local Practice

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## Prior to Communion (last week, our confirmation instruction). . . .

From last week: Confirmation as a rite of passage (child to warrior) ....Valid or invalid? Any connection to *Bar Mitzvah*? What is the change of status after confirmation for our youth? Is this the right age to do it? Should it be earlier, why or why not? Should it be later? Why or why not?

Is the church wrong to ask for such a vow from young people? What about those who break this vow and join another confession of the Christian faith that is at odds to the confession of the Small Catechism? (See HCVMC p. 37f)

Is there a change of status between parents, children and congregation designated by these vows? Is there a change of status between Pastor and confirmand? Should there be?

1. Comments on adult confirmation instruction/baptism/confirmation.
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
2. A Comment on "Sunday morning Christianity" and the role of the Ten Commandments, Confession/Absolution and the Lord's Supper in sanctification of the Christian on an on-going basis. Using the resources we currently have availability. (HCVMC pp. 71-76)