

NEW APOSTOLIC CHURCH DENVER FLAGSHIP AREA



Celebrating our vow

Confirmation: an act of blessing in which young New Apostolic Christians take upon themselves the vow their parents took on their behalf at their Holy Baptism and Holy Sealing. These Christians, who have reached a point of spiritual maturity, then bear full responsibility before God for everything they do or neglect to do. They commit themselves to God, in front of the congregation, with the words:

I renounce Satan and all his work and ways, and surrender myself to You, O triune God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, in belief, obedience, and the earnest resolution to remain faithful to You until my end. Amen.

The confirmation blessing happens only once, but the vow is something we strive to keep alive every day. Whether we were confirmed or baptized later in life, we all endeavor to avoid evil and diligently follow the path of the gospel. While each of us has to go on our own spiritual journey, we are not alone. The congregation and Church form a community and fellowship that supports each of us on our way. We are united by our love for the Lord, and our vow to remain faithful to Him.

Not every year do we have youth that are of age and ready to make their vow, however we still want to celebrate and remember the essence of Confirmation. On May 19th we will have a Confirmation Celebratory Service, where we can focus and reflect on this vow and the blessing that accompanies it. Let us use this opportunity, and every day, to encourage one another as we grow into a deep relationship with our Heavenly Father and prepare for the soon return of our Lord Jesus Christ by celebrating and keeping our vow.



"A significant change to our tradition..."

The New Apostolic Church has evolved it's concept of ordained ministry. It now more clearly defines and aligns spiritual ministry and leadership function. Watch the Chief Apostle's video and/or read all about it on *nac-usa.org* or *nac.today*





THRIVE – Each letter stands for something

Help spread the gospel...

Being a disciple means living and leading like Jesus, in word and deed.

How has God's plan of salvation impacted you? Share this with others!



What's coming up...

- 5/12 Mother's Day
- 5/19 Confirmation Celebratory Service
- 5/30 Ascension Day, Front Range Service with Ap. Buehner
- 6/9 Pentecost, webcasted service from Goslar, Germany
- 6/16 Father's Day
- 6/23 Front Range Children's Service, in Denver Metro
- 7/7 Divine Service for the Departed
- 7/14 Front Range Outdoor Service in Castlewood Canyon
- 7/22-26 Vacation Bible School week