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Confirmation Sponsor Certificate

Must be filled out and signed by the Sponsor and their parish priest.

The purpose of a Confirmation Sponsor is to aid the Candidate they sponsor in leading a Catholic Christian life in a manner that faithfully fulfills the obligations of the Catholic Church. To do this, they themselves must be striving to live and practice their Catholic faith in an exemplary manner. A sponsor should also be someone who will be a part of the person's life well after Confirmation.

In accepting this responsibility, I truthfully state the following:

- ☐ I am at least 16 years of age.
- ☐ I have received the Sacraments of Baptism, Eucharist and Confirmation in the Catholic Church.
- ☐ If married, I was married in the Catholic Church or I received a dispensation from the Catholic Church to be married elsewhere, (or) ☐ I have only been married once prior to becoming Catholic, to my non-Catholic spouse, (or) ☐ I am not Married and I am not living with a romantic partner or fiancé.
- ☐ I am a practicing Catholic and attend Mass regularly on all Sundays and Holy Days of Obligation and receive the Sacrament of the Holy Eucharist and Penance regularly.
- ☐ I accept the authority of the Catholic Church and all of the Church's teachings regarding faith and morals.
- ☐ I understand and accept the responsibility which I undertake as a sponsor and I promise to be an example that reflects the beliefs and teachings of the Roman Catholic Church. I am prepared to assist the Candidate to be confirmed by my support, encouragement and prayer.

I, _____, affirm that I fully meet the above eligibility requirements
(Printed name of the Sponsor)

and accept the invitation to be a sponsor at the Confirmation of _____.
(Printed name of the person to be Confirmed)

Sponsor's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Priest's Affirmation

This is to certify that the above is a registered member of this Parish in good standing and, to the best of my knowledge, is capable of assuming the duties and responsibilities of the role of Confirmation Sponsor.

Priest's Signature

Parish Seal

Parish

Date