

Confirmation Sponsor Information Sheet

Since the earliest centuries of the church, people wishing to become Christian have had sponsors—guides and mentors who guide them in the Christian faith.

In the Catholic Church today, sponsors must be:

- 1) a baptized, confirmed, and practicing Catholic
- 2) at least 16-years-old
- 3) *not* the candidate's parent or adoptive parent (grandparents and siblings are acceptable)
- 4) someone the candidate can go to for spiritual support

Sponsors need not be present for the celebration of Confirmation, but it is preferred. If a sponsor cannot participate in the Confirmation liturgy, a proxy (any Catholic Christian adult over 16) may stand in. The name of the sponsor (not the proxy) is listed on the confirmation certificate and in the parish sacramental registry.

Please provide the following information for our records:



Name of Confirmation Candidate: _____

Name of Sponsor: _____

Address of Sponsor: _____

Phone Number of Sponsor: _____ Age of Sponsor as of April 19, 2010: _____

Email Address of Sponsor: _____

Name of Sponsor's Current Parish: _____

City and State of Sponsor's Current Parish: _____

Please return this completed sheet to Ben Wolf at Holy Family or St. Robert. Ben can also be reached at bwolf@strobert.org or (414) 332-1164, ext. 3012.

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