

Candidate Sponsor Form

Qualifications of a Confirmation Sponsor

- Must have received the three sacraments of initiation: Baptism, Confirmation, Eucharist.
- A practicing Catholic.
- Should be sufficiently mature in his/her faith commitment, and actively expressing it within the Christian Community.
- May be one of the Godparents who sponsored the child at Baptism.
- May be either male or female (A girl may be sponsored by a male, and a boy by a female).
- **May not be a parent or step-parent of the Candidate for Confirmation.**
- Must present a Statement of Eligibility from the pastor of the parish where the Sponsor is an active member, **if the Sponsor is not a member of The Catholic Church of St. Mary.**

To Be Completed By Sponsor

Candidate's Name: _____

Sponsor's Name: _____

Sponsor's Relationship to Candidate: _____

Sponsor's Address and Zip Code: _____

Sponsor's Phone Number: _____ E-Mail Address: _____

Sponsor's Church (Name, Address, Zip) _____

*I have read the qualifications for sponsorship, and am readily able to commit myself to this important ministry. I understand that, if I do not belong to St. Mary's Parish, I must submit **Letter of Eligibility** from the pastor of my Parish.*

Sponsor's Signature: _____

Please return to the Religious Education Office