



CONFIRMATION SPONSOR FORM

To be selected as a sponsor of a candidate for Confirmation in the Catholic Church is a great privilege. As a sponsor you will be asked to extend, in a very personal way, our Catholic community's welcome and support. As you share this experience of exploring our Catholic faith with your candidate, you pass on the spirit of the community and God's loving presence. In accepting the invitation to be a sponsor for your candidate, you are making a commitment to help them grow in their relationship with the Lord and with the Church. This is also an opportunity for you to renew and deepen your own faith.

Candidate Name _____

Sponsor Information:

Name _____

Address _____ City _____

State _____ Zip Code _____ Phone # _____

E-mail _____

Sponsor's Relationship with Candidate _____

Name of home parish: _____

City/State: _____ (Arch) Diocese: _____

For the Sponsor:

I understand my obligation as a sponsor to be an example of a life lived in harmony and agreement with the Catholic faith and I attest that:

- I am **not the parent** of the person I would be sponsoring.
- I am at least 16 years of age, and have received the sacraments of Baptism, Holy Communion, and Confirmation in the Catholic Church.
- I attend Mass regularly on Sundays and Holy Days of Obligation.
- I support my parish by being a registered member and/or contributing to it.
- If married, I am married in the Church, or my marriage is recognized as valid. If single, I am not cohabitating with anyone.

I promise that as a sponsor, I will be a support and example in helping the person for whom I am representing the Church and all her members. I promise that through my support, encouragement, and prayer I will assist the parents in their duty as Christian mothers and fathers.

Sponsor's Signature

Date

Please return this form to St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish by January 8, 2017