

STATEMENT OF COMMITMENT

Dear Student,

Confirmation is a commitment to Jesus Christ and to the Catholic community. The decision to be confirmed is an important one. Through Confirmation, a Christian publicly states to the church that he/she is personally making the choice to continue to belong to that community of Faith.

Understanding this commitment of Confirmation, I pledge:

1. To continue to worship God publicly and privately;
2. To continue to learn about the teachings of the Church in order to best proclaim and defend them;
3. To strive to grow in personal relationship with the Church and with all Christians by seriously working to build community in all areas of life;
4. To actively engage in Christian service, realizing that I am a member of the Church, which is a servant community in which those who hunger are to be filled; the young to be educated; the homeless to receive shelter; the sick cared for; the distressed consoled; the oppressed set free – all so that men & women may more fully realize their human potential and more readily enjoy life with God, now and forever.
5. To strive to live as Jesus did.

I affirm my desire to celebrate the Sacrament of Confirmation and to be diligent in preparing for this event.

_____ Date _____
Signature of Candidate



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APPLICATION FOR CONFIRMATION

(PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY)

TODAY'S DATE _____

NAME OF STUDENT TO BE CONFIRMED: _____

HOME ADDRESS: _____

TELEPHONE _____ BIRTH DATE: _____

NAME AND ADDRESS OF THE CHURCH WHERE STUDENT WAS BAPTIZED:

EXACT DATE OF BAPTISM (month, day and year): _____

FATHER'S NAME: _____

MOTHER'S FULL MAIDEN NAME _____

SPONSOR'S NAME: _____

SPONSOR'S CHURCH _____

* SPONSOR MUST PRESENT A LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION FROM HIS/HER CHURCH
(these letters may be faxed, brought in, or mailed to our office)

CONFIRMATION NAME YOU WISH TO CHOOSE _____

PLEASE ATTACH YOUR 1 PAGE ESSAY AS TO WHY YOU HAVE CHOSEN THIS PARTICULAR SAINT

ALSO, PLEASE SIGN YOUR COMMITMENT LETTER ON BACK !