

## **CONFIRMATION SPONSOR COVENANT (Must be completed by your child's sponsor.)**

As a Confirmation sponsor, you are to encourage the faith of your candidate, be an example to your Confirmation candidate, and to reflect with the candidate on the meaning of a life of Catholic missionary discipleship. **Please take this form to the parish where you attend Mass to be signed and stamped by that parish. If you regularly attend St. Mary or Mater Christi in St. Paul VI parish, please turn in the form to the Faith Formation Office to be signed and stamped for you.**

The Code of Canon Law (Church Law) specifies the requirements for serving as a sponsor at Confirmation (Canon 893) are the same as those for godparents at Baptism (Canon 874):

- At least 16 years old, Baptized and Confirmed in the Catholic faith.
- An active Catholic: "An active Catholic is one who attends Sunday and Holy Day masses regularly and participates in the Sacramental life of the Church."
- Cannot be a parent of the candidate.
- Sponsor may be a Baptismal Godparent
- Married sponsors must be in a valid Catholic marriage.

My candidate's (student's) name is \_\_\_\_\_

I understand the requirements of being a Confirmation sponsor and I state that I received:

the **Sacrament of Baptism**

at \_\_\_\_\_ Church in  
\_\_\_\_\_ (City and State)

I received the **Sacrament of Confirmation**

at \_\_\_\_\_ Catholic Church in  
\_\_\_\_\_ (City and State)

(And if married) celebrated the **Sacrament of Marriage**

at \_\_\_\_\_ in  
\_\_\_\_\_ (City and State)

**I am active in the Catholic Church, fully initiated into the Catholic Church, regularly attend Mass on Sunday and Holy Days of obligation and strive to live my faith.**

Please print your

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

## Statement of Parish Priest

This is to certify the person named above is to the best of my knowledge a registered member of this parish. Comments:

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Priest's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Church: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Church Seal:

Please submit this form by **December 1, 2021** to:

St. Paul VI Parish Faith Formation  
40 E Burlington Rd  
Riverside, IL 60546  
708-447-6812