Confirmation Sponsor Form

To the sponsor: Congratulations on being asked to be a sponsor for the Sacrament of Confirmation. To be a sponsor there are several requirements the Church asks of you. You: **1**) must be sixteen years of age or older **2**) have received all three sacraments of initiation and lead a life in conformity with the faith **3**) are not the parent of the candidate.

COMPLETE FORM BELOW:

Name of Candidate: _____

STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE:

I understand that a sponsor for the Sacrament of Confirmation is an important choice to make regarding my final step into full communion with the Church. In choosing this person I understand he/she will be my guide during the coming year as I prepare to become a full initiated member of my Church and the Catholic faith. Therefore, I understand that I must choose a person who is practicing their Catholic faith, and who will be a good example and guide to me. **Candidate's initials:**

STATEMENT OF FAITH AND COMMITMENT AND PRACTICE BY SPONSOR:

I, _____, recognize that as a sponsor for the sacrament I am:

1) committed to keeping God's commandments as Jesus and the Church have taught me 2) worshiping God through prayer 3) faithfully attending Sunday Mass 4) striving to live my faith as a good example of service to others.

I hereby state I am : 1) a baptized, confirmed Catholic 2) a registered member of

(Name of Parish)

_Parish in_____

(City and State)

3) if married, married according to the laws of the Roman Catholic Church.

I promise to assist this candidate both before and after the reception of the Sacrament of Confirmation to live the Christian life.

Finally, I attest that all the statements above are true.

Signature of Sponsor: ______