

# Choosing a Sponsor

Your confirmation sponsor is one who will encourage your faith and be an example for living a faithful Christian life as a Catholic. Consequently, the role of sponsor is one which is taken very seriously by the Church.

The Code of Canon Law specifies the requirements for serving as a sponsor at Confirmation (Canon 893). These requirements are as follows:

- ✚ The sponsor may not be the parents of the person being confirmed
- ✚ The sponsor must be at least 16 years of age
- ✚ The sponsor must be a fully initiated Catholic, i.e have already received Baptism, Eucharist and Confirmation.
- ✚ If the sponsor is married, the marriage must be a valid Catholic marriage
- ✚ The sponsor must live a life of active faith in the Catholic Church.

Please obtain the following information from your sponsor:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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

City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Day Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Evening Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

Your Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Your Phone number: \_\_\_\_\_

