**Confirmation Sponsor Form
St. Boniface – St. James – St. John – St. Mary**

Confirmations! You are asked to be a Confirmation Sponsor!

A candidate for confirmation in the St. Boniface, St. James, St. Johns or St. Mary’s parish has informed us that you have been chosen as a Confirmation sponsor.

A Confirmation sponsor has a unique relationship in the candidate’s journey of faith. Our candidates were asked to give serious consideration to their choice of a sponsor. They were encouraged to choose a Godparent from Baptism, or another Catholic who actively practices their faith.

Please complete the information below and present this letter to your pastor to sign and then return the letter not later than February 1st.

REQUIREMENTS OF A SPONSOR:

Sponsors bring the candidates to receive the Sacrament, present them to the bishop for anointing, and will later help them to fulfill their baptismal promises faithfully under the influence of the Holy Spirit whom they have received. Sponsors are to be spiritually fit to take on this responsibility.

I HEREBY AFFIRM:

\_\_\_\_ My faith in Jesus Christ and his teaching and my fidelity to the teachings of the Catholic Church;

\_\_\_\_ I practice my Catholic faith by regularly participating in the Sunday liturgy and the sacramental life of the church;

\_\_\_\_ If married, my marriage has been celebrated in the Catholic Church;

\_\_\_\_ I have received the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist

\_\_\_\_ I am fully aware of my responsibilities as a sponsor to provide the Confirmation candidate with the proper example of active, adult membership in the Catholic Church and to encourage the candidate to follow this example;

I am a registered member of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
 (Name of Parish) (City, State)

I do, therefore, affirm that I meet all the necessary requirements to be a sponsor.

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(Sponsor Name – please print) (Confirmation candidate – please print)

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(Sponsor Signature) (Signature of pastor/pastoral associate)

Date\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_