

Confirmation Sponsor Role and Qualifications:

- 1. Cannot not be a parent of the one to be confirmed.
- 2. Must be 16 years old or older.
- 3. Must have received the sacraments of Baptism, Holy Eucharist and Confirmation.
- 4. Must lead a life of faith:
 - a. Regularly attends Mass on Sundays and Holy Days of Obligation.
 - b. Fulfills their Easter Duty of receiving the sacrament of Reconciliation at least once a year during the Easter season.
 - c. Able to validly receive the sacraments.
- 5. If married, was married in the Catholic Church and if single, is not cohabiting without the benefit and grace of Catholic marriage.

*Confirmation sponsors do NOT need to attend any meetings, classes or pre-confirmation events with the candidate. The sponsor is only required to be present on the day of the Confirmation, and must arrive with the Candidate 1 hour before the scheduled Confirmation.