

This Sponsor Form must be fully completed by the parent and sponsor, and returned to the SJCS teacher or Religious Education Director by FEBRUARY 04, 2024.

ST JUDE PARISH

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CONFIRMATION SPONSOR SELECTION AND CERTIFICATION

SELECTION OF A PROSPECTIVE SPONSOR

Each student / person seeking Confirmation must have a SPONSOR who possesses the following qualifications:

- Must be at least 16 years of age and have a personal relationship with God.
- Must be a Confirmed Catholic who participates regularly in the Lord's Day celebrations of the Holy Eucharist.
- If married, the person must be married according to the norms of the Catholic Church.
- Must be a registered member of a parish.
- Must be willing to spend time with the Confirmation candidate in order to share his / her faith with the candidate.

Church Canon Law prohibits the parents of the one being Confirmed from acting as a sponsor for their child. Parents may present their child for the Confirmation only as a proxy. It is desirable that the one who undertook the role of Godparent at Baptism be the sponsor for Confirmation.

CONFIRMATION CANDIDATES ARE TO COMPLETE THE NEXT FOUR LINES.

CONFIRMATION CANDIDATE'S FULL NAME

SAINT NAME SELECTED

QUALIFIED SPONSOR'S FULL NAME

SPONSOR'S PHONE NUMBER / EMAIL ADDRESS

QUALIFIED SPONSOR'S COMPLETE ADDRESS [STREET, CITY, STATE, ZIP]

PARISH WHERE QUALIFIED SPONSOR IS REGISTERED

PROSPECTIVE SPONSORS ARE TO TAKE THIS COMPLETED FORM TO THEIR PARISH PRIEST FOR HIS CERTIFICATION, AS NOTED BELOW.

This is to certify that _____,
to the best of my knowledge, is a registered member of this parish, a regular participant at the Lord's Day Liturgy of the Eucharist and a Roman Catholic canonically in good standing.

DATE _____

PRIEST'S SIGNATURE

(Affix Seal)

PARISH NAME & ADDRESS