

**Information for Official Record of Sacraments ~ All Saints Parish**

**Due: DEC 1, with a copy of your child's Certificate of Baptism if baptized outside of All Saints Parish**

First and last name of child (*as you would like it to be printed on the certificate*):

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Child's date of birth: \_\_\_\_\_

City and state where child was born: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of child's Baptism: \_\_\_\_\_

Church, town and state of child's Baptism: \_\_\_\_\_

Was the Baptism of the Roman Catholic Rite? \_\_\_\_\_

If not, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_

Father's name and religion: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's name, with maiden last name, and religion: \_\_\_\_\_

Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing address (if different from above): \_\_\_\_\_

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

Name the child will use for Confirmation: \_\_\_\_\_

**What is the Confirmation Name?** The Confirmation Name is the name your child is confirmed with. The Bishop strongly encourages the use of the baptismal name. Otherwise, this could be an opportunity to pick a name if wanting to use a more traditional saint name in the event that the baptismal name is less traditional. In that case, the child is encouraged to have an understanding of who that saint is and how that has meaning to the child. If the baptismal name is a saint name already, the child is encouraged to learn which saint the child has been named after. Preferably just one name is used at the time of Confirmation. The Bishop says, "**NAME**, be sealed with the gift of the Holy Spirit." (See pages 24 and 25 of the YR 2 Parent Handbook for the full Confirmation Rite.)

Name of the child's Confirmation sponsor: \_\_\_\_\_

**Who can the Sponsor be?** The sponsor is a confirmed practicing Catholic at least 16 years of age. The sponsor cannot be the parents, who are already primary in having a spiritual relationship with the child. The sponsor is someone who also has a spiritual relationship with the child and supports the parents. If this still describes the child's baptismal godparent, she/he is the best person to be the sponsor. Otherwise, this is an opportunity to select someone else. The sponsor is someone whose faith you admire. Not only is it an honor to be a sponsor but it is also a responsibility. The sponsor does not have to be the same gender as the child. There may be more than one sponsor for a child, and there may be the same sponsor for more than one child. (See page 23 of the YR 2 Parent Handbook for more information.)

Name of the parish where child's Confirmation sponsor attends Mass:

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