

SUPPORT SYSTEM

2019 Candidate / Sponsor Retreat HOMEWORK

This form must be completed and brought to your **October ONE EIGHT Night**.

Confirmation Candidate's Name (first & last): _____

Sponsor's Name (first & last): _____

DIRECTIONS: This weekend, take a few minutes to reflect on your discussions with your Sponsor and write brief answers to questions 1 & 2. Please take the time to answer question 3, but you do not need to write anything!

1. What was one thing that you learned about your sponsor during your meeting?

2. Write about one story or experience that your sponsor shared that you felt showed that he/she was truly strengthened by the Holy Spirit through Confirmation to live a life of holiness.

3. Did you make a good choice of who you asked to serve as your Confirmation sponsor? If you are not sure if you did, pray about it, talk to your parents, and feel free to talk to any of the catechists about your decision and where to go from here.

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Confirmation Patron Saint

CANDIDATES

Please share with your Sponsor the saint whom you have chosen to be your Confirmation Patron Saint.

- This Confirmation Patron Saint will be the subject of your Saint Icon Project (CFF Students will do this project for ONE EIGHT & S.E.A.S. Students will do this project with Mrs. MJ in Religion class).
- Your Confirmation Patron Saint will also be the name by which you will receive the Sacrament of Confirmation in the spring.

My Confirmation Patron Saint is: _____

Candidate Sharing:

- Tell your Sponsor a little bit about this saint that you chose (or are considering choosing) as your Confirmation Patron Saint...the saint's "story". If you still don't know what saint to choose, talk to your Sponsor and have them help you discover that.
 - ❖ If you need to, with your Sponsor look up your saint on your phone(s) <https://www.catholic.org/saints/> and read about your chosen saint together.
 - ❖ What is remarkable to YOU about this saint's "story"?
- Tell your Sponsor WHY you chose this saint to be your Confirmation Patron Saint.
 - ❖ Why/how do you feel connected to this saint?
 - ❖ Why is it important for you to have (or develop) a prayerful relationship with your chosen saint?
- How is your chosen Confirmation Patron Saint (and the Communion of Saints) an example of "living a life in Christ"? How do you intend to "live YOUR life in Christ" like the saints?