



ST. BARTHOLOMEW PARISH

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CONFIRMATION SPONSOR FORM & APPROVAL

Please print clearly and complete all applicable fields. This form is used to verify sponsor eligibility and support the candidate's preparation for the Sacrament of Confirmation.

1. ROLE & ELIGIBILITY OF THE SPONSOR

ROLE OF THE SPONSOR	ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS
A sponsor is a practicing Catholic who serves as a role model, prays for and with the candidate, helps prepare the candidate for Confirmation, and encourages continued growth in faith after Confirmation.	A sponsor must be at least 16; Baptized and Confirmed Catholic; have received the Eucharist; actively practice the faith; not be the candidate's parent; if married, be married in the Catholic Church; and be in good standing with the Church.

2. CANDIDATE & SPONSOR INFORMATION

Candidate Full Name:	Sponsor Full Legal Name:
Address:	Phone / Active Email:
Parish of Membership:	Parish of Confirmation:
Relationship to Candidate:	Sponsor Age:

DOCUMENTATION:

If Baptized in Canada, submit an updated Baptismal Certificate; it records Sacraments received (except First Holy Communion). If Baptized outside Canada, submit a Confirmation Certificate. If married, a Catholic Marriage Certificate may also be requested. Verification that the sponsor has received Confirmation is required under Canon 874 §1.

3. SPONSOR DECLARATION

☐ I meet all sponsor eligibility requirements.	☐ I participate in Sunday Mass and the Sacramental life of the Church.
☐ I have received Baptism, Eucharist, and Confirmation.	☐ If married, I was married in the Catholic Church.
☐ I am not the candidate's parent.	☐ I will support the candidate through prayer, example, and continued faith growth.
Sponsor Signature:	Date:

4. SPONSOR AFFIRMATION & REFLECTION

I affirm that I profess the Catholic faith, participate in the Sacramental life of the Church, support my parish to the best of my ability, and understand my responsibility to guide the candidate in faith.

1. How do you live your Catholic faith in daily life?

2. Why did you accept the responsibility of being a sponsor?

3. How will you support the candidate before and after Confirmation?

5. PARISH VERIFICATION (IF SPONSOR IS NOT FROM ST. BARTHOLOMEW)

Name of Parish:	City:
Signature of Pastor / Associate Pastor:	Parish Seal:

Pastor/Associate Pastor verification is not required for registered parishioners of St. Bartholomew Parish.

OFFICE USE ONLY

☐ Updated Baptismal / Confirmation documentation received	☐ Parish verification received / N.A.	Received by:
Date Received:	Reviewed by:	Remarks: