

St. John Vianney Catholic Community

REQUIREMENTS FOR BEING A CONFIRMATION SPONSOR

Sponsors are *living examples of the Catholic faith*. They are *representatives* of the Catholic Community and therefore **must** be fully initiated in the Church and living out their faith completely. They are called to be a spiritual support for the Confirmation candidate prior to and after the Confirmation ceremony. Therefore, they must fulfill the requirements listed below to serve as Sponsor.

Active, fully initiated, adult members of the Roman Catholic Church.

MUST have received the Sacraments of **Confirmation** and **Eucharist**. **No exceptions**.

Be **at least** 16 years of age.

If married, **MUST** be married in the Catholic Church. **No exceptions**.

Sponsor-candidates **must participate regularly at Mass and receive the Sacraments**. They must have a personal faith in Jesus Christ and live obediently in the values of the Gospel, as well as being a person of prayer.

PLEASE BE AWARE that **ONLY** those persons who meet the requirements of the Roman Catholic Church will be able to serve as Sponsor for Confirmation. If you are a parishioner of a parish other than St. John Vianney, please attach a letter from your pastor stating that you are a parishioner in good standing and qualified to be a sponsor.

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CATHOLIC SPONSOR INFORMATION

***Parishioners of St. John Vianney, please turn this Sponsor Form to Jan O’Neill in the Corpus Christi Center office for verification.**

****If you are a parishioner of a parish other than St. John Vianney, please attach a letter from your Pastor stating that you are a parishioner in good standing and qualified to be a sponsor.**

Return completed form with verification stamp and letter from pastor by mail to the Religious Education Office.

Candidate’s Name: _____
First Middle Last

Sponsor’s Name: _____
First Middle Last

Sponsor’s Address: _____
Street City State Zip

Sponsor’s Contact Phone Number: _____

Sponsor’s E-mail Address: _____
(E-mail address will only be used as a means of communication and to notify sponsors of upcoming events).

How long have you known the Candidate _____ Relationship: _____

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I HEREBY CERTIFY:

1. I am at least sixteen years of age: Yes _____ No _____
2. I have received the Sacraments of the Holy Eucharist and Confirmation: Yes _____ No _____
3. Are you married? Yes _____ No _____
If yes, are you married in the Catholic Church? Yes _____ No _____
4. I am an active Catholic, and regularly receive the Sacrament: Yes _____ No _____
5. I am willing to assume the responsibilities of being an example of the Catholic faith: Yes _____ No _____

Signature of Sponsor _____ Date: _____

Are you a registered parishioner of St. John Vianney Church? Yes _____ Envelope ID# _____ No _____

If not, please list current parish: _____

Name of Pastor or Pastoral Coordinator: _____