

Certificate of Sponsorship for

(Name of youth Candidate for Confirmation)

I recognize that a sponsor has a special relationship to the person who is to be confirmed. Along with the entire parish community, a sponsor serves as a model of Christian living for an individual as that person is renewed and strengthened by the power of the Holy Spirit.

With that understanding, I recognize that in order to serve as a sponsor, a person must:

- Be a Catholic who has been baptized, received the Eucharist and been confirmed, and who is currently living a sacramental life (i.e. attending Mass regularly);
- Be at least sixteen years of age;
- Lead a life of faith in harmony with the ministry they are undertaking, and have the intention of undertaking the ministry of a sponsor;
- Not be a parent of the individual to be confirmed.

I hereby accept these responsibilities and testify that I fulfill the requirements to serve in the ministry of sponsor.

Signature of Sponsor

I hereby testify that *(name of sponsor)* _____

is a registered member of *(name of parish)* _____
and affirm that he/she fulfills all the requirements to serve in the ministry of sponsor.

Parish Seal

Signature of Pastor

Date

Please return to: Holy Trinity Parish, 126 Dorsey Road, Glen Burnie, MD 21061