



saint francis of assisi catholic church

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Confirmation Godparent Affidavit

Name of person to be confirmed (print): _____

Name of godparent (sponsor) (print): _____

Godparents (sponsors) not only serve as witnesses at the ceremony of confirmation but also assist the confirmed in leading a Christian life. Therefore, Church law requires that godparents (sponsors) be people who are living the Catholic faith and meet the following qualifications (canons 872-874):

1. They should ordinarily be at least 16 years of age.
2. They must be Catholics who have received baptism, confirmation, and first Holy Communion.
3. They must lead a life in harmony with the Catholic faith (e.g., not living in an immoral situation). Fallen away Catholics may not serve as godparents (sponsors).
4. If they are married, they must be married in the Catholic Church. They may not be divorced and remarried outside of the Catholic Church.
5. Parents of the person to be confirmed may not serve as a godparent (sponsor).

I hereby declare that I am a registered member of the Catholic parish named below and that I meet the above qualifications to be a godparent for confirmation. I also promise that I intend to assist the person being confirmed in living the Christian life by being a witness to the Catholic faith and by helping him or her to lead a Christian life.

Prospective godparent's signature: _____ Date: _____

Check one:

I am a registered member of St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Church, Henderson, NV

Or

I am a member of another Catholic parish. (The form below is to be completed by that parish.)

I certify that (print) _____ is a registered member of our parish, is a practicing Catholic, and is qualified to serve as a godparent (sponsor) for the sacrament of confirmation.

Signature of pastor/delegate: _____ Date: _____

Parish name: _____

Parish Seal

City: _____ State _____