

# Sponsor Testimonial Form

## Holy Trinity Church

Religious Education Office

20 Springside Avenue  
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Dear Fr. Mizzi-Gili,

I have been asked to accept the responsibility of being a sponsor for the **Sacrament of Confirmation**.

I wish to be a sponsor for: \_\_\_\_\_ who will be receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation on Friday, September 29, 2017.

I know that, together with the parents, I am to profess the faith of the Roman Catholic Church.

In order to carry out my proper liturgical function, I understand that a sponsor needs to:

- ✠ Be a member of the Catholic Church, canonically free to carry out this role;
- ✠ Be mature enough to undertake this responsibility (Church law specifies a sponsor should be at least sixteen years old);
- ✠ Have received all three sacraments of Initiation: Baptism, Holy Eucharist and Confirmation;
- ✠ Be someone who can share with the parents the task of handing on the faith;
- ✠ Be someone *other than* the father or mother of the one to be confirmed.

**In the name of our Lord God, I do hereby declare that I fulfill all of the requirements listed above and that I am a participating Catholic. As a sponsor I will try to be an example of good Christian living and I will be regular in my Sunday worship and use of the sacrament of Reconciliation.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Sponsor's full name (please print)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Sponsor's signature

Date \_\_\_\_\_

**\*Please Note: This completed form must be returned to the Religious Education Office (address above) by: May 12, 2017.**