

Diocese of St. Augustine

Sponsor/Godparent Eligibility Form

Person Receiving
Sacrament

Full Name of Candidate _____ for ☐ Baptism ☐ Confirmation
Parish Name _____
Parish Mailing Address _____
City, State, Zip _____ Phone (____) _____
Date Sacrament(s) to be Administered: Baptism _____ Confirmation _____

From the Code of Canon Law: Sponsors for the Sacraments of Baptism and/or Confirmation must be Catholics who have been confirmed and have received the Sacrament of Eucharist. They must be free from canonical penalty and must lead a life in harmony with the faith in keeping with the function to be undertaken. (Canons # 874 & 893)

Sponsor Information

Full Name _____
Mailing Address _____
City, State, Zip _____ Phone (____) _____
Please read and check the following affirmations if they are true:
☐ I am at least 16 years of age.
☐ I have celebrated the sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, and Eucharist.
☐ I participate in Sunday Mass regularly.
☐ (If married) My marriage was celebrated according to the norms of the Catholic Church.
☐ I am not married.
☐ I understand the responsibility I am undertaking and have both the desire and intention to fulfill it faithfully.
☐ I participated in the baptismal (not required for confirmation) preparation program at Parish _____ Date _____
☐ I affirm that I meet all the necessary requirements to act as a sponsor/godparent.
☐ I am a parishioner of _____ since date _____
☐ I am not the parent of the person receiving the sacrament.

Signature of Sponsor/Godparent _____ Date _____

Sponsor's Parish

Parish Name _____
Parish Mailing Address _____
City, State, Zip _____ Phone (____) _____

To the best of my knowledge, this person is able to fulfill the responsibilities involved in sponsoring the Catholic initiation of another. ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Other (comment on reverse side)

At this parish, I serve as (circle one) Pastor, Priest, Deacon, Lay Ecclesial Minister. I am authorized to make this statement about our parishioner.

Printed Name _____

Signature _____ Date _____