

**ST. FRANCIS XAVIER PARISH, LA GRANGE**

**Confirmation Sponsor Commitment Form**

I, \_\_\_\_\_ have been asked to

sponsor \_\_\_\_\_

(Candidate's Name)

on his/her journey toward being confirmed as a Catholic Christian.

I hereby attest to being a baptized and confirmed Catholic and that I

presently worship at \_\_\_\_\_

(Name of Parish)

located at \_\_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_\_

(Address)

(City/State)

As a sponsor, I am committed to walk with and be present to

\_\_\_\_\_ as he/she journeys

(Candidate's Name)

toward full membership in the Catholic Church.

I will do this by: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Signed \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City/State \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Please return this form to: St. Francis Xavier Parish  
Attn: Deb Soulje  
124 N Spring Ave  
La Grange, IL 60525

**Please return this form BEFORE November 5, 2017.**

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## Confirmation Sponsor Information

Things you can do:

1. Ask your candidate about the Quest Speaker Events and Group Service Opportunities.
2. Encourage your candidate to be present and participate in the events.
3. Come on **Sunday, November TBD<sup>th</sup>** to a **5pm** meeting with your candidate, followed by the Rite of Enrollment at the 6pm Mass that evening.
4. Assist your candidate next March in completing his/her application for the celebration of the sacrament of Confirmation.
5. Attend the Confirmation practice in church on **Friday, April TBD<sup>th</sup>** at 7pm for the 10am Confirmation celebration and 8pm for the 2pm Confirmation celebration (candidates will be assigned to a specific time in January). Confirmation is **April TBD<sup>th</sup>** for all candidates who have met all aspects of the preparation process and have submitted the application for the celebration of the sacrament of Confirmation.
6. Pray for and with your candidate. Attend Mass together whenever possible.
7. Engage in a service opportunity with your candidate.
8. Take an active interest in the overall life of your candidate.

### Sponsor's Prayer

*Welcoming Lord, stand by me.  
Favor me with insight into hearts hungry for welcome,  
hospitality to accept and respect the gifts they bear,  
generosity to share my gifts,  
and faith to share the gift that is You.*

*Fill me with your powerful Spirit  
that I might lead, guide, sponsor and support.  
Speak your loving word to me  
and to the one I sponsor along the way.  
And when I don't know what to say, keep me quiet Lord,  
And let your Spirit do the talking.*

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*Amen.*