

Sponsor/ Candidate Confirmation Preparation Packet

Due: June 4th (Instructions included with each preparation project)

- **My Hour with Jesus Eucharist Adoration Sheet**
- **Faith in Action Packet**
- **Saint Name**
- **Certificate of Sponsorship** – Fill out the form and submit it to your parish priest for verification. If you are an IHM parishioner, fill out the form and submit it to the youth minister.
- **Sponsor Recommendation Letter** – This is your opportunity to share what you've done with the candidate during the discernment period of their preparation. This should include:
 - *Summary of each of the preparation projects. What are your thoughts and feelings of what you accomplished together both in discussion and action.
 - *Include your opinion on the candidate's readiness for the Sacrament of Confirmation.

Email: youth@ihmparish.com. Subject: Recommendation Letter for Candidate Name

The Role of the Sponsor

The sponsor represents the support and prayers of the entire Catholic Church. They shall be the Candidate's "spiritual mentor".

- A practicing Confirmed Roman Catholic (attending mass weekly, living the faith daily, walking with the Lord)
- At least 16 years old
- May be the Candidates God Parent
- Willing to pray for and with the Candidate while leading them closer to Jesus Christ and His Church
- A person who is prayerful, loving, and is comfortable sharing with the Candidate as well as supportive of the parents in raising them in the Catholic Church.