

Sponsor Certificate

Please indicate if this certificate is for a: _____ **Baptism** or _____ **Confirmation**

Canon 874: *To be admitted to the role of sponsor, a person must be a Catholic who has been confirmed and has already received the Sacrament of the most Holy Eucharist and leads a life in harmony with the faith and the role undertaken.*

Affidavit of the Sponsor

I, _____ am a registered and participating member of *St. Catherine of Siena Catholic Church in Portage, Michigan*, OR, if not a registered member of *St. Catherine of Siena Catholic Church*, please indicate:

Name of Church of membership City State

I affirm that:

- *I am at least 16 years of age.*
- *I have received the Sacraments of Initiation: Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist.*
- *I worship regularly at Mass on Sundays and Holy Days and actively participate in the life of the parish.*
- *If married, I celebrated the Sacrament of Marriage in communion with the Catholic Church.*
- *I understand the role of sacramental sponsor and will give support to the person I am sponsoring by my prayers and by the visible example of Christian daily living.*

Name of person I am going to be a Godparent/Sponsor to

Name of Church of person being Baptized or Confirmed (if not St. Catherine's) City State

Names of Parents of person being Baptized/Confirmed

Date

Godparent/Sponsor Signature

Certification by The Pastor

Date

Pastor's Signature

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