

Date of Registration: \_\_\_\_\_

**ADULT CONFIRMATION**  
**OCIA: Order of Christian Initiation**  
HOLY FAMILY CATHOLIC CHURCH

**FILL OUT THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION AS IT APPEARS ON BAPTISM CERTIFICATE**

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First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Middle Name \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ Place of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

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

**CONTACT INFORMATION**

Phone # \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

**PARENTS INFORMATION**

**FATHER**

First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Middle Name \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name \_\_\_\_\_

**MOTHER'S FULL MAIDEN NAME**

First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Middle Name \_\_\_\_\_ Maiden Name \_\_\_\_\_

**SACRAMENTS**

Have you ever been Baptized?  Yes  No (Provide a Copy of your Baptism Certificate)

Have you received first Communion ?  Yes  No (Provide a Copy of your First Communion Certificate)

Are you Married?  Yes  No Spouse's Name \_\_\_\_\_ is your Spouse baptized?

Yes  No if yes in what religion? \_\_\_\_\_. Who performed the marriage ceremony?

Catholic Priest  Protestant Minter  Notary  Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Have you been previously Married?  Yes  No

Have you ever been Divorced?  Yes  No

Was the Divorce annulled?  Yes  No

Has your Spouse been Divorced?  Yes  No

Was the Divorce annulled?  Yes  No

Are you planning to get married in the next 12 months?  Yes  No

To whom? \_\_\_\_\_ Is he/she Catholic?  Yes  No \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have any Children?  Yes  No How many? \_\_\_\_\_ Are they baptized? \_\_\_\_\_

Confirmed? \_\_\_\_\_ Which Church? \_\_\_\_\_

**For Office Use**

**Baptism Certificate: \_\_\_\_\_ First Communion : \_\_\_\_\_ Saint Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Sponsor : \_\_\_\_\_**

## OTHER

Why are you seeking Confirmation?

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How long have you been attending the catholic church? \_\_\_\_\_

What parish do you attend? \_\_\_\_\_

How often do you attend?  Always  Frequent  Occasional  Seldom  Never

## GODPARENTS INFORMATION

For the OCIA process you need a godparent/sponsor (a practicing and Confirmed Catholic) to accompany you on your faith journey.

First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Middle Name \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name \_\_\_\_\_

Catholic:  YES  NO Married Through Catholic Church?  YES  NO  Single

Confirmed  YES  NO (Sponsor must complete a Sponsor Covenant Form)

## CHOOSING A SAINT NAME

### Purpose of Choosing a Saint's Name

At Confirmation, you will receive the Holy Spirit. This marks another important step in choosing to follow God. In the Bible, conversion to follow God is often symbolized by a change of name, which is why the tradition of choosing a Saint's name at Confirmation exists.

### History

The term "Saint" was used in the early Church to refer to all Christians. Today, it specifically refers to men and women who have lived lives of extraordinary holiness and are officially recognized as Saints by the Pope, after a process of examining their lives. While anyone who dies and enters Heaven is considered a "Saint," only a select few are canonized through official declaration. We look to these individuals to intercede for us by praying to God on our behalf. It's important to remember that these people were not "superhumans." A close look at their lives reveals they experienced struggles much like our own.

### Choosing a Saint's Name

At baptism, you received a new name to symbolize your new life in Christ. Choosing a Confirmation name is an opportunity to select a name with special meaning for your journey of faith. By choosing a Saint's name, you're asking that Saint to pray for you in a special way. Having a connection to someone in Heaven is a beautiful gift! After reflecting on your Saint's life and researching them, you may decide to keep your baptismal name, or you can choose a new name. The most important part of this process is prayer—ask the Holy Spirit to guide you in your decision. Whether you choose to keep your given name or select a new one, I hope you enjoy learning how this name can help you grow closer to God.

### A Bad Reason to Choose a New Name

A bad reason to choose a Saint's name is because you dislike your current name or because you like how another name sounds.

### A Good Reason to Choose a New Name

A good reason to choose a Saint's name is because you admire the values the Saint held and want to follow their example in your own life.

Once you have chosen a saint name please let us know and we will fill this in should be turned in a month prior to the Confirmation.

Saint Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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