



## **PSR Confirmation Commitment Covenant**

A covenant is a binding of oneself in love and fidelity to another; God has bound us to himself and invites us to live out that covenant of love in our family and other communities. As a Candidate to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation in April/May of 2017, I will honestly commit to the following to the best of my ability:

- 1. Attend Sunday Eucharist (Mass) weekly, as well as on Holy Days of Obligation.
- 2. Attend all PSR classes featuring "Chosen" a Video/Book/Discussion Confirmation program, and participate in them to best of my ability. I will submit "Make up Home Session" paperwork, if absent for any reason. I am aware my attendance at class and preparedness to receive the Sacrament, will be reviewed by the catechists and DRE, and referred onto the pastor.
- 3. Select a sponsor and submit Candidate/Sponsor Information Form when due.
- 4. Choose Saint name and submit report.

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- 5. Accept more responsibility in my family, parish, school and community by putting my talents and gifts at the service of other and will complete all required Service Hours.
- 6. Attend a Confirmation retreat and receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation before my Confirmation.
- 7. Commit to daily prayer, praying especially for growth in faith, hope and love.

## Candidate Covenant:

understand that it is my choice to enter into the process of preparation for the Sacrament of Confirmation as presented.

**Parent Covenant:** I have read and understand the Confirmation Preparation process. As a fulfillment of the promise made during my child's Baptism, I will support and encourage my child in his/her commitment to the process. I will pray for my child and through my example will witness to the faith of the Church, including my obligations to the Church. I will attend one of five parent meetings (CREDOs) offered Oct., 13, Nov. 20, Jan. 24, Feb. 16, Feb. 22. Further, I will support the pastor, DRE, and catechists in their efforts to prepare my child for the Sacrament of Confirmation. I am aware that, Chosen Chapter 16 and 22 "What does it mean to say, 'I do'?" and "Why Wait?", respectively, will discuss God's plan for love and sex in Christian sexuality. I will continue to support my child in his/her journey of faith in the Catholic Church after Confirmation.

After careful reading of the Confirmation preparation material, please sign and return this Covenant as your commitment to the process by September 7<sup>th</sup>, 2016. By failing to return the Covenant by the deadline, you are saying that you are not ready to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation in the year 2017 and are choosing to delay receiving it until later in life. Two copies have been provided: please sign and return one copy and retain one for your file.

Signature of Candidate

Date

Parent(s)/Guardian(s) Signature