

The Cathedral of St. John the Baptist  
**Confirmation Registration 2017-2018**

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**Candidate's Full Name** \_\_\_\_\_  
(Name from Baptismal Certificate)

**Saint Name** \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address \_\_\_\_\_

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

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Family email \_\_\_\_\_

Father's Full Name \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's Full Name \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's Maiden Name \_\_\_\_\_

Parish where registered \_\_\_\_\_ Envelope # \_\_\_\_\_

**A copy of the candidate's baptismal certificate must accompany this form or be mailed to the parish office (Attn: Director of Religious Education)**

Candidate's Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

Candidate's Date of Baptism \_\_\_\_\_

Parish of Baptism \_\_\_\_\_

Address of Baptismal Parish \_\_\_\_\_

City of Baptismal Parish \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

**Has this candidate celebrated First Reconciliation and First Holy Communion?**

(Circle one): Yes or No

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**Sponsor Information:**

Each confirmand must choose someone to be his/her sponsor. **This person must be at least 16 years old and a practicing Catholic who has already been confirmed. Parents may not serve as sponsors for their own children.** Since Confirmation is one of the three Sacraments of Initiation begun at Baptism, the Church recommends (but does not require) that one of the baptismal Godparents serve as a Confirmation sponsor. Sponsors do not have to be the same gender as the candidate.

**Please provide a letter or certificate from the sponsor's parish certifying that he/she is eligible to serve as a Confirmation sponsor. This can be mailed to the parish office (Attn: Director of Religious Education).**

Sponsor's Name\_\_\_\_\_

Sponsor's  
Parish\_\_\_\_\_City\_\_\_\_\_State\_\_\_\_\_

*Parent Agreement Form has been attached to this Registration Form*

**Please return these forms to: Cathedral of St. John the Baptist, ATTN: Karen McLaurin, DRE, 105 Queen St., Charleston, SC 29401, or email to: [christian.formation@charlestoncathedral.com](mailto:christian.formation@charlestoncathedral.com).**

## **Parent Agreement Form Regarding Requirements for Confirmation**

The Code of Canon Law enjoins parents, and especially pastors, to see to it that each candidate is properly instructed to receive the sacrament of Confirmation. As we present the list of candidates for the Sacrament of Confirmation to Monsignor Brovey and he in turn to the Bishop, we must give witness that each candidate has indeed been instructed in all the Mysteries of the Faith and has a clear understanding of all that the Church teaches to be true, revealed by God, and necessary for salvation. In good conscience, we cannot recommend someone who is not adequately prepared.

**Because of this obligation to ensure that each candidate is properly instructed, in order for a School of Christian Formation or Charleston Catholic student to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation, there are certain basic, minimum requirements that must be agreed to by the parents.**

These are:

- Student will attend Holy Mass on all Sundays and Holy Days of Obligation throughout the year.
- ***School of Christian Formation only***: Student can miss no more than 3 classes
- All missed classwork and homework will be made up.
- Student will complete service hours (see form provided)
- Student must be able to pass a written Confirmation test (Questions and Answers provided)

Also, it is important that it be the desire of the candidate to receive the sacrament. Confirmation should not be forced. Maturity and conviction are to be expected of each candidate.

**I understand and agree to these requirements.**

Parent's signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Parent of \_\_\_\_\_