

Diocese of Elphin

Confirmation 2021

Recommendation and Commitment of Parents before Confirmation

_____ has taken his/her preparation for Confirmation seriously and genuinely wants to live as a committed Catholic.

He/she has been faithful in attending Mass regularly or participating online when restrictions do not permit us to gather for public worship and we understand that he/she will continue to need our active support and example in living as a disciple of Jesus, and we promise to do all that we can to provide that support. We are happy to recommend him / her for Confirmation.

I/we have also spoken with his/her Confirmation sponsor who understands their responsibility in acting as an example of faith and Christian living. With the help of the Holy Spirit, they confirm their commitment to carry out this responsibility to the best of their ability.

The sponsor for Confirmation should be a practising Catholic over 16 years of age. The sponsor is not normally the mother or father of the candidate but another person mature in faith chosen by the candidate, who, along with the parents or guardians, will support him/her in living as a disciple of Jesus.

Signed: _____

Parent(s) or Guardian(s) as applicable

Commitment of the Candidate for Confirmation

It is now some months since I began my preparation for Confirmation. Now, with a greater understanding of what is involved, I freely request this Sacrament so that I can have the gifts and graces that will help me to live as a Disciple of Jesus. I promise, with God's help to continue faithfully with my preparation, putting in special effort where it is needed.

The name I have chosen for my Confirmation is: _____

Signed: _____

Confirmation Candidate

The name chosen for Confirmation should be a saint's name. The reason for choosing the name is to take the saint as an example of faith and someone with whom the person confirmed can have a relationship through prayer.

Please return this form to the parish.

This form is intended to support the preparation, celebration and registration of Confirmation.

If you agree to your contact information being kept by the parish for the purposes of contacting you in the future about other parish activities, please tick here

This form will be destroyed within twelve months of the conferring of the Sacrament.