

## SPONSOR RECOMMENDATION FORM

St. Joseph the Worker  
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**PLEASE RETURN BY OCTOBER 1<sup>ST</sup>, 2019**

Name of Confirmand: \_\_\_\_\_

Dear Sponsor:

Please complete this form and present it to your pastor for his verification and the official church seal.

We at St. Joseph the Worker Church wish to comply with the requirements of the Rite of Confirmation designated by the National Conference of Catholic Bishops. It states:

Pastors will see that the sponsor chosen by a candidate is spiritually qualified for the office and satisfies these requirements:

1. That he/she is sufficiently mature for this role.
2. That he/she belongs to the Roman Catholic Church and has been initiated in the three sacraments of Baptism, Eucharist, and Confirmation.
3. He/she is at least sixteen years old and is a practicing Catholic in good standing with the Church.

I, \_\_\_\_\_, do certify that I meet all the above requirements.  
(Sponsor's name printed)

I accept my obligation to the candidate and to the Church.

Signature of Sponsor \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Pastor \_\_\_\_\_

Church \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Affix Church Seal