



EMMAUS CATHOLIC PARISH
Confirmation Application, 2017-2018

DEADLINE: December 15, 2017
 Complete package must be received by this date.

Please complete this form and return with all required documentation to the parish office.

Requirements for Confirmation Preparation at Emmaus Catholic Parish:

1. Student must be in High School and at least 14 years old.
2. The Diocese requires a minimum of 2 consecutive years faith formation prior to receiving Confirmation. Student must have recently completed at least 1 year of Religious Education either at a Catholic School or Parish, plus be currently registered and participate in the Outcry life nights program at Emmaus the year of confirmation.
3. Also attend, with a parent, three (3) Confirmation Workshops and Confirmation rehearsal during the year leading to Confirmation. Sponsors are encouraged to attend. Confirmation workshops dates are TBD.
4. Baptism Certificate provided with this application.
5. If student was **not baptized in a Catholic Church but has been baptized as a Christian**, he/she will need to provide either a copy of a baptismal certificate or a letter from the church of baptism stating their date and place of baptism. You will also need to make arrangements with Emmaus' Director of High School Youth Ministry for a short period of instruction to prepare your child to make a Profession of Faith into the Catholic Church.
6. If student **has not been baptized**, you will need to make special arrangements for their baptism prior to Confirmation. Please contact the Director of High School Youth Ministry, (512) 261-8500 x 303, or email outcry@emmausparish.org.
7. Student must attend the **Confirmation Retreat**, weekend date TBD.
8. Student must submit an **essay** on why they wish to be Confirmed and their patron saint.
9. Confirmation sponsor must complete the **Sponsor Covenant**.
10. Completed meeting of candidate and family with Youth Minister. Sign-up timeslots emailed early Fall.
- 11. Please complete the enclosed application and return with the following items. Only fully completed packages will be accepted and must be submitted no later than Dec. 15, 2017.**

- 1) Baptismal Certificate 2) Sponsor Covenant 3) Essay on why you wish to be Confirmed

Questions? Contact Joelle Maryn, Directory of High School Youth Ministry, (512) 261-8500 x 303, or email joelle.maryn@emmausparish.org.

Celebration of the Sacrament of Confirmation will be at Emmaus Catholic Parish, date is TBD.

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Registered Parishioner? Yes No Parishioner # _____ Outcry Participant? Yes No

Copy of Baptismal Certificate? Yes No Baptism Needed? Yes No

Sponsor Covenant Received? Yes No Essay Received? Yes No

Confirmation Retreat Completed or Regular Parish Ministry Participation Verified? Yes No

Enrolled for Confirmation Workshops? Yes No

Approved by: _____ Date: _____



	Last Name	First Name	Middle Name
Student's Baptismal Name			
Birth Father			
Birth Mother			

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Date: _____

Home Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Primary Phone: (____) _____ - _____ Email Address: _____

Student's Date of Birth (MM/DD/YYYY): _____

Saint Name (as it will appear on your Confirmation certificate): _____

Religious Ed.	Church Name	Phone #	Email
Year #1			
Year #2			

Emmaus References	Name	Phone #	Email
Reference #1			
Reference #2			

Check One:			
<input type="checkbox"/> Confirmation Retreat	Date:	Church Name:	Contact Name, Phone & Email:
<input type="checkbox"/> Emmaus Ministry			Contact Name, Phone & Email:

Student's Baptism: Catholic Baptism Christian (non-Catholic) Baptism Not Baptized

Baptism Date: _____ Church Name: _____ City/State: _____

Return with required documentation to:

Emmaus Catholic Parish, 1718 Lohmans Crossing, Lakeway, TX 78734, or fax to (512) 261-8200

CONFIRMATION SPONSOR COVENANT

As a Confirmation sponsor, your role is to encourage the faith of your candidate and be an “example” to your Confirmation candidate and to reflect with the candidate on the meaning of a life of Catholic discipleship.

The Code of Canon Law (Church Law) specifies the requirements for serving as a sponsor at Confirmation (Canon 893) are the same as those for godparents at Baptism (Canon 874): You may not be the parent of the person being confirmed; you must be at least 16 years old; you must be fully initiated (Baptism, Confirmation, Eucharist); if married, be in valid Catholic marriage; and live a life of active faith in the Catholic Church.

I understand the requirements of being a Confirmation sponsor and I state that I received the **Sacrament of Baptism**

at _____ Church
in _____ (City and State)

I received the **Sacrament of Confirmation**

at _____ Catholic Church
in _____ (City and State)

(If married) I celebrated the **Sacrament of Marriage**

at _____
in _____ (City and State)

My candidate's name is: _____

Name of parish and city where the **Sacrament of Confirmation** is to take place:

Parish: _____ City: _____

I am active in the Catholic Church, fully initiated into the Catholic Church, regularly attend Mass on Sunday and strive to live my faith.

Your Name (PLEASE PRINT): _____

Your Signature: _____ Date: _____

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