



## Confirmation Scavenger Hunt

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Sponsor Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Most of this scavenger hunt is for the student and sponsor to work on together, but some things involve parents. Be sure to read through the full document and contact us with any questions.

1. **Student** attends the fall retreat at the beginning of their time of preparation. **Sponsor**, be sure to pray for them as they attend and later ask about their retreat experience.  
Student's Initials: \_\_\_\_\_ Sponsor's Initials: \_\_\_\_\_
2. **Go on one "non-church" outing together** - this is more about having fun together than about formally discussing Confirmation prep, except you should review the Scavenger Hunt so you are both familiar with it. You can also use this time to plan some of the activities you'll need to accomplish.. **Students** should plan this non-church outing.  
Date of Outing: \_\_\_\_\_ and what you did: \_\_\_\_\_  
Student's Initials: \_\_\_\_\_ Sponsor's Initials: \_\_\_\_\_
3. **Attend the Confirmation Essential Meetings together (student & sponsor)** for a total of at least 4 meetings (5 are held, attend all if possible) throughout the school year. Please initial the months you attended:  
December. \_\_\_\_\_ February. \_\_\_\_\_ March \_\_\_\_\_  
April \_\_\_\_\_ May \_\_\_\_\_
4. **Go to Mass twice a month** with your sponsors (whether at St. John or another parish). Bring & use your Mass journal (these will be handed out at the first essential meeting in December)!
5. At least three times during this prep year, **you & your sponsor** hang out together for a while after Sunday Mass and discuss some component of the Mass (music, homily, etc) that you particularly enjoyed that day and why it stood out to you.  
Dates of hang out times: 1) \_\_\_\_\_ 2) \_\_\_\_\_ 3) \_\_\_\_\_  
Student's Initials: \_\_\_\_\_ Sponsor's Initials: \_\_\_\_\_
6. **Student and Parent** (at least one parent, preferably both) attend the January half-day retreat together. **Student** participates in the Rite of Welcome at the conclusion of this day  
Student's Initials: \_\_\_\_\_ Parent's Initials: \_\_\_\_\_

7. **Students** must write a letter to the Bishop requesting the sacrament of Confirmation. **Sponsor**, remind them to get this turned into the parish no later than Pentecost 2020.

Letter written: \_\_\_\_\_ Turned into parish: \_\_\_\_\_

Student's Initials: \_\_\_\_\_ Sponsor's Initials: \_\_\_\_\_

8. **Make a holy hour together** - this is a time of prayer for your Confirmation. It can be as part of a parish-wide Adoration service (offered during both Advent and Lent) or at an Adoration Chapel.

Date of Adoration: \_\_\_\_\_

Student's Initials: \_\_\_\_\_ Sponsor's Initials: \_\_\_\_\_

9. **Students** should become involved in some existing parish ministry. Examples: altar serving, Mass greeter, helping at Religious Ed/VBS, Christian Service, etc - any existing parish ministry is fine, but you must find something and get involved with on an on-going basis. Sponsors: get involved with your student, offer to drive them to/from activities, if their service involves Mass (altar serving, greeting, etc) make an effort to attend Mass when they serve. No limits here on how to support them in their parish life!

Service involved with: \_\_\_\_\_ Frequency of Service: \_\_\_\_\_

Student's Initials: \_\_\_\_\_ Sponsor's Initials: \_\_\_\_\_

**Turn in Scavenger Hunt List no later than one month before  
Confirmation Mass (Fall 2020).**

Please contact us with any questions regarding this or any component of Confirmation Preparation at:

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