



# ST. MARY HELP OF CHRISTIANS CATHOLIC CHURCH

P.O. Box 438, Aiken, South Carolina, 29802

## ELIGIBILITY CERTIFICATION FOR SPONSORS

Baptism

Confirmation

Name of the candidate for Baptism/Confirmation (please print): \_\_\_\_\_

Anticipated date of Baptism/Confirmation: \_\_\_\_\_

Church where Baptism/Confirmation will be: \_\_\_\_\_

I acknowledge that to serve as a sponsor I must meet the following criteria:

▶ I am a practicing Catholic who has been baptized, confirmed, and who is currently receiving the Sacrament of the Most Holy Eucharist. Yes  No

▶ I am at least sixteen (16) years of age. Yes  No

▶ I will undertake the ministry of a sponsor and promise to lead a life of faith in harmony with that ministry. Yes  No

▶ I affirm that I am not the parent of the child to be baptized or confirmed. Yes  No

▶ I am either married in the Catholic Church or I am single. Yes  No

▶ I am a registered member of St. Mary Help of Christians Church. Yes  No

If No: I am a registered member of \_\_\_\_\_ Catholic Church in (city/state) \_\_\_\_\_.

I recognize that sponsors have a special ministry in the sacraments of Baptism and Confirmation. I understand my responsibility to lead a Christian life and fulfill the obligations flowing from it.

***I hereby testify that I fulfill all these requirements to serve as sponsor.***

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

**This section must be properly signed and impressed with the church seal of the Sponsor's parish.**

I hereby testify that \_\_\_\_\_ is a registered member of this parish and has affirmed that he/she fulfills all of the requirements to serve as a sponsor.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Parish Priest

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

Parish Seal