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**Certificate of Sponsorship for Baptism \_\_\_ or Confirmation \_\_\_**

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

**I am a registered and have been an active parishioner here for at least three months.**

I am a Catholic who has been confirmed and who is currently receiving the Sacrament of the Eucharist. Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_

I am at least sixteen years of age. (An exception may be made by the pastor for just cause.) 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\_\_\_

If married, I was married in accordance with the requirements of the Roman Catholic Church? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_

If therefore, you seek to be admitted as a sponsor and are convinced that you qualify in accord with the conditions listed above, kindly make the following solemn affirmation:

I, (print full name) \_\_\_\_\_, a practicing Catholic who seek to be admitted as a sponsor, solemnly affirm that I fulfill the requirements of the Catholic Church for this role as presented above. I intend, with the grace of God, to continue the practice of my Catholic faith, and I will, to the best of my ability, carry out the obligations of my role as sponsor.

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

Name of candidate for Baptism or Confirmation: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Baptism/Confirmation: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of church where the Baptism/Confirmation will take place: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip code: \_\_\_\_\_

(Office Use)

I hereby testify that \_\_\_\_\_ is a registered member of The Basilica of the Sacred Heart of Jesus and has affirmed that he/she fulfills all of the requirements to serve as a sponsor.

Signature of Parish Priest/Deacon \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

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