Confirmation Sponsorship Questionnaire

Name of Confirmation Candidate: _____

Name of person to be a sponsor: _____

Address: _____City_____State____Zip____

Telephone: _____/ **Email** _____

Being a sponsor for confirmation is more than an honorary title. For one who assumes the responsibility, the role of a sponsor means that you are living and practicing your Catholic faith by word and example. You are the kind of Catholic you hope the one you are sponsoring will imitate. Please consider carefully the following questions. If you are able to answer *yes* to the following questions then you are eligible to act as a sponsor. If you are unable to act as a sponsor at this time you may want to speak to your parish priest either to clarify or rectify what might be a wounded area of your Catholic identity. The rite of confirmation is a special time in the life of the person who has asked you to be a sponsor. You are the person to whom the candidate will look as a model. Are you able to say, *Yes*?

REQUIREMENTS FOR SPONSORSHIP:

1. Are you a practicing Catholic who regularly attends Mass and receives the Sacrament? _____
2. If you are married, have you been married according to the teachings of the Catholic Church? _____
3. Have you received the Sacraments of Baptism, First Communion and Confirmation? _____

Note: If you are **not** a member of Transfiguration of the Lord Parish, it will be necessary for you to obtain a sponsor's certificate from your Pastor at your church.

Statement of Intention:

I affirm that I am able to act as a sponsor for _____
at their Confirmation. I am aware of the responsibilities I am asked to assume. In good conscience I can answer YES to each of the questions concerning sponsorship eligibility.

Signature of sponsor: _____

Signature of Priest: _____

Parish: _____

(Please affix church seal here)

Please return to: Faith Formation Office 14 Park Street, North Attleboro, MA   02760