**Godparent/Sponsor Statement of Faith**

Godparent/Sponsor Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Parish Name of Godparent/Sponsor: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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

 Street Address City, State, Zip

I have been asked to be a godparent/sponsor for (child’s name): \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Child of (parents’ names): \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Parish Name of Baptized/Confirmed: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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

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*My signature below indicates that the following statements are true:*

* I believe and accept the teachings of the Roman Catholic Church.
* I have sufficient maturity for this responsibility and I have the intention of performing this role.
* I have received the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, and Holy Eucharist in the Roman Catholic Church.
* If married, I celebrated the Sacrament of Matrimony in accord with the Roman Catholic Church at \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Church in (city, state) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
* I participate at Mass regularly on Sundays and Holy Days of Obligation.
* I support and participate in parish life with my time and talent.
* I receive the Sacrament s of Penance and Holy Communion regularly.
* I lead a life in harmony with the faith I profess and the role to be undertaken.
* I am not the father or mother of the person being baptized or confirmed.
* I am over sixteen years of age.

My responsibility as a Godparent/Sponsor is to help the Baptized/Confirmed person and his/her parents fulfill faithfully the obligations connected with leading a Catholic life.\* I am ready to help the newly Baptized/Confirmed on the road of Christian life. I understand and accept the responsibility that I undertake as a Godparent/Sponsor, and I swear by my signature that I am attesting to the truth of these statements.

**Signature of Godparent/Sponsor:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

The above-named person is a registered member of this parish, and is, to the best of my knowledge, a fully initiated Catholic in good standing with the Church and in the practice of the Catholic Faith and is competent to accept the responsibility of sacramental sponsorship.

 \*Code of Canon Law (CIC) 872, 874

 \*Catechism of the Catholic Church (CCC) 1255