



## St. Frances Cabrini Catholic Church

12001 69<sup>th</sup> St E, Parrish, FL 34219

### Certificate of Eligibility for Sacramental Sponsorship

Name of Candidate:

#### Eligibility Requirements for Baptism and or Confirmation Sponsors

**Please read the following carefully:** The Church asks certain requirements of those who aspire to be Sponsor for Baptism and/or Confirmation. In accordance to Church Law, canons 872, 874, 892, and 893, to be a sponsor for Baptism and/or Confirmation, the person must:

1. Be a person suitable for this role, selected by the candidate or family and having the intention of fulfilling the responsibility.
2. Be at least 16 years of age, Baptized and Confirmed in the faith.
3. Be a Catholic who lives his/her faith, with weekly attendance at Mass, reception of the Eucharist and Penance on a regular basis and is a suitable person for this responsibility as a sponsor.
4. Not be a parent of the one to be confirmed. (May act as proxy for one who cannot attend.)
5. Be in conformity with all laws of the Church concerning marriage.

#### Sponsor Information

Sponsor's Name:

*First Name*

*Last Name*

Sponsor's Date of Birth

Sponsor's Address

City

State

Zip

Phone

Email

**Please read the following carefully,** initial next to each box to confirm eligibility requirements, and sign below:

- ☐ I am a baptized and confirmed Catholic 16 years or older. I believe in Jesus Christ and the Catholic Church. I am striving to live the Gospel message in my daily life by setting a good example to others.
- ☐ I weekly attend Sunday Mass and receive Holy Communion. I regularly approach the Sacrament of Penance (Confession).
- ☐ I understand the responsibility I am undertaking, and I will do all in my power to assist the Catholic development of the person I intend to sponsor by the Catholic example of my own life, by my sincere prayers for him/her, and by fostering his/her continued growth in living and learning the Catholic Faith.
- ☐ I am not a parent of the Confirmation Candidate, and I am Single ☐ Married ☐
- ☐ If married, I am validly married in the Catholic Church and/or my marriage has been convalidated (blessed by the Church).

#### Parish Information

I am registered at the following parish:

Parish Address:

City

State

Sponsor Signature

Date

Printed Name of Priest from registered parish

Priest Signature

Date