

## **LETTER TO THE PASTOR REQUESTING THE SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION**

### **CONFIRMATION YEAR TWO**

**DUE: FEB. 24, 2026**

You are free to respond to God's call to live your faith more deeply- to worship, witness and serve as a confirmed Catholic. On a separate piece of paper, write a letter to the Pastor (Fr. Matthew DeGance) indicating your desire to be confirmed. Please write in orderly and in complete sentences. It may be handwritten or typed. (as long as it is legible) Please follow the guideline below to formulate your letter.

#### **GREETING**

Begin your letter with a greeting: Dear Fr. DeGance

#### **BODY OF LETTER**

Paragraph 1: Introduce yourself. Tell something about you and your family.

Paragraph 2: Ask for the Sacrament of Confirmation. Give several reasons why you would like to be confirmed.

Paragraph 3: Explain how you have prepared for the Sacrament. It is important that you talk about specific parts of your preparation: your life of prayer, celebration of other Sacraments (reconciliation/eucharist) the retreat, your service work.

Paragraph 4: Who is your Sponsor and why did you choose them? What Saints name did you choose and why?

Paragraph 5: How would you describe your relationship with God at this time? How will you remain active in the church after Confirmation? (becoming a lector, EM, Youth group leader?)