

CONFIRMATION SAINT REPORT & LETTER

- I. Chose the saint that you will take as your Confirmation Name. Your saint report must be at least one page (500 words) long and include **at a minimum** the following items:
 - A. Name of saint
 - B. When and where was the saint born?
 - C. When is the saint's feast day?
 - D. What were the circumstances of his/her life that made him/her a saint?
 - E. Why did you choose this saint? What do you admire about this saint? In what ways will you change to be more like this saint?

- II. You may use your Baptismal name for your Confirmation name if you were named after a saint.

- III. When choosing your saint, follow these guidelines:
 - A. Choose a saint that you want to be like. Maybe he or she had the same struggles that you have and had a way of working through those struggles that you admire and want to emulate.
 - B. You may want to ask your parents for which saint you were named and look up that saint. See if your life reflects your namesake.
 - C. Saints were ordinary people like you and me who strove to do God's will. Mother Teresa put it this way when a TV interviewer said this to her: "What are you trying to do, become a saint?" Mother Teresa responded, "Yes, shouldn't we all strive for that?"

- IV. Your letter to Father Max should be at least one page (500 words) long and answer the following questions:
 - A. What does Confirmation mean to you?
 - B. Why do you want to be confirmed?
 - C. How will Confirmation effect or change your life?

- V. Final details:
 - A. **Your report and letter to Father Max are due by December 14, 2017 NO EXCEPTIONS.** You are welcome to turn them in prior to this date.
 - B. Letter and report are to be typed. If you do not have access to a computer, you may PRINT them, legibly, on lined paper. Not following these guidelines will result in your report/letter being rejected.
 - C. Proofread for correct spelling and grammar.
 - D. Cite your sources for your report.
 - E. See your teacher if you have any questions.