

LETTER OF REQUEST TO RECEIVE **CONFIRMATION**

Candidates must write a formal letter to The Church of the Nativity's Pastor, Reverend Christopher Picollo (Father Chris), indicating one's wish to prepare for the sacrament of Confirmation. This letter lets Father Chris know you are ready to make the commitment to begin the preparation process.

Please take time to think what Confirmation truly means to you, and how you will commit yourself to taking this important step in your growth as a Catholic and a member of the parish family.

The following should be included in your letter. In your own words:

- Request to be considered as a Confirmation candidate
- Why you believe you are ready to be confirmed
- What the sacrament of Confirmation means to you
- Your commitment to fulfilling Nativity's Confirmation requirements including: completing RE assignments; participating in scheduled activities; and practicing and growing your faith through Mass attendance and receiving Reconciliation and the Eucharist
- Your confirmation name, and why you chose to honor this saint.
- The name of your sponsor, and why you chose this sponsor
- The role you foresee for yourself in the parish; what will you bring to the parish community. You can write about your service project.

Typing your letter is preferable, but you may hand write it if you wish. Please put your name and date at the top of your letter.

Please sign your letter. Your letter MUST have a parent's signature as well.