



CONFIRMATION CANDIDATE LETTER TO THE BISHOP

- Letter should be addressed “Dear Bishop”
- Opening paragraph should introduce yourself to the Bishop, state that you are a Candidate for Confirmation and then tell a little bit about yourself: *the Church you belong to, the school you go to, the community you live in*
- The next few paragraphs should talk about your Journey to Confirmation: *your formation sessions, your life experiences, the retreat, the food drive*
- Select one of the Seven Gifts of the Holy Spirit and explain how you will be a “Witness to Christ” using that gift
- Ask to be confirmed:
Based on my journey this past year, I feel that I am ready to be sealed with the Gifts of the Holy Spirit and accept the new and more challenging responsibilities that come with this Sacrament. I respectfully request to be Confirmed on _____.
- Sign your name

There is no minimum requirement for this letter. Please remember that the Bishop has never met you and the more you can tell him about your faith journey the better.

THIS LETTER IS DUE : _____