

# Our Lady of Guadalupe Church

## SPONSOR APPLICATION FORM

2016-2017

NAME OF CANDIDATE \_\_\_\_\_

FIRST

MIDDLE

LAST

SPONSOR'S NAME \_\_\_\_\_

FIRST

MIDDLE

LAST

SPONSOR'S ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY \_\_\_\_\_ STATE \_\_\_\_\_ ZIPCODE \_\_\_\_\_

SPONSOR'S PHONE # \_\_\_\_\_

SPONSOR'S E-MAIL ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

I am a practicing Catholic in both word and deed (action):  Yes  No

I am a fully initiated Catholic (I have received the Sacraments of Baptism, Eucharist and Confirmation)

Yes  No

I am  single  married  divorced  widowed.

If married, are you married in the Catholic Church?  Yes  No

**If you answered "no" to any of the above statements, you are ineligible to be a sponsor at this time.**

I attend Mass:  Sunday  Every other week  Once a month  Occasionally  Never

**If you do not attend Mass on Sunday, you are ineligible to be a sponsor at this time.**

Name of home parish: \_\_\_\_\_

Street address: \_\_\_\_\_ City/State: \_\_\_\_\_

Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_ (Arch) Diocese: \_\_\_\_\_

I am a registered parishioner of my home parish:  Yes  No

Name of Pastor: \_\_\_\_\_

"Pastors must ascertain the spiritual qualifications of sponsors. The sponsor for any candidate may be male or female and is to be sufficiently mature, a practicing Catholic, who has him/herself been confirmed and has not been prohibited by law from exercising the role of sponsor. One of the Baptismal sponsors is not only allowed, but is in fact desired as the Confirmation sponsor, so as to emphasize the relationship between Baptism and Confirmation." (Canon 893) This person is an active witness of the Catholic faith in both word and deed, and is able to perform the duties of a Confirmation Sponsor.

Pastor's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_