

Choosing A Confirmation Name

In the Bible, conversion to following God is often symbolized by a change in name: Abram becomes Abraham, Simon becomes Peter, Saul becomes Paul.

At Baptism, we receive a name to symbolize our new life in Christ. If you wish, you may take a new symbolic name for Confirmation. You should be knowledgeable about the saint you choose and want to model your life after the life of the particular saint. Your choice of a saint will be a reminder to you for the rest of your life of your Confirmation event. However, if you prefer, you can keep your own Baptismal name at Confirmation after having done a little more research on the saint for whom your parents named you.

On the reverse side of this form, please have the student complete a short, hand-written paragraph about the Saint who has been chosen, even if it's your own name.

Saint Name that you have chosen

Student's Name

***** Return this form no later than FEBRUARY 27TH. Thank you.**