

DID YOU KNOW THE GUIDELINES FOR BEING A GODPARENT OR SPONSOR FOR CONFIRMATION:

In accepting the responsibilities for being a Godparent/Sponsor, the individual

Must be a registered parishioner. If you come to Holy Name of Jesus you must be registered here and if you are over 18 years of age you must be registered under your own name

Received the Sacraments of Baptism, Eucharist and Confirmation in the Catholic Church

Attend Mass regularly on Sundays and Holy Days of

Obligation, and receive the Sacraments of the Church regularly

If married, married in the Catholic Church

For Baptism: It is customary for children to have two godparents- one must be male and the other female. Godparents must meet all the following which is established by the Church law and do not vary from place to place. One of the Godparents must be Catholic and a Christian witness may be chosen who takes part in the ceremony but is not a godparent.

For Confirmation: The Sponsor may be a male or female, must be Catholic and should be a role model of a Catholic-Christian who is active in service, faith and prayer.