



# Saint Report Guidelines

Teen Confirmation – St. Mary Magdalen Parish

DUE: **December 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2018**



A part of your preparation for Confirmation is choosing a Saint name. Your Saint name will be the name that the Bishop will use on the day of Confirmation. A Saint (a person already in Heaven) is someone who lived their life striving to glorify God. Saints give us a great example to follow – they show us how we are able to share Christ’s love to others on earth.

Start with a prayer asking God to guide you in your research, take your time, read many Saint stories, find a Saint that you relate to or feel inspired to choose. The name you choose as your confirmation name must be a name recognized as a Saint in the Catholic Church.

*“By canonizing some of the faithful, i.e., by solemnly proclaiming that they practiced heroic virtue and lived in fidelity to God’s grace, the Church recognizes the power of the Spirit of holiness within her and sustains the hope of believers by proposing the saints to them as models and intercessors.” CCC 828*

## **REPORT REQUIREMENTS:**

### **Cover Page:**

- A picture of your saint
- Your name / grade / date

### **Minimum One Page:**

- Typed
- Single Spaced
- 12pt. font (Times New Roman)

Plagiarism is not allowed. Papers will be checked.

Please list your resources (*Wikipedia is not a valid resource*)

## **Please include the following:**

1. Brief introduction about your saint’s life (date and place of birth / death, family life, job, significant events in their lives, what are they patron of, feast day, etc.)
2. What struggles did they go through in life?
3. What miracles are associated with your saint?
4. Why did you choose this saint to represent your faith journey?
5. How do you relate to this saint?
6. How can you imitate the virtues of this saint in your own life?

## **Resources to get you started:**

- <https://info.franciscanmedia.org/>
- <https://www.catholic.org/saints/>
- <http://www.ewtn.com/saintholy/>
- The Bible ☺

