



Confirmation Name Report

Write a one page report on your Confirmation name (this name will be used by the bishop when he anoints you.) This report must be completed on a separate sheet, and should be typed.

The report will need to include:

- Your name and your Confirmation name
- Why you chose this name as your Confirmation name (maybe your baptismal name, a family name, a new name you chose to claim your Christian identity, a patron saint name...)
- How this name will make a lasting difference for you
- Information about the saint whose name you are using. Confirmation names need to come from the Christian tradition, just as baptismal names do.
- A picture of the saint would be a great to include, if possible/applicable

In Baptism, the Lord's name sanctifies man, and the Christian receives his name in the Church. This can be the name of a saint, that is, of a disciple who has lived a life of exemplary fidelity to the Lord. The patron saint provides a model of charity; we are assured of his intercession. The "baptismal name" can also express a Christian mystery or Christian virtue. "Parents, sponsors, and the pastor are to see that a name is not given which is foreign to Christian sentiment."
CCC 2156

Some online locations for saint information are:

<http://catholicsaints.info>

<https://www.franciscanmedia.org/source/saint-of-the-day>