

Remembering the Saints

Saint Project

Those who are kind to the poor will be happy! Proverbs 14:21



St. Francis of Assisi



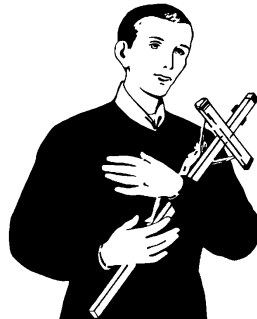
St. Nicholas of Myra



St. Elizabeth Ann Seton



St. Alphonsus Liguori



St. Gerard



Mother Teresa

My trust is in you, O Lord: I say, "You are my God." Psalm 31:15

Choosing your Confirmation Name

Your name gives you an identity; it tells others who you are. When you were born, your parents chose your name. (You may want to ask your parents the reason for choosing your name.) At your Baptism, you were called by name, and Christened to become a child of God. Your first name is your “Christian name” and indicates your membership in the Christian community.

Your Confirmation name should reflect closer identification as a member of the Christian community and with someone in the community you admire. Many Confirmation candidates, recognizing the growing bond of love with their parents, take a parent’s name, others take their Baptismal name. The only limit placed on your choice is that it should be a saint’s name (or a variation of that name).

Sharing the Story of Your Saint

St. Matthew

St. James

St. Peter

St. Ann

St. Martha

St. Jude

St. Elizabeth

St. Andrew St. Theresa St. Anthony

1. *The saint I chose to pray to, and to imitate in my preparation for Confirmation is:*

2. *My saint’s feast day is* _____

3. *Do some research on the life of your saint. Then pretend you are the saint’s biographer. Write a full page summary of your saint’ life story.*

Every saint is known for particular qualities or virtues. By imitating these qualities of the saints you can become a better person.

What event in the life of the saint you chose, most impressed you?

Why?

What special virtues or qualities did the saint have?

How could you imitate this saint today? Be specific.

Explain why your Confirmation name is meaningful to you.

By doing this Saint Project, what did you learn that you didn't know before?

List the book or books you used as a source for your information.
