

Essay on Your Confirmation Saint

Directions: You will need to select a saint for your Confirmation Name. Once you've done some research and learned about your saint, you then need to write an essay of at approximately 500 words. This essay needs to include your saint's full name, place and date of birth and death. You also need to answer and explain at least 3 of the following items: 1) What are at least 1 or 2 miracles attributed to your saint; 2) What specific virtue(s) are associated with your saint? 3) Why are these virtues associated with your saint? 4) What are 2 reasons you selected this saint? 5) How will you try to live your life like your saint? 6) What is a prayer associated with your patron saint? Explain all your answers completely. **Be sure to give your essay a creative title – not just the saint's name.** Note: You may use resources, but most of the essay needs to be your own words and not copied from a source; copy and pasting from a web page is not allowed. This is your essay – written by you. All essays will be carefully reviewed and checked; if extensive use of sources is found, you will be asked to rewrite your essay. You can hand-write your essay (make sure your handwriting is legible) or use a computer.

Here are some websites to help you get started with your research; use them to help you learn about saints; do not copy/paste information directly into your essay:

- <https://www.catholic.org/saints/>
- <https://mycatholic.life/saints/>

If you have any questions, please contact the PREP office.