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Tell us about your Saint.....

SAINT REPORT: Due by Friday, December 1, 2017

All Confirmation Candidates are required to complete a Saint Report

The lives of saints provide us with blueprints for how God wants us to live our lives. The early Christians took new names to reflect their “new lives in Christ” when they were baptized. Catholic saints throughout the centuries have been models of faith. They answer the call of our Creator to serve by living out the gospel. They are ordinary people who do extraordinary things because they have faith. After the Resurrection, the church’s saints continued Christ’s work on earth. We are called to do the same by virtue of our Baptism.

For your Confirmation name, you are invited to research your **baptismal name** or **select a new saint** to serve as your mentor and spiritual guide by selecting their name to research and adopt at Confirmation.

Saint Report Instructions:

1. Your Saint Report must be handed in by **Friday, December 1, 2017** **attached to your Confirmation Candidate Contract.**
2. Please make sure you put **your name on the top** of your Saint Report. Your report **must be typed** and be **one full side of the paper.** You can double space your report. Your report should contain three sections:
 - **Section 1:** Give a biography of your saint. **DO NOT COPY WORD FOR WORD FROM THE COMPUTER AND INCLUDE THE SITES YOU USED.**
 - **Section 2:** Give an explanation why you chose this saint and what qualities you admire about him or her.
 - **Section 3:** Give an explanation about how this saint will influence you as a Catholic adult or compose a prayer to your saint asking that you might acquire the attributes you admire in him or her.
3. You will need to do some research to complete your Saint Report. Ask your parent or sponsor to help you. Here are some helpful websites:
 - www.americancatholic.org
 - www.catholic.org/saints
 - www.catholic-saints.info