

Saint Report

Due on or before June 9, 2021

When a person is Confirmed in the Catholic Church, he/she chooses a saint that he/she relates to or with whom he/she identifies. This saint's name is then added to the Confirmandi's full name. In this report, you must pick a saint that you identify with and research them. The saint you choose will be your Confirmation saint. Your report should include the following things:

- The saint's feast day and associated country
- When the saint was Canonized/Beatified
- 5 things that are commonly known about the saint and 5 things that are not so well known
- Why you decided to research this particular saint (what attracted you to this saint)
- What is the saint a patron of (i.e. occupations/situations. e.g. St. Catherine of Alexandria, the patron saint of students)
- What strength/ character trait you will rely on from your saint
- What symbol best represents your saint and why

Include at least 4 resources that were used to learn about your saint. (No more than 2 internet resources are allowed). The OLOL PSR library has many books and resources for your use.

Prayer

Prayer is vital to our faith. It provides a way to communicate with God. It is how we ask for help, for us or those in need, how we give thanks for our blessings, and who we talk to when we need to make a decision. When we say our morning prayers, we offer up the day to God's will and hope that we will have the grace to do His will. Our prayers at night are prayers of thanksgiving for all we accomplish through the day and to remember all those special intentions we may have added. Prayer helps us grow closer to God in times of sadness and joy. In addition to your Daily Prayers, we request you increase your prayers for all those preparing for Confirmation. To that end, between **today and Confirmation 2022**, please do the following:

- Recite at least one rosary each month.
- **Attend Eucharistic Adoration once each year before Confirmation.**
- **Keep a prayer journal of your daily prayer requests from today until your Confirmation in 2022**

FYI:

Eucharistic Adoration can be enjoyed anytime the church doors are open. Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament occurs once a month here at Our Lady of Lourdes. Please watch the bulletin for details of dates and times. Attend the Adoration of your choice between now and your Confirmation. If you attend Exposition, when you arrive please sign yourself in (book near the front pew) and then have a seat or kneel in prayer. You do not need to sign out. During either type of adoration, remember to listen as the Holy Spirit may have much to tell you or ask of you. Plan to remain for a full hour.