



## ***A Sponsor and Candidate Prayer***

*"You have been trusted with a wonderful treasure. Guard it with the help of the Holy Spirit, who lives within you."*

--2 Timothy 1:14

**Together:** God the Father, we thank you for the faith we have in common. Jesus, Son of God, we praise you for coming to earth to show us how to live. Holy Spirit, guide our time together.

*Now we have received not the spirit of the world, but the spirit that is from God, so that we may understand the gifts bestowed on us by God. And we speak of these things in words not taught by human wisdom but taught by the Spirit, interpreting spiritual things to those who are spiritual.*

--1 Corinthians 2:12-13

**Sponsor:** Spirit of God, be with me as I spend time with this candidate preparing for the Sacrament of Confirmation. Give me the gift of understanding so I will be able to listen patiently. Bestow on me wisdom and knowledge to share my faith.

**Candidate:** Spirit of God, be with me as I spend time with my sponsor. Give me the gift of courage to live my faith openly. Open my mind and heart to the counsel given me by my sponsor.

**Together:** During our time together may we develop a deeper reverence and awe of God.

*Come Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful,  
And kindle in them the fire of your love.  
Send forth your Spirit and they shall be created.  
And you will renew the face of the earth.  
Amen.*