

Saint Research - not due until February 2021

A name identifies us and tells others who we are. Saints are chosen to serve as patrons and models for those being confirmed. Candidates are encouraged to choose a saint's name as the Confirmation name, not because of the attractiveness of the name, but because of the attractiveness of the Christian life that the person led. The candidate may choose a new name as a sign of growth in faith, or they may keep their baptismal name to emphasize the fact that Confirmation is a sealing of the baptismal commitment.

In this assignment, students are asked to complete a one page report on the saint whose name they have chosen.

This report should include:

- *Your full name, including Confirmation name*
- *Explanation of why you chose this saint*
- *Brief outline of the saint's life*
- *Characteristics of the saint that inspire the candidate*
- *Explanation of how you would like this saint to intercede (pray) for you*

The report may be neatly printed or typed.

The following links may be helpful in your research:

<https://www.catholic.org/saints/>

<https://mycatholic.life/saints/>