



AFFIDAVIT TO ESTABLISH SACRAMENTAL STATUS
(Baptism-Catholic or Protestant, Confirmation, First Eucharist, Profession of Faith, Marriage)

TESTIMONY OF WITNESS FOR:

Your Name:
Address: C/S/Z
How long have you known the person whose name appears above?
What is your relationship to this person?
Were you present when the sacrament celebrated? YES NO
If you were not present, what is the source of your information?

THIS AFFIDAVIT IS BEING USED TO ESTABLISH (PLEASE CHECK):

Form with sections for Baptism, Confirmation, and First Eucharist, each with a checkbox and a table of fields (Religion, Date, Church, City/State, Parents, Sponsor).

Profession of Faith

If the individual was fully received into the Roman Catholic Church, please complete the sections for First Eucharist and Confirmation.

Religion of Baptism	
Date of Baptism	
Church of Baptism	
City/State	
Date of Profession of Faith	
Church of Profession	
City/State	
Sponsor/s	

Marriage

Bride's Name	
Religion	
Baptism (Place & Date)	
Parents (mother's maiden name)	
Groom's Name	
Religion	
Baptism (Place & Date)	
Parents (mother's maiden name)	
Best Man & Maid of Honor	
Parish, City & State of Marriage	
Date of Marriage	

DO YOU SWEAR TO THE TRUTH OF THE ABOVE STATEMENTS? (please circle) YES - NO

Signature of Witness

Date

Signature of Priest

Church & City

Affidavit Used for Omitted Records: Sacramental records previously omitted should be entered into the register after supporting documentation has been secured. At least two affidavits (if possible) should be obtained from persons present at the celebration of the sacrament. Pictures can also be used for documentation. The documentation should be kept but should not be stapled, glued or paper clipped into the actual register. A separate file should be created for these materials and referred to in the notation.

The sacrament should be recorded in the parish register where the sacrament was celebrated in the appropriate year, if room allows. If this is not possible, it should be entered as the next entry and indexed in the correct year referencing where the record is to be found.