

Letter to Father William Metzger  
Pastor of Our Lady of Victory

*Type Written Letter Due November 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2019*

*A formal letter to Father Metzger should be written, expressing your wishes to accept this great gift of God and the Holy Spirit and asking to be confirmed. Prayerful consideration is an important dimension to requesting this life- fulfilling Sacrament of Initiation.*

*Each of you should write a personal letter to Father Metzger, requesting that you be confirmed. The letter should clearly express the facts:*

- *Receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation is your decision.*
- *You have prepared for the Sacrament through study, prayer, instruction and living it.*
- *You have already accepted the responsibility of living a more mature Christian life by being of service to the community.*
- *List examples of current and future community service you have or will be involved in.*
- *Candidates can also tell whether or not they have discovered anything new about themselves or the Catholic Faith as they have prepared to be confirmed.*
- *You may also share with Father Metzger why you picked your Saint Name.*

*Attached is an example of what you might say to Father Metzger in your letter. Do not follow this example strictly, but do try to include three points mentioned above. Write to Father with seriousness and respect, but also write from the heart.*

*The "Letter to the Pastor Assignment" sheet may help them get started.*

*Thank you,*

*Mrs. Krista Joseph*