Sponsor & Candidate Church Visit

We ask that every candidate and his or her sponsor find time to visit a Catholic church or shrine that neither of them attend. This should be dedicated to touring the church and praying together for the upcoming reception of the Holy Sacrament of Confirmation. It also might be a good time to complete your Sponsor Interview.

Here is list of great virtual church tour options:

St. Peter's Basilica Rome:
https://www.vatican.va/various/basiliche/san_pietro/vr_tour/index-en.html
St. Paul Outside the wall Rome:
http://www.vatican.va/various/basiliche/san_paolo/vr_tour/Media/VR/St_Paul_Tomb/index.html
Holy Sepulcher Jerusalem: http://www.samrohn.com/360-panorama/church-of-the-holy-sepulchre-jerusalem/
Feel free to visit other virtual catholic Cathedrals or Basilicas from around the globe.

Great list of things to find in the Catholic Church:

Religious Imagery: Find and learn the stories of the paintings, statues, stain glass windows, icons, mosaics etc…
All the items used for Liturgy: Tabernacle, altar, chalice, patten, cruets, ambo, Roman Missal, candles, bells, thurible, censor, processional cross, Paschal Candle, sanctuary lamp, sacred oils, ambry, Book of the Gospels, presiders chair or Cathedra etc…
Architecture: Sanctuary, baldechino, apse, narthex, atrium, nave, sacristy etc…

Church Visit Reflection:

(This can be done on a separate page)

Candidate Name: **Sponsor Name:** **Date Visited:**
Catholic Parish or Shrine Visited:
Please write a paragraph description of your visit. Please mention and share the story of some of your favorite religious imagery that you saw.

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