Confirmation Candidate's Name _____

St. Angela Merici Catholic Church

Archdiocese of Galveston Houston

CONFIRMATION SERVICE REFLECTION FORM

(Due to Parish Office, no later than March 16, 2018)

SERVICE REFLECTION: Please write your reflection below or attach a separate sheet.

Community participation is essential in encouraging service efforts and ministry as a natural continuation of earlier works of stewardship. It is the community itself which must be actively engaged in service and ministries, e.g. assists with parish social ministries, serves as a catechist, assist as a liturgical minister. This fosters a community or "Culture" whereby the adolescent disciples, see this as the Christian way of life rather than a requirement to be fulfilled. The goal is the strengthening and development of loving, committee, contributing adult members of the community rather than participation in service "Projects" which connote a sense of completing something with an ending. The service must also entail a critical reflection on these experiences in light of how Jesus calls us as disciples to serve and treat "the least of these as brothers and sisters" in everyday life [Matthew 25:40].

Describe one service opportunity you have done in the last 6 months and reflect on how doing this type of service connects to living out our faith as Catholic Christians.

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