



Registration for Child Baptism/ Profession of Faith

Please check one:

☐ Baptism ☐ Profession of Faith

Candidate's Full Legal Name (As it appears on the birth certificate):

Date of Birth:

Place of Birth:

Sex of Child:

☐ Male ☐ Female

**Please submit a copy of the child's birth certificate with your application*

Preferred Date of Baptism:

Family Information:

Father's Full Legal Name:

Birth Date:

Address:

City/Postal Code:

Email Address:

Phone Number:

Mother's Full Legal Name:

Maiden Name:

Birth Date:

Address:

City/ Postal Code:

Email Address:

Phone Number:

Marriage:

☐ Catholic ☐ Other Christian Religion ☐ Civil ☐ Not Married

☐ Church name and city:

*If you are not married in the Catholic Church, would you like more information about convalidating your marriage in the Church? ☐ Yes ☐ No



Do you have any other children? (Please provide names and dates of birth)

Are there any custody agreements, adoption and/or guardianship orders in place for your child(ren)?
If so, please elaborate, and attach copies of the documents to your application.

Parents' Faith History

Father

Religion: _____

Baptized? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Confirmed? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If not Catholic, would you like more information about RCIA? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Which church do you regularly attend? _____

Mother

Religion: _____

Baptized? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Confirmed? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If not Catholic, would you like more information about RCIA? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Which church do you regularly attend? _____

In signing this document, I consent to the Baptism of this child and promise to raise this child in the practice of the Roman Catholic Church to the best of my abilities.

Signature of Father _____ Date: _____

Signature of Mother _____ Date: _____

Godparents

Before choosing your child's godparents, please make sure they are eligible by carefully reviewing the information below:

- A child may have only one or two godparents at Baptism. If you choose to have two godparents, you must have one male and one female.
- The godparent(s) must be fully initiated, practicing Catholics, having received the Sacraments of Baptism, First Communion, First Reconciliation, and Confirmation.
- The godparent(s) must be at least 16 years of age or older.
- The godparent(s) cannot be the parent(s) of the child, either biologically or legally.
- The godparent(s) should be models of the faith, attend Mass, and receive the Sacraments.
- If married, the godparent(s) must be married in the Catholic Church (unless a dispensation from a Catholic Bishop was granted for a specific circumstance), or have had their marriage convalidated in the Catholic Church.
- Godparents do not need to be a married couple. You can choose two single people.
- A non-Catholic but Christian godparent is called a *Christian Witness*. The name for this godparent goes under the *Witness* line on the registration form. This person accompanies the confirmed Catholic godparent in the faith journey of your child. He or she can only be chosen in lieu of a second godparent and must be the opposite sex of the godparent.

Godfather (Full Legal Name): _____

Is at least 16 years of age	YES	NO
Has received Baptism, Communion, Reconciliation, and Confirmation	YES	NO
Is a model of the faith, attends Mass, and receives the Sacraments of the Church	YES	NO
Married? YES NO If yes, were they married in the Catholic Church?	YES	NO

Godmother (Full Legal Name): _____

Is at least 16 years of age	YES	NO
Has received Baptism, Communion, Reconciliation, and Confirmation	YES	NO
Is a model of the faith, attends Mass, and receives the Sacraments of the Church	YES	NO
Married? YES NO If yes, were they married in the Catholic Church?	YES	NO

Christian Witness (non-Catholic Godparent) if applicable:

Full Legal Name: _____

Christian Religion: _____

Is at least 16 years of age	YES	NO
Is validly baptized in the Trinitarian formula (Father, Son, and Holy Spirit)	YES	NO
Is a model of the faith, and can support the godparent in his or her duties	YES	NO

(Please submit a copy of each godparent's Confirmation certificate. For non-Catholic Christian witnesses, only a Baptism certificate is required)

Before submitting this registration, please ensure that you have carefully filled out all the information. Please also ensure that you have attached copies of all required documentation (child's birth certificate, godparent's Confirmation certificates, and, if applicable, Christian witness's baptism record, and any court documents)