



### Parish Information

Name of Home Parish: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_

- I currently live within the territorial boundaries of the parish.  
 I currently **do not** live within the territorial boundaries of the parish, but I am a registered parishioner and supporting the mission of the parish (for a minimum of two years)

### Child's Information

Full legal name of child as appears on the **official birth certificate**:

\_\_\_\_\_

First Name

Middle Name(s)

Last Name

Male  Female Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ City of birth: \_\_\_\_\_  
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### Parent's Information

**Father** (Full legal name)

\_\_\_\_\_

First Name

Middle Name(s)

Last Name

Religion:  Roman Catholic Other: \_\_\_\_\_  None

Present Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

- I am a parent, or have legal custody, of the child.

**Mother** (Full legal name)

\_\_\_\_\_

First Name

Middle Name(s)

Maiden Name

Religion:  Roman Catholic Other: \_\_\_\_\_  None

Present Address:  Same as father's \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

- I am a parent, or have legal custody, of the child.

Married \_\_\_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_  
Place of Marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_

Church/Venue

## Selection of Sponsor(s)

The sponsor(s) responsibility is to help the parent(s) in raising the child in the Catholic faith.

## Godparent Information

### Eligibility of Godparent(s):

Canon 873: There is to be only one male sponsor or one female sponsor or one of each.

The following are the requirements for a Catholic to be a sponsor (Godparent) (Canon 874 § 1):

- At least 16 years of age
- He / She has been fully initiated in the Catholic Church (received Baptism, Holy Communion, and Confirmation)
- Be an active Catholic, be registered at a Catholic Parish, in good standing with the Church (e.g. has not married outside of the Catholic Church; not cohabiting)
- Not the father or mother of the one to be baptized

### Godfather (Full legal name)

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First Name Middle Name(s) Last Name

Home Parish: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_

Present Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Fulfills the requirements of Canon 874 § 1

### Godmother (Full legal name)

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First Name Middle Name(s) Last Name

Home Parish: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_

Present Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Fulfills the requirements of Canon 874 § 1

## Christian Witness Information

### Eligibility of Christian Witness:

A Christian Witness for a child's baptism must be a validly baptized Christian of a non-Catholic Church (Canon 874 § 2) A Christian Witness may only participate together with a Catholic Sponsor (Canon 874 § 2). *It is not necessary to have a Christian Witness.*

### Christian Witness (Full legal name)

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First Name Middle Name(s) Last Name

Denomination: \_\_\_\_\_

Present Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Fulfills the requirements of Canon 874 § 2

**Declaration**

I, the undersigned, declare that the information on this form (Pages 1 & 2) is true and accurate.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Please Print

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Documents to be submitted with this form:**

- Certificate of Baptism (one or both parents)
- Child's birth certificate
- Letter of completion of baptismal preparation course, if applicable

**For Office Use Only**

Date Contacted: \_\_\_\_\_ Date Submitted / Recorded: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Interview: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Interviewer: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Baptismal Preparation Class: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Baptism: \_\_\_\_\_

Baptized by: \_\_\_\_\_

Additional Notes:

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