



St. Theresa Parish

820 Central Road
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BAPTISM: GODPARENT FORM

To Be Completed By Godmother/Godfather

You have been asked to be a Godparent, which is a great privilege; thank you for saying “yes”! Chosen Godparents, “must be firm believers, able and ready to help the newly baptized – child or adult on the road of Christian life” (CCC 1255). Your love for Christ and your devotion to the teachings of the Catholic Church, can be a powerful witness to the newly baptized throughout their life of how we, as Christian pilgrims, are called to integrate our faith with our daily lives. You, in a unique way, are called to accompany the newly baptized as they continue to grow in relationship with our Lord and in understanding of the Faith.

REQUIREMENTS TO BE A GODPARENT

- Be at least sixteen years old
- “Be a Catholic who has been confirmed and has already received the sacrament of the Most Holy Eucharist and leads a life in harmony with the faith and the role to be undertaken.”
- Not be one of the parents
- Must be an active, registered member of a Catholic Parish

A person who is living in harmony with the faith is someone who follows the Ten Commandments and the five Precepts of the Catholic Church 1. attends Mass every Sunday and on holy days of obligation; 2. going to the Sacrament of Reconciliation at least once a year; 3. receiving the sacrament of the Eucharist at least during the Easter season; 4. observing the days of fasting and abstinence; 5. providing for the needs of the Church.

Full Name: _____ Date of Birth: ____/____/____

Address: _____ City: _____

State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Phone Number: _____ Email Address: _____

Parish of Baptism: _____ City/State of Parish: _____

Registered Parishioner of (parish name/city/state): _____

Full Name of Godchild: _____

Please complete the back as well.

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