

Precious Blood Parish

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BAPTISM INFORMATION FORM

CHILD'S INFORMATION

FIRST NAME: _____ MIDDLE NAME: _____ LAST NAME: _____

IS THE NAME ABOVE THE SAME AS INDICATED IN THE BIRTH CERTIFICATE? ___ Yes ___ No (*If the name is different, please provide supporting documents*)

DATE OF BIRTH: _____ PLACE OF BIRTH: _____

GODPARENT INFORMATION

GODFATHER: _____ RELIGION: _____

GODMOTHER: _____ RELIGION: _____

PARENTS' INFORMATION

FATHER'S FULL NAME: _____ RELIGION: _____

MOTHER'S MAIDEN NAME: _____ RELIGION: _____

ADDRESS: _____ PHONE NO: _____

EMAIL ADDRESS: _____

WERE PARENTS MARRIED BY A ROMAN CATHOLIC PRIEST? ___ Yes ___ NO

CHURCH NAME: _____ CHURCH ADDRESS: _____

MARRIAGE DATE: _____

HOW LONG HAVE YOU ATTENDED MASS AT PRECIOUS BLOOD PARISH? _____

HAVE YOU HAD OTHER CHILDREN BAPTIZED AT PRECIOUS BLOOD PARISH? _____

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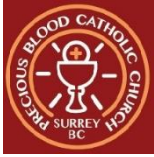
BAPTISM PREPARATION CLASS: _____ DATE: _____

INTERVIEW DATE: _____

BAPTISM DATE: _____ TIME: _____

PRIEST: _____

Archdiocesan Policy suggests a \$50 donation be made to the Parish. A separate personal gift to the priest is at your discretion.



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YOUR CHILD'S BAPTISM

Baptism is the beginning of the life of faith. Through the waters of baptism, you child will be "*born again.*" He will be set free from original sin and enter into a new eternal relationship with God the Father, through Jesus Christ our Saviour. He will also become a part of the Roman Catholic Church.

Baptism, of course is only the beginning of this new life. For infant baptism to make sense, parents must be committed to raising their child in the faith. A child needs to be nourished in the Christian faith through weekly attendance at Mass, through religious instruction, through prayer, through the example of a Christian family life. This is the commitment the Church expects of parents who brings in their child for baptism.

Parent's Commitment – It is assumed that the parents of children to be baptized in the parish are: attending Sunday Mass regularly; **married in the Catholic Church**; and registered members of Precious Blood Parish. If this is not your situation, special arrangements must be made with the pastor.

Godparents – Godparents must be practicing Roman Catholic. A non-Catholic baptized Christian may stand as a Christian witness. Only two godparents can be listed on the baptism certificate, only one male and one female, and only two godparents will have a role in the baptism ceremony.

Photographs – Photos may be taken during the liturgy but are not to become a distraction. Therefore, photographs must be taken from the pews or from the side of the Church. Photographers are not to enter the sanctuary during the rite of baptism. After the baptism, photos may be taken in from of the altar.

Modest Dress – Baptism is a sacred ceremony and therefore everyone attending must be dressed modestly.

Punctuality – All guests and family members are to arrive before the baptism begins. Late arrivals are to remain seated quietly at the back of the Church.