

# **INFANT BAPTISM FORM**

### PLEASE FILL IN BLOCK LETTER

Name of Child (as in Birth Cert and underline Surname)			Date of Baptism	
Baptism Name				
Date of Birth	Country of Birth		Male / Female	
Father's Name				Father's Religion
Mother's Maiden Name				Mother's Religion
Date of Marriage		Church of Marriage		
Home Address		,		
Father's mobile and email address:		Mother's mobile and email address:		
Godparent's Name Important Note: Godparent, must be practising Catholic, over 16 years of age and having received the Sacrament of Confirmation. Please refer to the important guide of the roles of Godparents below.				
Remarks:				
PRIVACY POLICY Kindly note that in filling up this form, I agree and consent to the collection, use, storage, retention, adaptation, modification, reading, retrieval, transmission, blocking, erasure or destruction ("processing") of the personal data provided by me in this form and to the sharing/processing and relevant and third parties (including but not limited to entities outside the Singapore jurisdiction) in connection with the Roman Catholic Church related activities, pastoral services and other related purposes.  Where I am providing such personal data on behalf of others, I confirm that I have obtained the consent of these individuals for the disclosure of their personal date for the purposes stated above.  Name  Signature / Date:				
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## Parents & Godparents, here's what you need to know...



#### **Parents**

Catholic parents who want their child baptised, are reminded during the preparatory session the responsibilities of training their child in the practice of the faith, and bringing up their child in the way Christ. This includes:

- Telling the child about God who loves us, and about Jesus our friend;
- Teaching the child how to pray;
- Instilling Christian values in the child;
- Teaching the child how to be a good Christian, through example;
- Bringing the child to Church to pray at Mass, especially on Sundays and on days of obligation;
- Ensuring that the child receives a proper faith education.

Non-Catholic parents who give their consent for baptism do not need to do anything that is against their religion or personal beliefs. Nevertheless, they are invited:

- To be involved in the life of faith of their child;
- ❖ To be fully aware of the meaning and implication of baptism;
- ❖ To be open to discuss with their spouse any reservations / differences they may have, and to speak with the Church's minister if they wish.

### **Godparents**

As Godparents, there are 2 important functions:

- They represent the Church into which the child is being baptised;
- They agree to assist and support the parents in the Catholic upbringing of the child, by word, action and good example.

The Godparents must be practising members of the Catholic Church, and over 16 years of age and having received the Sacrament of Confirmation.

The Church law only requires you to have one god parent; however, you may have more.

Godparents should be chosen with care. They should be a person who will be an example to your child of what it means to follow Jesus, and should fully understand and accept the responsibility that they are undertaking.

If a Godparent cannot attend the baptism ceremony, a proxy can stand in the place of the missing Godparent.