



# ASSUMPTION

## INFANT BAPTISMS

### CONTACT THE PARISH



Fill out this form found at the Qr code!  
or Email Megan Matthew, the Director of Evangelization at [mmatthew@assumptiondenver.org](mailto:mmatthew@assumptiondenver.org) for a discussion on your family's request and how to proceed. This is essential to ensure we're on the same page from the start.

### ATTEND A BAPTISM PREPARATION CLASS

When a baby is baptized, he/she is baptized on the desire and faith of the parents(s). Because of this, we offer the opportunity to learn why we baptize, what baptism is, and what the effects and obligations are that go along with it. This preparation will inform the parents and godparents in those areas and empower them to make the promises that are proclaimed during a baptism celebration. Both the parents and godparents are required to attend a baptism preparation class every 3 years. Check our calendar for class dates and register!

### SUBMIT THE BAPTISM INFORMATION FORM & A COPY OF THE BIRTH CERTIFICATE

(OR BIRTH CERTIFICATE WORKSHEET) DUE TWO WEEKS PRIOR TO THE BAPTISM

This is what we will use to add your child's name for their chosen baptismal date. Nothing is scheduled until we receive this form. Our baptisms are usually scheduled after the 4:30PM Mass on the 4th Saturday of the month.

Please call to discuss an alternate date if necessary.

The information provided on the form will be used to record the celebration of the sacrament in the parish's official sacramental records.

### SUBMIT THE GODPARENT ELIGIBILITY FORM(S)

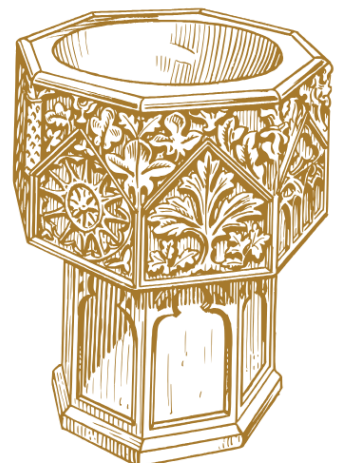
Godparents stand as representatives of the Catholic Church during the celebration of Baptism but also provide parents with support in raising their children in the Catholic Faith. This form ensures that a Godparent is eligible according to the Church's law to assume this duty, and as such it must be signed and sealed by their pastor. They must in good faith be able to check all the boxes with yes, except the parent box which is a no answer.

You must have a minimum of one Godparent and a maximum of two (one male, one female). You may have one Christian Witness of another Christian denomination if only one practicing Catholic Godparent is chosen.

Godparents must be over 16, have received all three Sacraments of Initiation (Baptism, Confirmation, and Eucharist), be actively practicing their faith by attending Mass every Sunday and frequenting the sacraments of Reconciliation and Holy Communion, and living a chaste single life if unmarried or, if married, in a valid sacramental marriage.

### CELEBRATION OF BAPTISM

Congratulations to you and your little one! Their baptism begins the life-long journey of receiving and being transformed by the radical love of God through Jesus Christ. We can't wait to welcome them to the family!



# Baptism Information

[Please attach a copy of the birth certificate]

## Child's Information

Child's First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Middle \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name \_\_\_\_\_

Male  Female

Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

City and State of Birth (*This information must match birth certificate.*) If child is not born yet, leave this blank.

## Parents' Information

Father's First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Middle \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name \_\_\_\_\_

Catholic:  Yes  No

Mother's First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Middle \_\_\_\_\_ Maiden Name \_\_\_\_\_

Catholic:  Yes  No

Street Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

## Godparent Information

Godfather's First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Middle \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name \_\_\_\_\_

Godmother's First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Middle \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name \_\_\_\_\_

*\* If there is only one Catholic godparent, a baptized person who belongs to a non-Catholic Christian church may participate as a Christian Witness to the baptism, but does not take on the role or title of godparent.*

Christian Witness First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Middle \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name \_\_\_\_\_

**We/I affirm that all the information provided above is true. We/I are requesting the sacrament of Baptism for our child through the parish. It is our intent to raise our child as a Roman Catholic.**

Father's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_ Mother's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY: \_\_\_\_\_  
Celebrant's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Baptism \_\_\_\_\_



