

Infant Baptism Bautismo Infantil

BAPTISM SPONSOR FORM

To be completed by godparent. (please print / letra de imprenta)

Name of godparent _____
Nombre del padrino o madrina

Church of your baptism _____
Iglesia donde fue bautizado/a (Name of church/nombre de la iglesia) (City, state, country / ciudad, estado, país)

Church of your confirmation _____
Iglesia donde fue confirmado/a (Name of church/nombre de la iglesia) (City, state, country / ciudad, estado, país)

Are you married? _____ By a Catholic priest? _____
¿Es usted casado/a? ¿ Por un sacerdote Católico?

Church of your marriage _____
Iglesia de su matrimonio (Name of church/nombre de la iglesia) (City, state, country / ciudad, estado, país)

Date pre-baptism class was taken _____
Fecha en que la clase pre-bautismal fue tomada

QUALIFICATIONS TO SERVE AS SPONSOR (GODPARENT) AT BAPTISM

The role of the sponsor or godparent is: "together with the parents, to present an infant at baptism, and help the baptized to lead a Christian life in harmony with baptism, and to fulfill the obligations connected with it." (Canon 872) Thus, the Church established the following norms governing the qualifications needed to be a sponsor or godparent.

The sponsor (godparent) must:

Requisitos para ser padrino o madrina de bautismo:

- *Be at least sixteen (16) years old
Ser mayor de dieciséis (16) años
- *Be a Catholic who has been confirmed and has received the sacrament of the Holy Eucharist
Ser un católico quien ha recibido los sacramentos de Confirmación y Santa Eucaristía (Primera Comunión)
- *If married, must be married in the Catholic Church
Si es casado/a, tiene que estar casado/a por la Iglesia Católica
- *Be leading a life in harmony with the faith and role to be undertaken
Estar viviendo una vida en armonía con la fe y papel que va a tomar como padrino/madrina
- *Not be bound by any canonical penalty
No esté afectado por una pena canónica

I understand the responsibility I am undertaking and I have both the desire and the intention to fulfill it.
Yo entiendo la responsabilidad que estoy tomando y tengo el deseo y la intención de cumplir con esta responsabilidad.

Signature _____ Date _____
Firma Fecha

TO BE COMPLETED AND SEALED BY THE PARISH OF THE GODPARENT PARA SER COMPLETADO Y SELLADO POR LA PARROQUIA DEL PADRINO O MADRINA

I know the above-named person to be a Catholic who has received the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, and Eucharist. This person participated regularly in the life of the Catholic Church, is bound by no canonical penalty, and able to fulfill the responsibilities involved in sponsoring the Catholic initiation of another.

YES _____ NO _____ OTHER _____ please comment on reverse side
(CHURCH SEAL)

Signature _____ Church _____

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