



Godparent/Sponsor Form

Sacred Heart Parish ~ Holy Rosary ~ Our Lady of Perpetual Help

Name): _____
(Print First and Last)

I understand that as a godparent or sponsor I am to live a life in harmony with the nature of this responsibility, meaning, I regularly attend Mass; I receive the Eucharist regularly; I make use of the sacrament of Reconciliation; if married, I am validly married in the Catholic Church; and I seek to the best of my understanding of my Catholic faith to be faithful to all of the teachings of the Catholic Church. I attest that I have received the sacrament of Confirmation and that I am at least 16 years old. I further understand that being chosen as a godparent or sponsor is a lifetime commitment to be a faithful witness of the Catholic way of life to the individual I am called to serve. If I am not a member of Sacred Heart Parish, then I will obtain a Letter of Good Standing from my own parish, attesting to the fact that I attend Mass regularly on Sundays and Holy Days of Obligation, follow the precepts of the Church, and possess no impediments for serving as a godparent or sponsor.

Duties and Responsibilities of godparent/sponsor:

I understand that as a godparent or sponsor I am to live a life in harmony with the nature of this responsibility, meaning:

- I regularly attend Mass on Sundays and Holy Days of Obligation.
- I receive the Eucharist regularly;
- I make use of the sacrament of Reconciliation as stated by the precepts of the Church;
- If married, I am validly married in the Catholic Church;
- I seek to the best of my understanding of my Catholic faith to be faithful to all of the teachings of the Catholic Church;
- I attest that I have received the Sacrament of Confirmation;
- I am at least 16 years old;
- I further understand that being chosen as a godparent or sponsor is a lifetime commitment to be a faithful witness of the Catholic way of life to the individual I am called to serve;
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I have read and agree to fulfill all of the requirements of being a godparent/sponsor. Please indicate compliance by signing: _____

(First and Last Name)

Complete the following:

1. Your Full Mailing Address: _____

2. Home/Cell Phone: _____ Email: _____

3. Place where you were Baptized: _____

(include **Church name** (or hospital, etc.), **locality** (town, city, county, etc.), region (state, province, territory, etc.), and **country**)

4. Provide a copy of your Baptismal Record with Notations, from your Church of Baptism.

5. I, (Pastor's Name): _____, state that I know
_____ and I am not
(Godparent/Sponsor's Full Name)

aware of any impediments, as stated in Canon §874, which would prevent them from fulfilling their role of
godparent or sponsor for: _____
(Candidate's Name)

6. Parish Where You Are Currently Registered: _____
Full Mailing Address: _____

(Pastor's Signature) Date _____

Church Seal

For Office Use:

Godparent/Sponsor for: _____

Sacrament of: _____ Date of Sacrament: _____

Celebrant: _____

Place: SH HR OLPH

Letter of Good Standing Received on Date: _____

Copy of Baptism Record Received on Date: _____

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