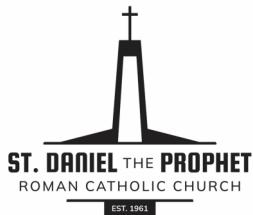


Preparing for Your Child's Baptism

Sacrament of Baptism



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Dear Parents,

"The Christian community welcomes you with great joy!" These are words taken from the rite of baptism for children, which I also make my own. It is with great joy that I, and all of us here at St. Daniel the Prophet, accompany you as you embark on this important duty of having your child baptized into Christ, becoming a member of the Church.

Because the baptized belong no longer to themselves but to Jesus Christ who died and rose for us, your choice declares that you accept the responsibility of helping your child to become his disciple. You are not alone; the community of St. Daniel the Prophet will walk beside you in this journey of nurturing the faith of your child. We are in this together as the Body of Christ. It gives me joy to walk with you in this journey of faith.

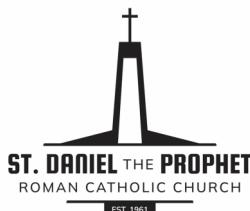
Please take time to carefully read through the Baptism packet. There is a lot of information, and some required forms to fill out and turn in. The packet contains information pertaining to the baptism process, godparent documentation, dates, and a Baptismal Intake Form. This form must be completed in its entirety and brought to the parish office along with a form from the godparents/sponsors pastor giving them permission to be a sponsor for baptism. Dates of baptism are subject to change; therefore, please verify your baptism date with the Parish Office. A detailed check-list of these required forms, etc., is provided towards the end of the packet. Each family is unique, and we are here to walk with you in a process that is suitable for your needs. We invite all families to enter more fully into the life of the Church and the parish community throughout the process.

The Lord Jesus looks lovingly on your child and your family. My prayer for you is that you keep the flame of faith alive in your hearts and the hearts of your whole family. As you strive to be living examples of faith and discipleship to your children, know that you are in my prayers as well.

Again thank you for choosing baptism at St. Daniel the Prophet; we look forward to welcoming your new child into the Catholic Church.

Sincerely in Christ,

Padre Carlos Gomez
Pastor



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Pre-Baptism Checklist

(All to be completed PRIOR to baptism being scheduled)

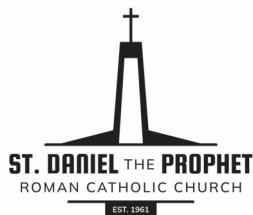
Parents of Child

1. Child must be less than 7 years old
2. Submitted a copy of child's **birth certificate**.
3. The full names of the godparents (she must give her maiden name)
4. Bring a copy of the parent's ID
5. Church Marriage Certificate (If married)
6. Administration fee \$120.00 for baptisms at St Daniel's, (per family). For those who only take the baptism class, fee is \$100.00 (per family).

ALL DONATIONS ARE FINAL. THERE WILL BE NO REFUNDS

Godparents

7. They must be PRACTICING CATHOLICS.
8. Unmarried persons over 16 years old NOT LIVING with anyone as a couple and who have received the Sacraments of Baptism, First Communion and Confirmation. **Provide copies of Sacraments.** (No matter the relationship with the child or parents).
9. Those married in the Church must present their Catholic Church Marriage Certificate.
10. Those who are cohabiting or married only in WEDDING CHAPEL, CIVIL COURT, CANNOT BE GODPARENTS.
11. Parents and godparents must attend the Pre-Baptismal class held once a month at the time indicated.
12. CHILDREN ARE NOT ALLOWED IN THE PRE-BAPTISMAL CLASS AND THE DOORS ARE CLOSED AS SOON AS IT STARTS.
13. If the parents or godparents have already taken the class in another parish, please present proof of attendance.



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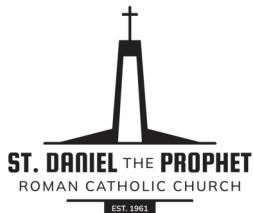
Baptism Schedule 2026 (Subject to change)

PRE-BAPTISMAL CLASS

Parents and Godparents (Children not allow)

BAPTISM DAY

January 12	Monday 6:00 pm	January 25	Sunday 10:30 am
February 9	Monday 6:00 pm	February 15	Sunday 10:30 am
March 16	Monday 6:00 pm	April 05	Sunday 10:30 am
April 20	Monday 6:00 pm	April 26	Sunday 10:30 am
May 18	Monday 6:00 pm	May 24	Sunday 10:30 am
June 22	Monday 6:00 pm	June 28	Sunday 10:30 am
August 24	Monday 6:00 pm	August 30	Sunday 10:30 am
September 21	Monday 6:00 pm	September 27	Sunday 10:30 am
October 19	Monday 6:00 pm	October 25	Sunday 10:30 am
December 21	Monday 6:00 pm	December 27	Sunday 10:30 am



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Baptismal Intake Form

Baptism date requested: _____

The name of the parent(s) and child will appear on the Baptism certificate *exactly* as they do on the birth certificate. Please provide a copy.

Child's Full Name: _____
(Last) _____ (First) _____ (Middle) _____

Place of Birth: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Father's Name: _____ Religion: _____

Address: _____

Mother's Full Name: _____ Maiden Name: _____

Address: _____ Religion: _____

Mom's Phone: _____ Dad's Phone: _____ Email: _____

Do you live within the parish boundaries? Yes No Are you a registered parishioner? Yes No

Marital Status (check one):

Married Living together/not married Divorced Separated Single Widowed

Did this marriage take place in the Catholic Church? Yes No

Parents Sacraments Received (check all that apply):

Father: Baptism: _____ First Communion: _____ Confirmation: _____
Mother: Baptism: _____ First Communion: _____ Confirmation: _____

Child lives with (check one): Both Parents Mother Only Father Only Joint Custody Other

Godfather's Legal Name _____

Godmother's Legal Name _____

Father's Signature: _____ **Mother's Signature:** _____

For Office Use Only

PARENTS: Copy of Child's Birth Certificate Baptism Class letter Permission Letter (if needed)

GODFATHER: Baptism Class letter
 Confirmation Certificate, or Catholic Church Marriage Cert., if married Permission Letter (if needed)

GODMOTHER: Baptism Class letter
 Confirmation Certificate, or Catholic Church Marriage Cert., if married Permission Letter (if needed)

Baptism Date: _____

Date of Baptism Class: _____ **Instructor:** _____

Recorded in Sacramental Register : _____ **Entered into OSV:** _____ **Date:** _____