



SANTA BERNADITA CATHOLIC CHURCH

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BAPTISM INFORMATION FORM

Please Print clearly

CHILD'S INFORMATION (as indicated on official Birth Certificate)

FULL NAME: _____
Last First Middle

DATE OF BIRTH: _____ Age: ____ Place of Birth: _____ SEX: ()M / ()F

FATHER'S NAME: _____
Last First Middle

MOTHER'S NAME (MAIDEN): _____
Last First Middle

ARE PARENTS MARRIED? () Yes () No IF YES, () Civil or () Religious?

PLACE OF MARRIAGE? (Name of Church / Location) _____

DATE OF MARRIAGE: _____ NAME OF PRIEST / OFFICIATE: _____

CONTACT INFORMATION

HOME PHONE: _____ WORK / CELL PHONE: _____

HOME ADDRESS: _____

MAILING ADDRESS: _____

FOR PARISH OFFICE USE ONLY

BAPTISM DATE/TIME: _____ INSTRUCTIONS DATE: _____

NAME OF SPONSOR (God-Father): _____

NAME OF SPONSOR (God-Mother): _____

Home Parish of God-Father: _____

Home Parish of God-Mother: _____

DOCUMENTS SUBMITTED

- _____ Birth Certificate
- _____ God-Father Form
- _____ God-Mother Form

If Applicable:

- _____ Proxy (GF / GM) Form
- _____ Permission for Non-Parishioner

For Baptism Instructor Only

Did Parents & Godparents attend Baptism Instructions?

() Yes () No

FOR RECORDING PURPOSES

Priest / Deacon Administering Sacrament

Date recorded: _____

Book: Volume ____ Page ____ No. ____

Recorded by: _____

PLEASE READ:

**** BAPTISMS ARE EVERY 1ST AND 3RD SATURDAYS OF THE MONTH, AND WEEKDAYS UPON REQUEST & IF THE PASTOR IS AVAILABLE.**

BAPTISM INSTRUCTIONS FOR PARENT(S) & GODPARENT(S) ONLY ARE ON THURSDAYS BEFORE BAPTISM DATE, 7PM IN THE CONFERENCE ROOM.

1. REQUIRED DOCUMENTS FOR BAPTISM FOR CHILDREN AGES 0-7 YEARS OLD:

- A. Information for Baptism Form completed and signed by the parent
- B. Copy of child's official Birth Certificate issued by Department of Public Health
- C. Sponsor(s) Permission Form from parish priest **WHERE THEY ATTEND MASS REGULARLY.**

**** ALL DOCUMENTS MUST BE SUBMITTED PRIOR TO SCHEDULING OF INSTRUCTIONS.**

2. PRE-REQUISITES TO BE A GODPARENT:

- A. Must be 16 years old, unless the diocesan bishop has established another age, or the pastor or minister has granted an exception for a just cause.
- B. Must be a Catholic who has received the Sacrament of Confirmation, has already received the most Holy Sacrament of the Eucharist, and who leads a life of faith in keeping with the function to be taken on as a Godparent.
- C. If married, they must be married in a Catholic Church by a Catholic Priest or Deacon. If married civilly or cohabiting (common-law), then they have given up their privilege of becoming a Godparent.
- D. If Sponsor is or will be off island, a Proxy (stand-in) for the Godparent MUST obtain a Sponsor Permission Form.

3. PARENT(S)/SPONSOR(S):

- A. Must attend Baptism Instructions, which will be scheduled upon submission of ALL required documents. You will be informed of the date of instructions.
- B. Must provide the white Baptism Gown AND 1 white candle (taper).

FOR POHNPEIAN COMMUNITY ONLY:

**** BAPTISMS FOR POHNPEIAN COMMUNITY IS EVERY 4TH SUNDAY OF THE MONTH.**

Parent(s) must obtain a Referral Form for Baptism Instructions from the Parish Office and meet with Pohnpeian catechist Lorenzo Joel for scheduling of instructions. Upon completion of instructions, Referral Form must be filled out and signed by the catechist and returned to the Parish Office.

I have read and hereby understand and acknowledge all of the above.

Print Name / Signature

Date