



**Guidelines, Instructions, Forms
for Baptism of Infants and Children that have reached the Age of Reason (Age 7)**

Parent Checklist PRIOR TO SCHEDULING THE BAPTISM:

- Be registered and practicing members of Prince of Peace Parish
Members of an outside Catholic Church that desire to have their child baptized at Prince of Peace Parish are required to obtain and provide a Certificate of Permission from their home church, signed by the Pastor, in place of registering at our Parish.
- Attend Baptism Preparation Class within 3 years of the Sacrament
- Complete the attached Baptism Request Form and turn it in to the Parish Office
- Provide a copy of the child's Birth Certificate to the Parish Office
- Select Godparent(s).** When selecting a Godparent, choose an adult who is committed to assisting you as parents to teach your child the Catholic Faith. They must be 16 or older and have received the Sacraments of Baptism, Eucharist and Confirmation. If married, their marriage had to be in the Catholic church or blessed by the Catholic Church; they cannot be living together outside of Church marriage and must provide a copy of their Catholic Marriage certificate if married.
 - Godparents are to complete the attached certificate, signed by their Pastor or the Pastor's representative and submit to the Parish Office
 - Parents and Godparents (local) must attend Baptism Preparation Class within 3 years of the Sacrament

Once all items above are completed and paperwork turned in to the Parish Office, we will call you to confirm a date and time for the Baptism of your child.

You may select the day and time that works best for your family from the list below.

Preparation Classes Available	
All Classes at St. Rose Auditorium Meeting Room	
Language	Day/Time
English	1st Saturday 7:00 pm
Spanish	Last Saturday 6:30 pm

Available days, times and locations for the baptism		
No Baptisms during the Season of Lent		
Language	Day/Time	Location
English	2nd Saturday 7:00 pm	St. Rose Church
English	2nd Sunday 2:30 pm	St. Patrick Church
English	3rd Saturday 7:00 pm	St. Patrick Church
English	4th Sunday 2:30 pm	St. Rose Church
Spanish	1st Sunday 2:00 pm	St. Rose Church
Spanish	3rd Saturday 7:00 pm	St. Rose Church



Baptism Request Form~Complete and submit to Parish Office. Please allow 1 week to process.

Child Name as shown on birth certificate:

 First Middle Last

Date of Birth _____ Place of Birth _____
 mmddyy City State Country

Gender: Male Female

Was this child adopted? Yes No Was the child baptized in emergency? Yes No

Father Full name _____
 First Middle Last

Address _____
 Street or Box City State Zip Code

Religion _____ Email _____

Phone number _____ Date & Location, Baptismal Class _____

Mother Full name _____
 First Middle Last

Address _____
 Street or Box City State Zip Code

Religion _____ Email _____

Phone number _____ Date & Location, Baptismal Class _____

Maiden Name: _____

Parents Are you married in the eyes of the Catholic Church?
 Yes _____ We are not married

Name of Church & Town, State where you were married

No If no, where were you married? _____

Are either of you a registered member of Prince of Peace Parish? Yes No, but we are members of an outside Catholic Church _____
 Name & Location

Are you active Yes No In what way? Regularly attend Mass Volunteer Other _____

Godparent(s) You only need one, two is preferable. One of each sex. One MUST be Catholic.

Godfather Full name _____
 First Middle Last

Address _____
 Street or Box City State Zip Code

Date & Location, Baptismal Class _____ Religion _____

Proxy? Yes No Proxy name and address _____

Godmother Full name _____
 First Middle Last

Address _____
 Street or Box City State Zip Code

Date & Location, Baptismal Class _____ Religion _____

Proxy? Yes No Proxy name and address _____

OFFICE USE: All items received in office _____ Priest approval _____ Date _____

Baptism: Priest _____ Date _____ Time _____ Location _____ Book Bulletin PDS Cert sent

