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APPLICATION FOR BAPTISM:

Parents are reminded:

1. By asking to have their child baptised, the parents want him or her to become a child of God and a member of God's Church. This means that they must be practising members of the Church themselves.
2. At the actual baptism the parents solemnly promise before God ,accept the privilege and the responsibility of ensuring that their child grow up in the knowledge, love and service of God.
3. It is the parents themselves who set the example to their children by their own practice of the faith: regular daily prayer, Sunday Mass and Holy Communion.
4. At least one God parents must be practising Catholic, Confirmed and over 16yrs so that they can also give a good example to their Godchild.

I/ We understand the responsibility that Baptism places upon us as parents and promise to do my/our best to bring our child up in the practise of the faith.

I/ We understand also that the best example I/ We can give is to practise our own faith by attending Mass every Sunday, receiving Holy Communion and making prayer an important part of daily living.

Signed:-----

**Please return this section to the Parish office
BAPTISM FORM**

Please Print clearly

Child's Surname: _____

First Names: _____

Male / Female

Date of Birth _____

Father's Name: _____

Father's Religion: _____

Mother's Name: _____

Maiden Name: _____

Mother's Religion: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Email: _____

Date and Place of Wedding: _____

Which Church do you attend for Sunday Mass: _____

What time Mass do you usually attend: _____

God Father: _____

Religion: _____

God Mother: _____

Religion: _____

* Consent given to put the Baptism in the newsletter: **Yes** **No**

If you have previously completed a Baptism Course, please give venue & date: It is essential that you attend the last session of the course prior to date of Baptism.

For Office Use Only: Date of Baptism:

Time: 1pm Sunday

Certificate issued:

For the Catechist: Date of the Baptism sessions attended:

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.