

## ST. PETER'S ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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### **BAPTISM REGISTRATION FORM**

- Please make sure to read the baptism information located on the same page of our parish website (click link above registration form).
- Contact the parish office to arrange an appointment with the Pastor to review your <u>completed form</u>, the <u>required</u> <u>certificates</u> and discuss a Baptismal date. All documentation must be brought with you to this meeting.
- Incomplete information / certificates not provided at appointment, will delay your request for Baptism.
- Please <u>DO NOT</u> send any forms to the parish office; with the exception of updated certificates sent directly from other parishes.
- Parents & Godparents your church of Baptism may email your updated certificate to <u>office@stpeterswoodbridge.com</u>
   <u>Please make sure to have your child's full name and appointment date with Pastor included as a reference to Baptism on email.
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- ❖ The **UPDATED BAPTISMAL CERTIFICATE** shows all Sacraments received (except for First Holy Communion).
- Outdated certificates you currently have at home will not be acceptable. Must be recently dated.
- Certificates are not kept on file and must be resubmitted upon registration for all Sacraments requested.

Date Completing Form:	
Please answer the question that best applies to you:	
I currently live within the territorial boundaries of St. Peter's Parish. Are you a registered member? Yes No	]
I currently DO NOT live within the territorial boundaries of St. Peter's Parish, but I am formally registered.	
I currently DO NOT live within the territorial boundaries of St. Peter's Parish and will provide a letter of permission from my community parish.	
I am currently NOT REGISTERED with a parish. If you are currently NOT registered with a parish, please locate your nearest Catholic church as we recommend you register as a family within your territorial boundaries. Please note you will be required obtain a <u>letter of permission</u> from your local parish in order to have your child Baptized at St. Peter's Parish.	
As it is the duty of BOTH parents to help raise your child in the Catholic faith, both parents should participate in answering the following question:	е
"Why are we seeking Baptism for our child?" (please be assured that this is not a test but simply a way of helping you to seriously consider your decision to have your child baptized)	

Baptism Date Assigned Baptismal Class To Attend:	l: Date Approved By Pastor:
CHILD'S INFORMATION: Full legal name of A copy of you	f Child as it appears on the official Birth Certificate.  ur child's original birth certificate must be provided.
Child's Surname:	Child's First and Middle Name(s):
Last Name First Name	Middle Name(s)
Male Female Date Of Birth:	y / Month / Year)
<b>PARENT(S) INFORMATION</b> : Were you ma	urried in a Catholic Church?
Church of Marriage:	Date:
FATHER'S INFORMATION (Full Legal Name)	MOTHER'S INFORMATION (Full Legal Name)
First Name:	
Middle Name:	
Last Name:	
I am a parent, or have legal custody of the child. Other:	I am a parent, or have legal custody of the child.
Religion: Roman Catholic None Other Specify:	Religion: Roman Catholic None Other Specify:
Were You Baptized at St. Peter's Church?	Were You Baptized at St. Peter's Church?
Yes (you <u>DO NOT</u> need to provide your Baptismal certificate	
No (If NOT Baptized at St. Peter's church, you will need to attach a RECENTLY DATED copy of your Baptismal certificate.  In order to obtain a recently dated copy, contact the churwhere you were Baptized.  Outdated Certificates you currently have at home will not acceptable.  Certificates are not kept on file and must be resubmitted upon registration for all Sacraments requested.	No (If NOT Baptized at St. Peter's church, you will need to attach a RECENTLY DATED copy of your Baptismal certificate.  In order to obtain a recently dated copy, contact the church where you were Baptized.  Outdated Certificates you currently have at home will not be acceptable.
Present Address:	Present Address: same as Father's address
Street	Street
City	
Postal Code	
Telephone #	Telephone #
Fmail Address	Email Address

#### **QUALIFICATIONS FOR A BAPTISM GODPARENT(S):**

- The child may have only one or two godparents. Cannot be the father or mother of the one to be baptized. (Code of Canon Law, 873)
- If two godparents are chosen, one is to be a man and the other a woman. (Code of Canon Law, 873)
- The intended godparent(s) must have received the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist. (Code of Canon Law 872)
- The intended godparent(s) must be at least 16 years of age to undertake this role. (Code of Canon Law 872)
- The intended godparent(s) must be in good standing with the Catholic Church (eg. <u>not married outside of the Catholic Church and a practicing member</u>). (Code of Canon Law 872)
- The intended godparent(s) was not divorced and remarried. (Code of Canon Law 872)

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#### **GODPARENT(S) INFORMATION**:

	MATION (Full Legal Name)		
First Name	Middle Name	Last Name	Age
Married (if married, m	ust be married in Catholic Church)	Single	
Specify Church name,	City	and date of marriage:	
Individual fulfills all to Religion:	the qualifications of Canon Law lis	ted above.	
Baptized at St. Peter's Pa	rish? No Yes (If yes, you v	vill not need to provide your Baptismal / Confi	irmation certificate.)
		nust provide an <u>UPDATED BAPTISMAL (</u> where you were Baptized. (see below for	
GODMOTHER'S INFOR	RMATION (Full Legal Name)		
First Name	Middle Name	Last Name	
	Middle Name  ust be married in Catholic Church)		Age
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Married (if married, m	ust be married in Catholic Church)	Singleand date of marriage:	•
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#### **QUALIFICATIONS FOR A CHRISTIAN WITNESS:**

(Code of Canon Law, c. 874)

- Must be a validly baptized Christian of a <u>non-Catholic</u> church.
- May only participate together with your chosen Catholic Godparent.

# **CHRISTIAN WITNESS: CHRISTIAN WITNESS INFORMATION:** First Name Middle Name(s) Last Name Age Religion: Specify: \_\_\_\_\_ Individual fulfills all the qualifications of Canon Law listed above. ATTENTION: CONSENT TO BE SIGNED BY NON-CATHOLIC PARENT (IF APPLICABLE): \_\_\_\_\_, mother / father of \_\_\_\_\_ give full Parent's name (circle one) Child's name permission to have my child Baptized into the Roman Catholic faith at St. Peter's Parish, Woodbridge, Ontario. Signature Date PARENT'S DECLARATION: Please Complete Below mother / father, declare that the information on this registration form is Print parent's name (circle one) true and accurate.



Reminder: Upon completion of registration, we ask that you contact the parish office to schedule an appointment (905)851-3600.

<u>Checklist:</u> What will I need to have at the meeting with the Pastor?

1. Completed registration form in full.

Signature:

- 2. Recently dated certificates as requested on registration form.
- 3. Copy of your child's original birth certificate.
- 4. Letter of permission (if applicable) as indicated on baptism information page on webpage.