

# CHURCH OF THE MOST BLESSED SACRAMENT

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## Data for Catholic Baptism

Child's full Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Place of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

Father: \_\_\_\_\_ Religion \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_ Religion \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Where were you married? \_\_\_\_\_

Was a Catholic Priest Present? \_\_\_\_\_

What church are you currently registered in? \_\_\_\_\_

Godfather: \_\_\_\_\_ Religion \_\_\_\_\_

Godmother: \_\_\_\_\_ Religion \_\_\_\_\_

Your Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Numbers: \_\_\_\_\_

Date and time of Baptism: \_\_\_\_\_

Priest Officiating: \_\_\_\_\_

## REQUIREMENTS FOR INFANT BAPTISM

1. The Catholic parent(s) must be registered at Blessed Sacrament and attending weekly mass faithfully.
2. Parent(s) must be willing to make a faith commitment to rear their child in the **practice** of the Catholic faith.
3. Parent(s) must formally introduce themselves to one of the Priests after a Mass and explain to the Priest that they are planning to have their child baptized at Blessed Sacrament.
4. A class or meeting with the Priest on the Sacrament of Baptism is required of all parents desiring to have their child baptized.
5. A *Data for Catholic Baptism* form must be filled out and returned to the church.
6. There may be one Godfather, one Godmother, or one of each. This Godparent **must be a practicing Roman Catholic**. A baptized person belonging to a non-Catholic church community may be admitted as a “witness” to Baptism, but only along with a Catholic Godparent.
7. Baptisms may take place on Saturdays at approximately 7:00 PM, after the 5:30 vigil mass (unless a wedding is booked) and Sundays at approximately 12:00 noon, after the 10:30 AM Mass. Parents and Godparents, along with the infant are encouraged to attend the preceding Mass.

(N.B.: The interest of the child who is to be baptized will be paramount; however, a **faith commitment** on the part of the Catholic parent(s) is vitally important if this Sacrament is to be properly celebrated.)