



ST. STANISLAUS CATHOLIC CHURCH

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BAPTISMAL REGISTRATION FORM

OFFICE USE ONLY

Presiding Priest/Deacon:	
Entered in PDS:	Confirmed date of Baptism:
Recorded in Church Registry:	Parents attended Baptism Class:
Certificate Mailed or Hand Delivered on:	Godparents attended Baptism Class:

Please print all information clearly

All information is confidential and recorded in St. Stanislaus Church registry.

Today's Date: _____

Child's Full Name: (First) _____ (Middle) _____ (Last) _____

Address: (Street Number) _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Home Phone: _____ Daytime _____ Cell _____

Date of Birth: _____ City of Birth _____ State _____

(A copy of child's official state birth certificate must accompany Registration Form)

Gender of Child: M/F _____

Father's Full Name: (First) _____ (Middle) _____ (Last) _____

(As stated on child's official state birth certificate)

Religion of Father: _____ Father Confirmed? Yes () No ()

Mother's Full Name: (First) _____ (Middle) _____ (Last) _____

(As stated on child's official state birth certificate)

Religion of Mother: _____ Mother Confirmed? Yes () No ()

Email Address: (If desired for baptism notification) _____

Are you (Parents) registered members of St. Stanislaus Catholic Church? Yes () No ()

If you are not a member of St. Stanislaus Catholic Church, permission is required from your Parish.

Was the child adopted? Yes () No () If so, legal documentation is needed.

Marriage Information of Parents

Marital Status of Parents (married, single or divorced) _____

Catholic Church Marriage: Yes () No ()

If yes, please provide name of Church, City and State: _____

If single or divorced, please attach legal documentation verifying guardianship. A parental permission form is also needed.

Godparent Information

The Catholic Church requires the following of Godparents: (canon 874.1)

- The godparents are to be chosen by the parents or guardians.
- They are to be at least sixteen years of age.
- They must be Catholics fully initiated in the Catholic Church having received Baptism, Holy Eucharist and Confirmation.
- They should be leading the life in harmony with the faith; i.e., practicing Catholics (attending Mass), if married, in a valid Catholic Marriage, etc.
- They may not be the father or mother of the one to be baptized.
- You may choose one or two godparents. If you choose two, one must be male and the other female.
- The godparents must have the qualifications for and intention of carrying out this duty.
- Each Godparent must provide proof of Confirmation and Catholic marriage (if married).
- If not registered in this parish, they must provide a letter from their parish church which they attend stating they are eligible and have permission to serve as Godparents.
- Godparents are required to attend baptismal preparation classes at this church or another Catholic Church. If they have attended a class in the past four years they do not need to re-take the class, but must provide proof of attendance.
- ****Non-Catholic Witness** (Can. 874.2) A **baptized** person belonging to a non-Catholic ecclesial (church) community may be admitted as a witness to baptism but only along with a Catholic Godparent. This person is **not** formally called a Godparent, but will be referred to as a Christian Witness.

Name of Male Godparent: _____ Member of St. Stanislaus: Yes () No ()

If No, where? _____

(A letter or certificate of verification is required from their Parish)

Is Male Godparent in a valid Catholic Marriage, i.e., married in the Catholic Church? Yes () No ()

If No, Where? _____

Name of Female Godparent: _____ Member of St. Stanislaus: Yes () No ()

If No, where? _____

(A letter or certificate of verification is required from their Parish)

Is Female Godparent in a valid Catholic Marriage, i.e., married in the Catholic Church? Yes () No ()

If No, Where? _____

Will either Godparent be represented by a Proxy (ies)? Yes () No ()