

All Saints Parish, Le Mars, Iowa

Request for a Baptism

Today's Date: _____

Full Name of Person to be Baptized: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Place of Birth: _____

Father's Full Name (including middle name): _____

Address: _____ City, State: _____ Zip: _____

Telephone: _____ Email: _____

Religion: _____ Practicing (circle one): Yes or No

Mother's Full Name (including middle name): _____

Maiden Name (if different): _____

Address (if different): _____

Telephone: _____ Email: _____

Religion: _____ Practicing (circle one): Yes or No

Definition of active Catholic:

- Seeks to be a person of faith and prayer through word and action in daily life
- Is an active participant at Mass every weekend
- Is a steward of time/talent/treasure

Baptism approved by: _____

Presider: _____

Name of Requested Godfather: (Practicing Catholic?) _____

Name of Requested Godmother: (Practicing Catholic?) _____

Name of Christian Witness (Non-Catholic, baptized Christian): _____

Date being requested: _____ Time: _____

Church site being requested: _____ St. James Church _____ St. Joseph Church

Local Contact Person (if family does not live in Le Mars): _____

Written permission from the parish where the family lives must be received before the baptism can take place here in Le Mars. The letter should indicate that the family is registered in the parish, is active, and that they have received baptismal instructions. (Attach letter to this form)

Is this the first child for the parents: Father: Yes or No Mother: Yes or No

If this is the first child, have the parents attended baptismal preparation? Yes or No

Parishioners wishing to have a child baptized at All Saints Parish must be registered and active members for at least three months prior to the baptism.

- Since the Eucharist is at the heart of our Faith, "active membership" means regular participation at weekend Mass, documented by the use of contribution envelopes.
- *The envelope may be turned in empty if your situation does not allow you to help with parish financial support.* If you do not receive envelopes, please contact the parish office.

If this is your first child to be baptized at All Saints Parish, prior to Baptism parents must also register for and complete the Baptism Preparation class held the 5th Sunday of the month. Registration forms can be found online, or please contact the parish office.