

## Sponsor Information

A Catholic godparent (sponsor) must be 16 years old, baptized, confirmed and practicing their Catholic Faith, including weekly attendance at Mass.

- Only one godparent is required, irrespective of the gender of the child (i.e., a male child may have a female godparent, and vice versa).
- If two godparents are chosen, one must be male, one must be female.

In place of a second godparent, a Christian Witness (a practicing Christian of another denomination) is acceptable. He / she may be the same gender as the Catholic godparent.

Because the role of godparent is important, **a godparent who is a member of All Saints Parish must attend a pre-baptism class prior to the baptism.** This does not need to be the same class that the parents attend.

A godparent who is not a member of All Saints Parish or who will be a Christian witness **must present a letter from his / her pastor (Catholic or Protestant) attesting that they are registered and active in the practice of their Faith.**

**Name of Godfather** (Catholic) \_\_\_\_\_

Parish \_\_\_\_\_

**Name of Godmother** (Catholic) \_\_\_\_\_

Parish \_\_\_\_\_

If only one godparent is provided, a Christian Witness may be present, but is not required.

A Christian Witness must be a baptized and practicing Christian of another denomination.

Name of Christian Witness \_\_\_\_\_

Church of Baptism \_\_\_\_\_

Church of Attendance \_\_\_\_\_

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### For Office Use

#### All Saints Parishioners

Godfather: Pre-baptism class \_\_\_\_\_ Approved \_\_\_\_\_

Godmother: Pre-baptism class \_\_\_\_\_ Approved \_\_\_\_\_

Christian Witness Pre-baptism class \_\_\_\_\_ Approved \_\_\_\_\_

#### Non-parishioners

Godfather: Documentation \_\_\_\_\_ Approved \_\_\_\_\_

Godmother: Documentation \_\_\_\_\_ Approved \_\_\_\_\_

Christian Witness Documentation \_\_\_\_\_ Approved \_\_\_\_\_