

Your Child and Baptism

Baptism



CATHOLIC PARISH OF NEWPORT
ALL SAINTS

For Office Use Only:

Name: _____

Minister Visit Date: ____ / ____ / ____

Baptism Form Arrival Date:
____ / ____ / ____

Notes: _____

The Blue Form

Baptism Preparation Course

Practicing Godparent Form

Confirmed Date of Baptism:
____ / ____ / ____

Congratulations

The family of the Church is looking forward to welcoming and introducing your child to the ways of faith.

There will be a lot of growing for your child to do in the coming years. They will be growing physically, mentally and emotionally. Baptism is the start of a life-long process of learning to love God and to keep His Commandments by loving God and our neighbour. The baptism of a child is a crucial, grace-filled moment in the life of the family, in particular for the parents. It is a moment of commitment to Christ and His Church. Just as you will help your child to grow in other ways, so it is your responsibility to help them grow in the ways of faith.

If children do not learn about God at home, hear their parents speak of God's presence in their lives and do not see their parents at prayer, in particular faithfully attending Sunday Mass; the children will be spiritually impoverished.

If you are ready to accept this responsibility then the baptism, will be a real highlight for you and your family. To help you prepare for, and get the most out of this, the Parish runs a preparation course for parents asking to have their child Baptised.

Baptism is so important, that, although the Church is not in the habit of refusing to baptise, it may be delayed a little if more time is needed for you to prepare for all that is really involved.

Please complete this form and return when you come to Mass on Sunday, so that we can arrange for one of the parish team to contact you.

Please Note:

If you wish the baptism to take place at a church outside the parish in which you live, you must obtain the permission of the Parish Priest of your home parish. Ask him to sign below.

I give permission for the baptism of _____

To take place at the Church of _____

Signed:

Preparing for your Child's Baptism

Child's Full Name: _____

Male / Female (*Please delete, as appropriate*)

Child's Date of Birth: _____ / _____ / _____

Mother's Full Name: _____

Maiden Name: _____

Baptised Catholic: Yes / No

If yes, Place & Date of Baptism:

Father's Full Name: _____

Baptised Catholic: Yes / No

If yes, Place & Date of Baptism:

Home Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Email: _____

Attended Previous Baptism Course in the last three years? Yes / No

If yes, year of last course? _____

Protecting your Privacy

This parish is part of the Archdiocese of Cardiff (“the Diocese”) and a record of your personal information will be held by the Diocese and stored securely on a password-protected database maintained by the parish.

We comply with data protection and marketing legislation. We do not transfer your data to third parties to use for their own marketing or fundraising purposes.

Your parish office will use your details to keep in touch with you about news and events within your parish and to help you in pastoral situations you may find yourself in the future. This may include sharing your information with Catholic organisations working on our behalf within the parish (e.g. St. Vincent De Paul Society [SVP], Legion of Mary etc.), or when required by law (e.g. to claim Gift Aid).

We would also occasionally like to send you news, reminders, and alerts by phone, post, email or text about the work of the parish. If you would like to receive this information, please tick the box and complete your details below.

I would like to receive news and alerts about the work of the parish

I would like to be contacted by:

Post Address:

Phone Number:

Text (SMS) Number:

Email Address:

You can withdraw or change your consent at any time by contacting the Parish Administrator at All Saints Parish Office, 9 Stow Hill, Newport. NP20 1TP or by email at newport@rcadc.org. You will also be able to opt out via the unsubscribe options included on each email or text message.

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