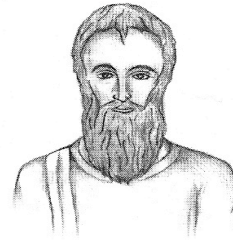


The Parish of Saints John and Andrew



A Catholic Community
Of
The Diocese of Syracuse

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Please PRINT all information clearly
All information is confidential and recorded in Saints John & Andrew Registry

Today's Date: _____

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

Address: (Street Number) _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Home Phone: _____ Daytime Phone _____ Cell: _____

Date of Birth: _____ City of Birth _____ State _____

Gender of Child: M/F _____

Father's Full Name: (First) _____ (Middle) _____ (Last) _____
(As stated on Child's Birth Certificate)

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

Mother's Full Name: **Maiden** (Last) Name _____ (First) _____ (Middle) _____
(As stated on Child's Birth Certificate)

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

Are you (Parents) registered members of Saints John & Andrew? Yes () No ()
If you are not a member of Saints John & Andrew, 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. These forms are available at the Faith Formation Office.

(Over)

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 who have already been confirmed, and have received the holy Eucharist.
- *They should be leading a 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.
- **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 Saints John & Andrew: 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 ()

Female Godparent: _____ Member of Saints John & Andrew: 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 yes, where?

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

Christian Witnesses

Name of Christian Witness: _____ Faith. Baptized in _____

Name of Church, City and State in which the Christian Witness practices: _____

Baptism Class Preparation

Have Parents attended a baptismal preparation class? Yes () No () If yes, Where? _____

Have Godparents attended a baptismal preparation class? Yes () No () If yes, Where? _____

By signing below, I certify that all information provided on this form, is true and correct; and I hereby give permission for the baptism of the above named child in the Catholic Church.

Signature of parent(s)

Date

Signature of parent(s)

Date

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Certificate Received on: _____	Presiding Priest/Deacon: _____
Confirmed date of Baptism: _____	
Parents attended Baptism Class: _____	Godparents attended Baptism Class: _____
Entered in PDS: _____	Recorded in Church Registry: _____