



# St. Nicholas Catholic Church

Platteville, CO  
Baptism Application

Today's Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Class: \_\_\_\_\_

(class days listed below)

## Child's Information

Child's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

(as listed on the Birth Certificate)

Birth date: \_\_\_\_\_ City of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

## Parent's Information

Father's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Baptized Catholic: Y N Baptized Other Religion? \_\_\_\_\_

What church do you attend? \_\_\_\_\_ Are you Registered? \_\_\_\_\_

Sacraments Received: Confession? Y N Communion? Y N Confirmation? Y N

Mother's Maiden Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Baptized Catholic: Y N Baptized Other Religion? \_\_\_\_\_

What church do you attend? \_\_\_\_\_ Are you Registered? \_\_\_\_\_

Sacraments Received: Confession? Y N Communion? Y N Confirmation? Y N

Marital Status of Parents: Married in the Catholic Church? Y N Another Church? Y N

Divorced? Y N Never Married? Y N Living Together? Y N

## Requirements for having a child Baptized:

- The child must be 6 years old or younger.
- At least one parent (or legal guardian) must give consent.
- There needs to be a commitment to raise the child in the Catholic Church.
- Parents and sponsors must attend a Baptismal Prep Class, offered on the 2nd Tuesday at St. John the Baptist in English, or on the 4th Monday at St. Nicholas in Spanish, both are at 7:00 pm. If a class has been attended at another Catholic Church in the past 2 years is not required to the class, but a letter from the church certifying the attendance in the class must be presented no later than one week before the Baptism.
- It is necessary to provide a copy of the birth certificate.

Godparent Information continued on the back

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### Requirements for Godparents:

- You may have 1 or 2 Godparents, no more than 2. If there are two, they must be one male and one female.
- Godparents must be over the age of 16, received their Sacraments of Initiation (Baptism, Communion, Confirmation).
- Godparents must be Catholics in good standing, practicing their faith and not living in a situation contrary to Catholic teaching (ie, living with someone and not married).
- If married, Godparents must have been married in the Catholic Church.
- Godparents must provide Confirmation and Marriage Certificates.
- If Godparents are from a different Catholic parish, that parish must send us a letter indicating they are members in good standing.
- If Godparents want to take the Baptism class at another parish they must provide a letter stating they took the class no later than one week before the Baptism.
- If there is only one Catholic Godparent, there may be 1 non-Catholic Christian witness. They are a witness to the Baptism, but are not a Godparent and are not asked to assume the responsibilities of a Godparent. Christian witnesses must also be Baptized. There must be one Catholic Godparent.

### Godfather Information

<b>Godfather's Name:</b> _____	<b>Date of Birth:</b> _____
Confirmed? Y N	<b>Name of Church:</b> _____
Married? Y N	<b>Name of Church:</b> _____
What church do you attend? _____	Are you Registered? _____

### Godmother Information

<b>Godmother's Name:</b> _____	<b>Date of Birth:</b> _____
Confirmed? Y N	<b>Name of Church:</b> _____
Married? Y N	<b>Name of Church:</b> _____
What church do you attend? _____	Are you Registered? _____

### Witness Information

<b>Witness Name:</b> _____	<b>Date of Birth:</b> _____
Baptized? Y N	<b>Name of Church:</b> _____
What church do you attend? _____	Are you Registered? _____

**Baptism Date:** dates to be discussed during class or call the office after your class to get on the schedule

<b>Baptism Date Requested:</b> _____	<b>Language:</b> _____
<b>Celebrant:</b> _____	

### St. Nicholas Catholic Church

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