

## REQUIREMENTS FOR GODPARENTS FOR YOUR CHILD As stated in Canon 874

Must be at least 16 years of age.

Must be a baptized Catholic who has completed the sacraments of Eucharist and Confirmation.

May not be the parent of the child being baptized.

If married, must be married in the Catholic Church, regularly attending mass on Sunday, and living their Faith.

The two Godparents do not have to be married to one another.

A baptized non-catholic may not be a godparent but may serve as a witness along with a Catholic godparent.

Non-baptized person may not serve as witnesses or godparent

A baptized Catholic who has fallen away from the faith and either is or is not registered with another faith cannot serve as godparent or witness.