



STEPS FOR INFANT OR CHILD BAPTISM

Use the following list to check off the steps taken for Baptism

BAPTISM CLASS This class must be completed before the baptism date. The class is about one hour in length and scheduled through the Church Office (467-6449). You only need to take the class once if in the future you have more than one child.

CALL THE CHURCH OFFICE TO SCHEDULE THE BAPTISM DATE AND TIME
Call 920-467-6449 to schedule a date and time.

Member of St. Paul - Please note that the Baptism may be scheduled during any Thursday (6:30 pm) or Saturday (5 pm) services or NON-communion Sunday services which are the 1st or 3rd Sundays of the month. Baptisms may also be celebrated privately at another time depending on the Pastor's schedule-contact the church office to verify availability.

Not a member of St. Paul - We will be happy to schedule a private Baptism before or after the Thursday or Saturday services or after the 10:45 service on Sunday morning. After completion of the Baptism class, please call the church office to check on availability and schedule the date/time.

APPLICATION FOR HOLY BAPTISM Please complete the application form on the reverse side.

RETURN THIS APPLICATION FORM AND BRING IN THE BIRTH CERTIFICATE
Please bring in a copy of your child's birth certificate to verify information given on the Baptism form. ***If the birth certificate is not verified, certificates will NOT be issued.***

TURN IN THE APPLICATION FORM AT LEAST 10 DAYS PRIOR TO THE BAPTISM

DO YOU NEED PEWS RESERVED FOR SPONSORS /FAMILY MEMBERS DURING THE SERVICE? If the Baptism is held during the service, please let us know how many people will be attending with you. Reserved seating is in the back of the Worship Center near the Baptismal font.

PLEASE NOTE St. Paul video records one service each weekend to post on our website. If your child is baptized *during* a recorded service and you do not want it to be broadcasted on our website, it is *your* responsibility to notify us *before* the day of the baptism.



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Application for Holy Baptism

Please print legibly to insure proper spelling on the certificates.

_____ **Male or Female** (circle one)
Child's Name: First, Middle, Last

_____ **Date of Birth** _____ **Place of Birth** (Hospital Name, City & State)

_____ **Father's Name:** First, Middle, Last _____ **Member of which church**

_____ **Mother's Name:** First, Middle, Maiden, Last _____ **Member of which church**

_____ **Parents Address:** Street, City, State, Zip

_____ **Home Phone Number** _____ **Father's Cell** _____ **Mother's Cell** _____ **Home Email Address**

_____ **Name & Age of other children in your family** _____ **Name & Age of other children in your family**

_____ **Name & Age of other children in your family** _____ **Name & Age of other children in your family**

I/We have attended the Baptism Class for Parents on: _____

_____ **Father's Signature** _____ **Mother's Signature**

Your signature means that you understand and intend with God's help to fulfill the solemn pledge you are asked to make in the Sacrament. Baptism is not a magic formula guaranteeing eternal life. Baptism places a person into a "covenant relationship" with God. The benefits (forgiveness and eternal life) are ours only when that relationship is maintained through regular worship and study of Holy Scripture. In Holy Baptism, parents and sponsors promise to do everything in their power to teach the child being baptized to know and understand what this covenant relationship with God means.

SPONSORS (Members of a Lutheran Church) or WITNESSES (Member of a Christian Church)		
Full Name	Age	Member of which church (Name & City)

Office Use Only: Baptism Date: _____ Time: _____ Birth Certificate Verified by: _____
 Pastor assigned to Baptism: _____ # People expected if during worship: _____ Form x104