

BAPTISM INFORMATION FORM

Our Lady Star of the Sea Catholic Church
511 Veneta Ave., Bremerton WA. 98337
(360) 479-3777

Congratulations on the birth of your child!

Please print the legal name(s) here, and sign the form where indicated at the bottom of this form.

Family Name _____

Mailing Address _____

Telephone Number: _____

Father's name _____ Religion _____

Mother's maiden name _____ Religion _____

Have you been registered and actively participating in this parish for at least three months prior to this request for baptism? Yes _____ No _____

Are you married? Yes _____ No _____

If yes, was your marriage celebrated in the Church by a priest or deacon? Yes _____ No _____

Is one of the Godparent(s) a baptized, confirmed, and practicing catholic? Yes _____ No _____

NOTE: A baptism class is offered at Our Lady Star of the Sea, usually once a month; please ask for details.

PLEASE PROVIDE:

_____ The legal birth certificate for the child for whom you are requesting baptism.

_____ Letters of Recommendation from the Godparents' pastor that verifies their Catholic standing and practice.

Child's full and legal name _____

Date of birth _____ Male ___ Female ___ Place of birth _____

I understand that only after all paperwork and class(s) have been completed am I able to schedule the date for baptism.

(Signature of Applicant)

(Date)

GODPARENT INFORMATION

Our Lady Star of the Sea Parish
511 Veneta Ave., Bremerton WA 98337
(360) 479-3777

Please complete the following information and return it and the other documentation to Our Lady Star of the Sea Parish, at the address above as soon as possible.

GODFATHER CANDIDATE INFORMATION

Full Legal Name _____

Address _____

Telephone _____ Best time to call ____ AM ____ PM

GODMOTHER CANDIDATE INFORMATION

Full Legal Name _____

Maiden Name _____

Address _____

Telephone _____ Best time to call ____ AM ____ PM

NOTE: To be eligible for consideration as a Godparent, the Church requires the Godparent to be a Baptized, Confirmed and fully active Catholic.

To verify eligibility as a Godparent, please have your Godparent's pastor provide a letter of recommendation that confirms their sacramental status and activity. Letter needs to be mailed to:
Attn: Meg, Our Lady Star of the Sea, 511 Veneta Ave., Bremerton WA 98337 or email meg@starofthesea.net

IMPEDIMENTS TO BEING A GODPARENT INCLUDE:

- a. Being a non-Catholic
- b. Causal Church attendance (i.e., anything less than all Sundays and obligatory Holy Days)
- c. Not Confirmed in the Catholic Church
- d. Failure to register and/or support home parish
- e. Being in an invalid marriage (i.e., not married or convalidated in the Church)
- f. Engaging in any practice in conflict with the Church teachings on faith and morals (e.g. cohabitating without benefit of marriage, using artificial birth control, etc.)

Thank you!