



Our Lady of Mount Carmel

Baptism Registration Package



Welcome

The Lord has blessed you and our parish with a beautiful gift of your child.

You have played an important part in God's plan of creation, and with Him have given life to a new member of His family.

The Baptism of your child provides an opportunity to examine your own Catholic Christian life and invites you to reflect on your hopes and dreams for your child.

Infant Baptism: (requirements)

- Offered for children below the age of 7 years old.
- Godparents **must** be practicing Catholics, be at least 16 years of age, and **MUST** have received all the Sacraments of Initiation; (Baptism, Confirmation, and Eucharist).
- **Married** Godparents are required to have been married in the Catholic Church and must submit a copy of their marriage certificate.
- Both parents and godparents are required to attend a pre-baptism class prior to baptism.
- Certificate of class completion is accepted for parents or godparents who attended the class at another parish. Class certificates no older than 2 years old will be accepted.

Fees

Class Only - Designed for those who plan to baptize at another parish.

- A non-refundable \$25 fee must be submitted with all pre-baptism class applications for parents or godparents.

Baptisms - there is a \$50 non-refundable fee.

Required Documents

- ☐ Photocopy of child's birth certificate or adoption papers.
- ☐ Photocopy of Church Marriage certificate for married godparents.
- ☐ Godparent-Sponsor Application Form (one per primary godparent).
- ☐ Godparent Confirmation certificate (one per primary godparent).
- ☐ Completed and signed Parent/Legal Guardian application form.
- ☐ Pre-baptismal class certificate of completion (req'd if pre-baptism class attended at another parish).
- ☐ Pastor letter granting permission to baptize outside their registered parish (required for all applicants **not** registered at Our Lady of Mount Carmel Parish).

NOTE: All submitted documents must be entirely completed, signed, & fees paid before the baptism can be scheduled.

Please submit all forms a minimum of one weeks prior to attending the pre-baptismal class.

Questions Contact: Deacon Raymond Elias

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Baptism Registration Form

Baptism language: Eng ☐ Spanish ☐

Date Application Submitted (Print) _____	Requested class date: _____ Class and Baptism at OLMC? ☐ Yes Attending Class only? ☐ Yes	Requested Baptism Date: _____ Church Name (Print): _____ Address (Print): _____
Child's First Name (Print)	Child's Middle Name (Print)	Child's Last Name (Print)
Child's Date of Birth (Print)	Male ☐ Female ☐	Place of Birth (Location, City, State) (Print)
Mother's Maiden Name (Print First and last name)	Mother's Religion (Print)	<i>Parish use only</i> Date class training completed: _____ Location of Training: _____
Father's Full Name (Print)	Father's Religion (Print)	<i>Parish use only</i> Date class training completed: _____ Location of Training: _____
Parents Registered Parishioners of OLMC? Yes ☐ No ☐ Registered to another Parish? Name of Church: _____	Parents do you have any other children? Yes ☐ No ☐ If Yes, enter their age (years) _____	Parents Marital Status Single: Yes ☐ No ☐ Married in Church: Date: _____ Location: _____ Civil Married: Date: _____ Plan to Marry in the Church? Yes ☐ No ☐
Parents Mailing Address (Print)	City & Zip Code (Print)	Home Phone #: _____ Cell Phone #: _____ Email Address: _____
I agree to raise the child in the faith Mother's Signature	Baptism registration fees are non-refundable Ordinary Baptism Fee: \$50 ordinary Private Baptism for active military only Amount paid: _____ Date paid: _____	I agree to raise the child in the faith Father's Signature:
Godmother's Full Name (Print First and last name) _____ Age: _____ Godmother's Religion (Print) Initiated in the Church? Yes ☐ No ☐ Practicing Catholic? Yes ☐ No ☐	Godmother Marital Status Single? Yes ☐ No ☐ Divorced? Yes ☐ No ☐ Annulment? Yes ☐ No ☐ Married in Church: Yes ☐ No ☐ Date: _____ Location: _____ Civil Married: Yes ☐ No ☐ Date: _____	<i>Parish use only</i> Date class training completed: _____ Location of Training: _____
Godfather's Full Name (Print First and last name) _____ Age: _____ Godfather's Religion (Print) Initiated in the Church? Yes ☐ No ☐ Practicing Catholic? Yes ☐ No ☐	Godfather Marital Status Single? Yes ☐ No ☐ Divorced? Yes ☐ No ☐ Annulment? Yes ☐ No ☐ Married in Church: Yes ☐ No ☐ Date: _____ Location: _____ Civil Married: Yes ☐ No ☐ Date: _____	<i>Parish use only</i> Date class training completed: _____ Location of Training: _____
Completion of Baptism Rite <i>Parish use only</i> Name & Title of Celebrant (Print) _____ Signature: _____ Date: _____		



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Pre-Baptism Class and Baptism Scheduled Dates

Pre-Baptism Class (Attendance is **mandatory** prior to the Baptism)

1. Registration in **advance is required**; applications must be submitted **no later than 1 week prior to the class**.
2. Parents and the Primary Godparents are **required to attend the class prior to the Baptism**.
3. **Pre-baptism classes and Baptism dates**- please refer to schedule below.
4. The Pre-baptismal class may be attended at another Catholic parish, however the parish that provided the training is required to forward directly to our parish the class certificate of class completion, as proof of having attended the class.

Registration and Class Fees

Regular baptisms - \$50 and is non-refundable.

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2027 Pre-Baptism Class Dates Class time: 9:45 -1PM In the Dome conference room	2027 Scheduled Baptism Dates	Fechas de bautismo programadas para 2027
Parents and Godparents are required to attend the pre-baptism class in advance	Must arrive at the church no later than 10:40 AM	Debe llegar a la iglesia no más tarde de las 12:00 PM
January 9	January 16	Enero 16
February 13 No Class Ash Wednesday Feb 10 th	February 20 No baptisms during lent. Easter- March 28 th	Febrero 20 No hay bautismos durante la Cuaresma. Pascua 28 de marzo
March 13	March 20 No baptisms during Lent. Easter- April 5 th	Marzo 20 No hay bautismos durante la Cuaresma. Pascua 28 de marzo
April 10	April 17	Abril 17
May 8	May 15	Mayo 15
June 12	June 19	Junio 19
July 10	July 17	Julio 17
August 14	August 21	Agosto 21
September 11	September 18	Septiembre 18
October 9	October 16	Octubre - No hay bautismos
November 13	November 20	Noviembre 20
December No class	December - No Baptisms	Diciembre - No hay bautismos

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Choosing the Godparents for your Child

Choosing a godparent for your child is an important decision.

The Catholic Church has very specific requirements for persons willing to accept the responsibilities of a godparent. These requirements are found in the Church's **Canon Law** Numbers **872-874**.

1. (**Canon 874**) To be a godparent a person must:

- A. Be suitable for the role and have the intention of fulfilling it.
- B. Be at least (16) sixteen years of age.
- C. Be a catholic who has been confirmed and has received Holy Communion.
 - Regularly attends Sunday Mass.
- D. Be living a life in harmony with the Catholic faith, example:
 - If married, they should be married in the Catholic Church.
 - If single, you are to be living as a single person.
- E. Cannot be the father or the mother of the child to be baptized.

2. (**Canon 872**) Together with the parents the role of the godparent(s) is to present the child for baptism and to help the child live a Catholic Christian life.

- Sponsors have a spiritual responsibility of nurturing the faith of their godchild and must be faithful members of God's Church

3 (**Canon 873**) One godparent, male or female, is sufficient; but there may be two, one male and one female.

4. (**Canon 874**) A baptized person who belongs to a non-Catholic church community may not be a godparent but may be a witness to the baptism only in company with a Catholic godparent.



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Godmother Application

☐ **Attending class only**

☐ **Baptism and class at OLMC**

Godmother First & Last Name (Print): _____ Age: _____

Address: (Print): _____

City: (Print): _____ / State: _____ / Zip code: _____

Home Phone Number: _____ Cell Number: _____

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Name of Godchild: _____ Birth date: _____

Parents names: _____

Date of Godchild's Baptism: _____

Name of Baptizing Church: _____

Church Address: _____

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Special Instructions

- There is a \$25 non-refundable fee for all class participants who plan to baptize at another parish.
- Registration payment required when registration form submitted to the parish office.
- Submit with your application with a copy of your Confirmation certificate.
- If married: make sure to include a copy of your Church marriage certificate with the application.

PLEASE CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOXES

- ☐ I am at least 16 years old
- ☐ I received the Sacrament of Confirmation
- ☐ I am currently: ☐ Married; ☐ Single ☐
- ☐ Marriage was officiated by: ☐ Catholic Priest or Deacon; ☐ Civil Official
- ☐ I live: ☐ Alone; ☐ Spouse; ☐ Parents; ☐ Partner; ☐ Other Single person
- ☐ I participate at Mass: ☐ Weekly; ☐ Monthly; ☐ Occasionally; ☐ Never
- ☐ Have you ever joined a non-Catholic church? ☐ Yes; ☐ No
- ☐ Attendance class certificate requested for baptism at another parish

I confirm that the information above is true and correct.

- ☐ I have submitted a copy of Confirmation & Church Marriage Certificate
- ☐ Paid non-refundable donation: _____ Date: _____

Signature: _____



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Godfather Application



☐ **Attending class only**

☐ **Baptism and class at OLMC**

Godfather First & Last Name (Print): _____ Age: _____

Address: (Print): _____

City: (Print): _____ / State: _____ / Zip code: _____

Home Phone Number: _____ Cell Number: _____

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Name of Godchild: _____ Birth date: _____

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Name of Baptizing Church: _____

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