

REQUIREMENTS FOR PARENTS

1. To register your child for baptism, he/she needs to be 0 months- 6 yrs. Old. If your child is 7 yrs. or older, you need to register your child in a Religious Education Program.
2. Before you can select a baptismal date the parents and the God Parents must attend a pre-baptismal class. The cost of the class is \$10 per group and everyone taking the class must register with the office at least 2 week's prior to the class date. This class may be taken elsewhere.
3. Please read all of the information prior to attending the class. Once the class has been taken you will need to provide to our office the registration form included in this packet; complete with legal names of the child, parents and God parents, the child's birth certificate or the hospital verification showing legal names of child and parents and the class certificates.
4. If you are not a parishioner of San Gabriel Mission, you may still have your child baptized here. Please obtain a letter from your parish stating that you have permission to baptize in our church.

The Godparents you choose MUST meet these requirements:

1. Have been baptized Roman Catholic and received Holy Communion and Confirmation.
2. They must be at least 16 years of age or older.
3. If you choose two people who live together as a couple; they **Must** be married through the Roman Catholic Church.
4. They need to be active Catholics and set a good example of the Catholic Faith.
4. Parents and Godparents are required to attend Baptismal Classes in order to schedule a Baptism. Everyone must register for the class at the office prior to attending. The cost is \$10 per group and the fee is to be paid at the office.
5. Godparents need to attend a baptismal class as do the parents.