

Important Notes for Parents

Please return this form to the Parish Office located on the Sallins Road **not less than 14 days before the date of baptism**, otherwise the baptism cannot take place.

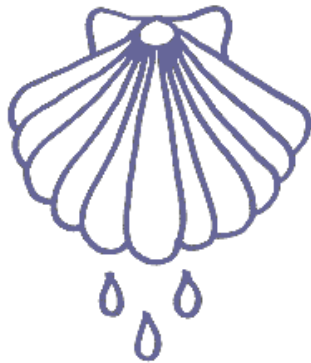
As a parent or godparent you should ask yourself:

1. Are you prepared to the best of your ability to give your child a Christian upbringing within the family of God's Church?
2. Will you help your child to be regular in public worship and in prayer, not only by your teaching but also by your example and your prayers?
3. Will you encourage your child, in due time, to prepare for and come to Holy Communion and Confirmation?

In the case of godparents, it is usual to have two; one female and the other male. If one male and one female godparent cannot be located, then one godparent will suffice.

Godparents should be baptized and confirmed and over the age of 16 years.

Sponsors / witnesses in addition to godparents are permitted.



Naas, Sallins and Two-Mile-House



Guidelines and Application Form
for the
Sacrament of Baptism



Baptism Application Form

Normally due notice of at least two weeks shall be given before a child / candidate is brought to the church to be baptised.

CANDIDATE	Date/Place of Baptism:	.....
	Date of Birth:	.....
	Surname:	.....
	Christian Name(s):	.....
PARENTS	Father's Full Name:	.....
	Baptised: Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> If 'Yes' please state Christian denomination:	.....
	Mother's Full Maiden Name:	.....
	Baptised: Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> If 'Yes' please state Christian denomination:	.....
	Home Address:	.....
	Home / Mobile Nos:	..... Eircode:
eMail Address: /	
Permission:	We / I give permission to include my child's name in the ' Recent Baptisms ' section of the parish newsletter and parish website. Y <input type="checkbox"/> N <input type="checkbox"/>	
GODPARENTS	Godfather's Name:	.....
	Godmother's Name:	.....
Official	Birth Certificate Presented:	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
	Clergy Signature:	.....

Parish Baptism Information

The child's birth certificate must accompany an application for Baptism

Naas:

1. Church of Our Lady and St David:
Baptisms take place on 2nd and 4th Sunday of each month at 12.30pm.
2. Church of the Irish Martyrs, Ballycane:
Baptisms take place every Saturday at 12.30pm.

Two Mile House:

Baptisms take place on the 2nd Sunday of each month at 11.45am.

Sallins:

Baptisms take place on the 1st Saturday of each month at 12.30pm.

Baptism Meetings:

Baptismal Meetings take place in Meeting Room Number 4 in Ballycane Church on 2nd and 4th Tuesday of each month at 8pm. Please note the following:

- a) Parents are requested to attend a Baptism Meeting prior to their child's christening.
- b) These meetings are conducted by one of the Parish's Baptismal Team and last for approximately one hour.
- c) At these meetings the sacrament and ceremony of Baptism is discussed and explained.
- d) Godparents are also welcome to attend meetings.

Dates of Forthcoming Baptism Meetings:

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The information contained in this form will be used to organize and then register the Baptism in the Parish. The copy of the birth certificate you submitted and this form will be securely destroyed once the Baptism is registered.

The information in the Parish Register will be retained permanently. For further information, please refer to the Parish Data Privacy Notice.