

Baptismal Registration Form

Church of the St. Hildegard
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Thank you for bringing your child to the Church to be baptized! This is one of the greatest gifts you can give your child – the acceptance of the Father’s plan of salvation offered through His Son’s death and resurrection, fortified by the Holy Spirit. This form assists parish staff in preparing the following: the liturgy of baptism, the baptismal certificate, and the official entry into the parish’s sacramental register. **Please complete this form and return it with a copy of the birth certificate to the Church of St. Hildegard well before the planned date of baptism.** May God bless you and His Church keep you!

Child

Full name of child: _____

Planned date and time of baptism: _____

Our custom: Schedule is flexible, but the norm is during Saturday or Sunday Mass.

Child’s date of birth: _____

Child’s place of birth: _____

Was the child privately baptized (e.g. hospital, home, etc)? _____

Parents

Father’s name: _____

Father’s religion: _____

Mother’s name (Incl. maiden): _____

Mother’s religion: _____

Were parents married by a Catholic priest or deacon? _____

Have both parents celebrated the Sacrament of Confirmation? If not provide name. _____

Mailing address: _____

Telephone: _____

Email address: _____

Have the parents attended a Baptismal Class for a previous child (Yes No) _____

Our custom: Baptism class is necessary for first time parents only. Once your registration form is received by the parish office and then given to the pastor, the pastor will contact you to discuss the Baptism and schedule the class if necessary.

Godparents

Requirements of Canon Law:

1. *Role: assists parents in raising the child in the Christian faith.*
2. *Number: At least one. If two, then one male and one female.*
3. *Affiliation and practice: Catholic who has celebrated the Sacrament of Confirmation, who practices his/her Catholic faith, and is in a marriage recognized by the Catholic Church. One can be a baptized Protestant (officially called a "witness" to the baptism) who is also active in their faith and in a marriage recognized by the Catholic Church.*

Name of Godfather/witness: _____

Name of Godmother/witness: _____

If either is a witness, please indicate which is the active, confirmed Catholic: _____

Other

Name of presiding cleric: _____

Our custom:

The pastor is the usual minister of baptism at our parish. A visiting Catholic cleric is also possible with the permission of the pastor.

Please return to the Church of St. Hildegard (by mail or by placing in the collection basket at Mass) at least 3 weeks prior to the requested date of the baptism.

Thank you!

**Mailing Address:
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Menoken, ND 58558**

<i>For office use only:</i>	
Confirm date and time with parents / presiding cleric:	
Baptismal class & date (if necessary):	
Baptismal certificate w/ manila envelope:	
Baptismal candle:	