



Christ Lutheran Church and School

Child Baptism Application

Date requesting for Baptism: _____ 8:15 a.m. 11:00 a.m.

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Child's Full Name: _____ Male Female

Child's Date of Birth: _____ Child's Place of Birth: _____

Father's Full Name: _____ Mother's Full Maiden Name: _____

Parent's Marital Status: Married Divorced Single

Father's Church Membership Status: Christ Lutheran Church Other LCMS Non LCMS No Affiliation

Name of Church (If applicable): _____ City/State: _____

Mother's Church Membership Status: Christ Lutheran Church Other LCMS Non LCMS No Affiliation

Name of Church (If applicable): _____ City/State: _____

PARENT/ GUARDIAN CONTACT INFORMATION

Address: _____ City/State/Zip Code: _____

Phone: _____ E-mail Address: _____

With whom does this child reside? _____

Name of Sponsor (Godparent): _____ Relationship to child: _____

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(If the child has more than two sponsors, please list them on the back)

Christ Jesus commanded His church to make disciples by baptizing people, young and old, and by teaching them what God has done and commands (Matthew 28:16-20). Holy Baptism effects a spiritual birth in a person through the working of the Holy Spirit (John 3:5-6). The individual receives the forgiveness of sins (Acts 2:38-39) and thus is saved from eternal damnation and has the hope of eternal life with God (Titus 3:5-7). In baptism a person is united with Christ and is clothed in Christ's goodness and so becomes a child of God (Galatians 3:26-27).

The faith created in the child through Holy Baptism will die if not fed spiritually. The devil, hard times, worries, riches, and pleasures can all rob us of faith (Luke 1:4-5). It is important that the child has good Christian instruction and examples from his/her parents, not only to preserve that relationship with God, but also to be a willing and capable disciple of Christ.

_____ I understand that my son/daughter _____ will become a member of Christ Lutheran Church upon baptism and will be under the spiritual care of the Pastor.

_____ I promise to instruct my child in the Christian faith, and lead my child by actively attending church together on a regular basis.

_____ I would like information on becoming an active member of Christ Lutheran Church.

Parent/Guardian Signature

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date

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