

Are you registered in this parish YES () NO ()
(Please tick the appropriate box)

Which mass do you attend? Sat 6.30 pm () Sun 8.30am ()
(Please tick the appropriate box Sun 10.30am () Sun 6.00pm ()

Are you a baptised Catholic? Father Yes () No ()
(Please tick the appropriate box) Mother Yes () No ()

(If NO please see the St Chad's Parish Priest)

Both parents must sign the following statement:

I accept the responsibility of bringing up my child in the practice of the Catholic Faith.

Father _____
(signed)

Mother _____
(signed)

Please ask your parish priest to complete and sign the following

The Parents of the child to be baptised are known to me as a confirmed practicing Catholics.
(This includes parishioners of St Chad's)

YES () NO ()
(Please tick the appropriate box)

Signed..... Name of Parish Priest.....

Parish Stamp or seal

You are required to have at least two Godparents (a male and a female)

One must be:

- A baptised and confirmed catholic
- The other may be a baptised Christian who will acts as a witness
- Both should be over the age of 16

Full Name of Godfather _____

Present Address _____

Church Godparent attends _____

I accept the responsibility of Godparent in the practice of the Catholic Faith.

Godfather _____
(signed)

Please ask your parish priest to complete and sign the following

The proposed Godparent is known to me as a confirmed practicing Catholic and suitable for the responsibility of Godparent.

YES () NO ()
(Please tick the appropriate box)

Signed..... Name of Parish Priest.....

Parish Stamp

Full Name of Godmother _____

Present address _____

Church Godparent attends _____

I accept the responsibility of Godparent in the practice of the Catholic faith.

Godmother _____
(signed)

Please ask your parish priest to complete and sign the following

The proposed Godparent is known to me as a confirmed practicing Catholic and suitable for the responsibility of Godparent.

YES () NO ()
(Please tick the appropriate box)

Signed..... Name of Parish Priest

Parish Stamp

Please specify the month you would wish to have your child Baptised _____

If you do not live in Saint Chad's Parish you must ask your parish priest to sign the following:

I am willing for this child, resident in my parish to be baptised in Saint Chad's Church, South Norwood.

Please tick

Yes ()

No ()

Name of Parish Priest _____

Signed _____

Parish Stamp or seal

Notes:

1. You are required to attend two meetings in preparation for your child's baptism. These take place on the preceding Fridays to the Sunday Baptism. Parents and Godparents are requested to attend the meetings and rehearsals.
2. Part of the ceremony involves placing a white garment (for example a shawl) around the child. Please feel free to provide your own.
3. It is customary to make a donation to the Priest who officiates the ceremony.
4. Photography is permitted during the ceremony at the appropriate times. Your Baptism catechists will inform you the time in the service this is permitted.
5. Please be on time. Baptisms will take place at 1.00pm. If you arrive late the Baptism will need to be rescheduled for another day.
6. If your child is adopted please do not complete this form but speak to the Parish Priest for information.
7. Please return the forms by the first of the month.

Check List

- Parents signatures ()
- Godparents Signatures ()
- Priests Signatures or Parish Stamps ()

If form is incomplete it will be returned to you and this may result in your child's baptism being delayed.