



## Baptism Guidelines for St. Anthony's

Date of Class: \_\_\_\_\_

Room #: \_\_\_\_\_

Time: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Baptism: \_\_\_\_\_

Time: \_\_\_\_\_

The baptism is usually a very important moment and desired for many parents. For this reason, we ask that you to take into account the following steps to organize its celebration.

1. **Every parish is different:** but the requirements are similar, so the first step is to contact the Parish Office and confirm that they are **registered or live in Kyle**. If neither applies, the parents must obtain a **permission letter** from the church within their boundaries before scheduling a Baptism at St. Anthony Marie de Claret.
2. **Sponsors:** *"To the extent possible, who will receive the baptism is to be given godparents, who must ensure that after you lead a Christian life consistent with the baptism and comply fully with the obligations inherent as the same"* (Canon 872). Therefore, the **sponsors** should live the Catholic faith, have at least 16 years of age, have **received all their sacraments** and if applied be married in the Catholic Church (bring a copy of the marriage certificate).
3. **Preparation:** Both parents and godparents must attend a Baptismal preparation class in the month preceding your desired baptism date. (**the class at St. Anthony is valid for 1 year**).
4. **Birth Certificate:** To baptize you must submit the official **Birth Certificate** delivered by the State; and only the parents (no one else), must provide the birth certificate of the child.
5. **Age:** The child must be under the **age of 7**, if the child is over 7 years old he or she must attend Religious Education classes before being baptized.
6. **Offering:** The Sacraments do not have an economic value, but there are some expenses, so we suggest an offering of \$25.00.
7. **Forms:** **All paperwork must be complete** before we can schedule a baptism. (forms, sponsor covenant forms, state issued birth certificate and a \$25 offering cash or check)

I have read all guidelines \_\_\_\_\_.

**\*Please call Mary Barrios at (512) 268-5311 ext 302 Tuesday, Thursday or Friday to schedule an appointment to drop off your paperwork. If you prefer email, you may email baptisms@samckyle.org.**

JANUARY							FEBRUARY							MARCH						
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In order to register for a Baptismal date. Please [schedule an appointment](#) to turn in the completed **Baptismal forms**.

**English Baptisms (bold font)** are celebrated at 11:00am on the Saturdays with an "E" next to it. Please arrive 15 minutes early.

\*Baptismal classes (**required**) are on Sundays with the bold font. **Classes begin at 8:00AM**. Please set aside 2 hours to attend these.

Para programar una fecha Bautismal. Por favor de [hacer una cita](#) para entregar el **formulario Bautismal completo**.

**Bautizos en español** son a las 11am los Sabados (**fechas en negro oscuro**) que tienen la letra "S" a un lado. Por favor llegue 15 minutos antes.

\*Clases bautismales (**requeridas**) se dan una vez por mes los domingos (**fechas en negro oscuro**). **Las clases empiezan a las 10:00AM** y duran 2 horas.

**Holiday and Observances**

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|-------------------------|------------------------------|
| Jan 1 New Year's Day    | Oct 14 Columbus Day          |
| Feb 14 Valentine's Day  | Oct 31 Halloween             |
| Feb 18 Presidents' Day  | Nov 1 All Saints Day         |
| Mar 6 Ash Wednesday     | Nov 2 All Souls              |
| Apr 21 Easter Sunday    | Nov 11 Veterans Day          |
| May 12 Mother's Day     | Nov 28 Thanksgiving Day      |
| May 27 Memorial Day     | Dec 1 First Sunday of Advent |
| Jun 16 Father's Day     | Dec 24 Christmas Eve         |
| July 4 Independence Day | Dec 25 Christmas Day         |
| Sept 2 Labor Day        | Dec 31 New Year's Eve        |



**BAPTISM FORM**

Membership ID: \_\_\_\_\_

<b>CHILD &amp; BIRTH PARENTS INFORMATION/INFORMACION DE LOS PADRES Y NIÑOS</b> Please write all information as it is on the child's birth certificate/ Por favor de escribir la informacion del bebe como esta en la acta de nacimiento					
Child's Name/Nombre del Niño:			Date of Birth/Fecha de Nacimiento:		
Birth City/Ciudad de Nacimiento:			Birth State/Estado de Nacimiento:		
Birth Father/Nombre del Padre:					
Birth Mother/Nombre de la Madre:			Maiden Name/APELLIDO de Soltera:		
<b>CURRENT FAMILY INFORMATION/INFORMACION CORRIENTE DE FAMILIA</b>					
Family Name/APELLIDO de Familia:					
Home Phone/Telefono de Casa: (    )			Cell Phone/Celular: (    )		
Email Address/Correo Electronico:					
Mailing Address/Dirreccion donde recibe correo:					
P.O. Box:		City/Ciudad:		State/Estado:	
<b>GODPARENT'S INFORMATION/INFORMACION DE LOS PADRINOS</b>					
Godfather's Name/Nombre del Padrino:					
Single/Soltero:	Yes/Si or No	Married/Casado:	Yes/Si or No	Attending Class Here/Va asistir a la clase aqui:	Yes/Si or No
Godmother's Name / Nombre de la Madrina:					
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*If not attending class here, must present a certificate of attendance/ Si no va asistir a la clase aqui, debe presentar su certificado de asistencia de la otra parroquia.					
Are the Godparents married to each other/ ¿Los padrinos estan casados entre si?			Yes/Si or No		

**FOR INSTRUCTOR'S USE ONLY**

Instructor: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Class: \_\_\_\_\_

Attending Class: Father \_\_\_\_\_ Mother \_\_\_\_\_ Godfather \_\_\_\_\_ Godmother \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Attendance Presented For: Father \_\_\_\_\_ Mother \_\_\_\_\_ Godfather \_\_\_\_\_ Godmother \_\_\_\_\_

Comments/Notations: \_\_\_\_\_

Payment:	Initials:	Date:	Birth Certificate Attached: Yes No
Class Date:	English _____ Spanish _____	Baptism Date:	

**FOR CLERGY USE AT BAPTISM**

Baptized By: \_\_\_\_\_

## BAPTISM SPONSOR COVENANT

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I understand the requirements of being a Baptism sponsor and I state that I received  
the **Sacrament of Baptism**

at \_\_\_\_\_ Catholic Church in \_\_\_\_\_ (City and State)

I received the **Sacrament of Confirmation**

at \_\_\_\_\_ Catholic Church in \_\_\_\_\_ (City and State)

(And if married) celebrated the **Sacrament of Marriage**

at \_\_\_\_\_ Catholic Church in \_\_\_\_\_ (City and State)

My Godchild’s name is: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of parish and city where the **Sacrament of Baptism** is to take place:

Parish \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_

**I am active in the Catholic Church, fully initiated into the Catholic Church, regularly attend Mass on Sunday and strive to live my faith.**

Please print your

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

### Godparents Statement

We, \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ will be the Godparents of \_\_\_\_\_. We understand that by doing so we are to be the secondary teachers of the Catholic Faith to our Godchild and will help the parents however and whenever we can. We are 16 years old or older and are practicing Catholic. We attend Mass regularly and believe in the teachings of the Catholic Church.

Sincerely,

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