

THE CATHOLIC PARISH OF MOLESEY
BAPTISM APPLICATION FORM

*Please complete this form IN BLOCK CAPITALS and return it to The Parish Priest at
St Barnabas Parish Office, 28 Vine Road MOLESEY KT8 9LF*

About the child to be baptised:

Child's surname:

Child's Christian names:

Child's date of birth:

About the mother of the child to be baptised:

Mother's surname:

Mother's maiden name (if applicable):

Mother's Christian names:

Has the mother been baptised? Yes* / No* (*delete as applicable)

Is the mother a Catholic? Yes* / No*

If the mother is a Catholic, has she been Confirmed? Yes* / No*

About the father of the child to be baptised:

Father's surname:

Father's Christian names:

Has the father been baptised? Yes* / No*

Is the father a Catholic? Yes* / No*

If the father is a Catholic, has he been Confirmed? Yes* / No*

About the parents of the child to be baptised:

Are you married? Yes* / No*

If you are married, were you married in a Catholic church? Yes* / No*

Contact details of the parents of the child:

Address:

Post code:

Telephone number:

About the godparents of the child to be baptised:

One godparent, male or female, is sufficient; but there may be two, one of each sex. A godparent must:

- be not less than sixteen years of age;
- be a baptised Catholic who has been confirmed and has received the Most Blessed Eucharist, and who lives a life of faith which befits the role to be undertaken.

Because a godparent is not merely undertaking his or her responsibility for the Christian upbringing of the child as a relation or friend, but is, as a representative of the Church, standing as a sponsor for the faith of the candidate, a non-Catholic baptised Christian may *not* be a godparent, but may stand as a Christian witness in company with a Catholic godparent. One who is not baptised cannot stand as a godparent or Christian witness.

About the first godparent:

Surname:

Christian names:

Is this godparent a practising Catholic? Yes* / No*

Has this godparent been baptised? Yes* / No* If so, where?

Has this godparent been confirmed? Yes*/ No* If so, where?

About the second godparent:

Surname:

Christian names:

Is this godparent a practising Catholic? Yes* / No*

Has this godparent been baptised? Yes* / No* If so, where?

Has this godparent been confirmed? Yes*/ No* If so, where?

About the Christian witness (if there is one):

Surname:

Christian names:

Has this Christian witness been baptised? Yes* / No* If so, where?

To which denomination does this Christian witness belong?

This part of the form is to be complete by the priest

Friday evening Preparation Date.....

Date of baptism:

Time of baptism:

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