



St. Joseph Parish
3430 Dover Street
Dexter, Michigan 48130
Phone: 734-426-8483 Website: www.stjos.com

Dear Friend,

You have been chosen by _____

to be the godparent of their child _____.

Please complete this form and return it to Marinell High at St. Joseph Church. In order to fulfill your responsibilities as a godparent, please read the requirements that the Church places on those who are asked to serve as Godparents.

Only 1 Catholic Godparent is required and that Godparent needs to

- ***Be Confirmed, a registered member of a Catholic Parish, and receiving Eucharist on a regular basis***
- *Be mature enough to understand their obligations as a Catholic Godparent*
- *Be a person who will be present at and participate in the child's life, especially at other sacramental celebrations, i.e. First Communion, Reconciliation, Confirmation and Marriage*
- *If married, be in a valid marriage in the Catholic Church*
- ***Be a registered member of a Catholic Church and have the Godparent form on the reverse side completed, and signed by the Pastor of their parish. **If you are a St. Joseph parishioner, Fr. Brendan requests that you meet with him to obtain his signature.***

Congratulations on being chosen for this honor! You will be in our prayers as you help to lead this little one to God through the years.

God bless,

Marinell High

Marinell High
Director of Adult Faith Formation



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Godparent Form

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Please complete, have your Pastor sign, and return to St. Joseph Parish
-Please read letter on other side-

***If you are a St. Joseph parishioner, Fr. Brendan requests that you arrange to meet him either during the week (you may schedule directly with him at 734-426-8483) or before/after Mass to obtain his signature.*

Godparent's Name: _____

Address: _____

I am a registered, participating member of this Roman Catholic Parish:

Name of Parish: _____

Address: _____

I have received the three Sacraments of :

_____ Baptism

_____ Confirmation

_____ Eucharist

_____ I am unmarried.

_____ I am married and my marriage is a sacramental marriage in the Catholic Church.

_____ I attend Mass and receive the sacraments regularly.

_____ I will give my support to the person I am sponsoring by prayer and
by the living out of my Catholic Christian faith in my daily life.

Signature of Godparent: _____

Signature of Pastor: _____

Date: _____