

Choosing Godparents

Choosing your child's godparent is a very important decision. When making this decision, you may want to consider a person's faith life and their commitment to the Catholic faith as they are a role model for your child. According to the Church law, one godparent must be a confirmed Catholic. It is not necessary to have two godparents, but most families do. The second godparent may be of a different Christian tradition. This is because godparents make certain promises with regards to their belief in Jesus Christ.

In the event that a godparent is unable to be present at the time of the Baptism, another person can stand in as proxy that day.