



# OCIA Registration Form

**THIS INFORMATION WILL REMAIN CONFIDENTIAL**

(Please return this form to the front office as soon as possible)

## Personal Information

Name (please print) \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First Initial Maiden

Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Street /Apt. No. City State ZIP

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Best time to phone \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_ I  can  cannot be reached at work.

Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_ City/State of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

Father's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Father's Religion \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's Maiden Name \_\_\_\_\_ Mother's Religion \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation & Place of Employment or School \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_

## Sacramental Information

Were you baptized in the Catholic Church?  YES  NO

**If you were baptised in a Protestant denomination:**

was the baptism done in the Trinitarian formula (Father, Son, Holy Spirit) and with water?)  YES  NO

Date of Baptism \_\_\_\_\_ Denomination \_\_\_\_\_

**Place of Baptism (Catholic or Protestant)**

Name of Church \_\_\_\_\_

Address of Church \_\_\_\_\_

If Catholic:

- Have you received the Sacrament of 1st Eucharist (Communion)?  YES  NO Date \_\_\_\_\_

- Have you received the Sacrament of 1<sup>st</sup> Reconciliation (Confession)?  YES  NO Date \_\_\_\_\_

***Note: A copy of your Baptismal certificate and 1<sup>st</sup> Holy Communion must be provided.***

## Sponsor Information

A Sponsor is a practicing Catholic who has received the Sacrament of Confirmation. **A Sponsor must be willing to participate in all OCIA sessions and scheduled activities. A Parent cannot be a Sponsor.**

I have or will get a sponsor - Name & relationship to you \_\_\_\_\_

Sponsor Email address and phone number \_\_\_\_\_

I will need a sponsor - If you need a Sponsor and do not know of anyone who might want to act as one, we will provide one for you from our parish community.

**Sponsors must provide proof of Confirmation and a letter from their Parish stating that they attend Holy Mass on a regular basis.**

## Your Objective

1. What have been your religious experiences/exposure up to this point? i.e., attending church, bible study, none, don't know much about God, etc.

2. Which statement(s) best characterize you at this time?

- I definitely want to become a Catholic.
- I think I might want to become Catholic.
- I am just looking right now; I'm not sure where I'm being led.
- I am baptized Catholic but need Eucharist and Confirmation.
- I am baptized Catholic but need Confirmation.

3. Describe any special needs or concerns you may have.

## Marital Status and Family Information

The Catholic Church understands marriage to be a Sacrament. If you or your spouse has a previous marriage(s), we need to meet with you. In some situations, an annulment must be completed before a person can receive the Sacraments of Initiation. Please answer the following questions about your marital status carefully.

Please indicate your present status by selecting one of the following:

- Single (never been married)     Engaged (or soon to be)     Married     Widowed  
 Divorced and engaged     Divorced, not remarried     Divorced, remarried

**If you have NEVER been married, you may skip the remainder of these questions.**

**If you are now or soon to be ENGAGED, please answer the following questions:**

Name of Fiancé \_\_\_\_\_ Religion of Fiancé \_\_\_\_\_

Fiancé's Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

Is your Fiancé baptised?     YES     NO

Will this be your first marriage?     YES     NO

Will this be your fiancé's first marriage?     YES     NO    *If no, please complete the sections below as well.*

Do you plan to be married in the Catholic Church?     YES     NO

Anticipated wedding date/Church: \_\_\_\_\_

**If MARRIED, please answer the following questions:**

Name of Spouse \_\_\_\_\_ Religion of Spouse \_\_\_\_\_

Were you married by:     a Catholic Priest or had your marriage convalidated in the Catholic Church?

a Minister?     a Justice of the Peace     Other \_\_\_\_\_

Have either you or your spouse been previously married?     YES     NO

*A copy of your marriage license and Church certificate must be provided*

**If you or your spouse/fiancé have been divorced, please answer the following:**

EXCLUDING this current marriage, how many times have you and your spouse/or fiancé been previously married?

I have been married \_\_\_\_\_ time(s) previous to this marriage.

My spouse/fiancé has been married \_\_\_\_\_ time(s) previous to this marriage.

Have you applied for or been granted an annulment from the Catholic Church?     YES     NO

If YES,     APPLIED - date \_\_\_\_\_     GRANTED - date \_\_\_\_\_

Has your spouse/fiancé applied for or been granted an annulment from the Catholic Church?     YES     NO

If YES,     APPLIED - date \_\_\_\_\_     GRANTED - date \_\_\_\_\_

## Previous Marriage History

### Your 1<sup>st</sup> Marriage (not to your current spouse)

Did your 1<sup>st</sup> marriage take place in a Catholic Church? Yes  No

Where either of you a baptised Catholic at the time of marriage?

Both  Neither  Just Me  Just my former spouse

If yes, has your first marriage been legally dissolved? Yes  No

Has your first marriage been annulled? Yes  No

### Spouse's 1<sup>st</sup> Marriage (not to you)

Was your spouse's 1<sup>st</sup> marriage in a Catholic Church? Yes  No

Was your spouse or his/her previous spouse baptised Catholic before their marriage? Yes  No

Has your spouse's first marriage been legally dissolved? Yes  No

Has your spouse's first marriage been annulled? Yes  No

Did your spouse have a 2<sup>nd</sup> marriage before yours? YES  NO

Is this the 3<sup>rd</sup> marriage for either you or your spouse?

No  My 3<sup>rd</sup>  His/her 3<sup>rd</sup>  Both of ours

## OFFICE NOTATIONS Catechumen/Candidate Status Sheet

	<u>Sacrament Needed</u>	<u>Paperwork Needed</u>	<u>Paperwork Received</u>
BAPTISM	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
1 <sup>st</sup> COMMUNION	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
CONFIRMATION	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
CONVALIDATION	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

ANNULMENT IS NEEDED

ANNULMENT PAPERS RECEIVED