Godparent Permission Form

Dear Baptismal Godparent:

When a parent chooses you as a godparent it means you are given the honor to be a role model in the Catholic faith for this child. The call to be a godparent bears the responsibility of giving spiritual witness to your godchild on how to live out the Catholic faith in everyday life.

This Certificate is a statement which church law specifies and includes the following qualifications for Godparents.

· Registered member of a parish

· I am at least 16 years of age

· I have received the sacraments of Baptism, First Holy Communion and Confirmation in the Catholic Church

· If married or remarried, I was married in the Catholic Church.

Baptismal Godparent's Name_____

Godchild's Name_____

Parent's Name(s)_____

Name of Church for Baptism_____

Date of Baptism_____

This form should be presented to your parish pastor for his signature.

I certify that _____ is a member of

_____Parish, in _____, _____ and is eligible to be a godparent.

Rev._____

PARISH SEAL Date_____

After this form is completed at Godparent's home parish, it should be returned to the Parish Office via email at marxa@svdpomaha.org with the original mailed to St. Vincent de Paul Church, 14330 Eagle Run Drive, Omaha NE, 68164 at least two weeks prior to the scheduled baptism. Questions, please call 402-496-7988