

Instructions for Requesting Sacramental Certificates

SACRAMENTAL RECORDS ARE IMPORTANT TO AN INDIVIDUAL'S IDENTITY BOTH IN THE CHURCH AND IN SOCIETY. THE INFORMATION CONTAINED IN THE RECORDS IS THE PROPERTY OF THE INDIVIDUAL WHO RECEIVED THE SACRAMENT AND THE PARISH. OUR PARISH HAS ADOPTED THE FOLLOWING GUIDELINES FOR THE RELEASE OF SACRAMENTAL INFORMATION.

REQUESTS FOR VERIFICATION OF SACRAMENTS MUST BE RECEIVED IN WRITING, USING THE "SACRAMENTAL CERTIFICATE REQUEST" FORM BELOW. THIS FORM MUST BE COMPLETED IN ITS ENTIRETY AND SUBMITTED VIA EMAIL TO LYNNE PASION: lpasion@avemaria.church OR 1ST CLASS MAIL.

CATHOLIC PRIESTS/PARISH STAFF MEMBERS MAY CONTACT THE PARISH OFFICE BY PHONE AT (303) 841-3750. SACRAMENTAL CERTIFICATES VERIFYING THE RECEPTION OF BAPTISM, CONFIRMATION, MARRIAGE AND FIRST COMMUNION CAN ONLY BE RELEASED TO THE FOLLOWING PERSONS:

- 1. THE INDIVIDUAL WHO RECEIVED THE SACRAMENT (AGE 18 OR OLDER).
- 2. A PARENT NAMED IN THE RECORD OF A CHILD UNDER 18 YEARS OLD.
- 3. THE LEGAL GUARDIAN OF A CHILD UNDER 18 PROVIDING PROOF OF GUARDIANSHIP.
- 4. THE SPOUSE OR EXECUTOR OF A DECEASED PERSON PROVIDING PROOF OF DEATH.
- 5. CATHOLIC CLERGY OR HIS DELEGATE.

THE CERTIFICATE WILL BE PREPARED AND MAILED WITHIN 14 DAYS TO ANY OF THE ABOVE, OR CAN BE PICKED UP AT THE PARISH OFFICE BY ANY OF THE ABOVE, OR BY A PERSON DELEGATED BY THE REQUESTOR.

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Sacramental Certificate Request Form

Full Name of Person(s) on the Certificate: First_____ Middle_____ Last_____ First Middle Last Certificate Requested: Baptism Confirmation Marriage First Communion Date of Sacrament (or approximate): Please provide the following: Date of Birth _____ City of Birth_____ Name of Parents ______ Name of godparent(s) /sponsor/witness ______ Name of Person Requesting Document: ______ **Relationship to Certificate Holder:** ____ Self Parent of child under 18 years ____ Spouse/parent of deceased person ____ Clergy/Parish (provide name of Clergy) ______ Name of Church _____ Address of Church Certificate will be: Picked up by requestor ____ Mailed to Clergy at the Church listed above ____ Mailed to Requestor/Delegate To be received by: Name:_____ Street Address ______ City, State, Zip ____ Email of requester ______ Phone # of requester _____

Submit this form by mail to: Ave Maria Catholic Church, or bring completed form to the parish office during regular business hours. Requests mailed or available for pick up within 14 days of receipt of request.