

# Child/Teen Inquirer Information Form

## CHILD/TEEN INFORMATION

Child/Teen's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

First: \_\_\_\_\_ Middle: \_\_\_\_\_ Last: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Place of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_  
(include **locality** (town, city, etc.), **region** (state, territory, etc.), and **country**)

Grade Level: \_\_\_\_\_ School: \_\_\_\_\_

## PARENT / GAURDIAN INFORMATION

*List below the name(s) of parent(s)/guardian(s) and present religious affiliation, if any:*

Names of Father: \_\_\_\_\_ Name of Mother: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Maiden name included)

Religious Affiliation: \_\_\_\_\_ Religious Affiliation: \_\_\_\_\_

Full Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Phone: (Daytime) \_\_\_\_\_ (Evening/Weekend) \_\_\_\_\_

Cell/Mobile Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Child/teen lives with:  Both Parents  Mother Only  Father Only  Other (please explain): \_\_\_\_\_

If child/teen lives with one parent/guardian, please indicate who has legal custody and/or if the child/teen also lives with a step-parent: \_\_\_\_\_

## CHILD / TEEN'S RELIGIOUS HISTORY

**1. What, if any, is your child/teen's religious affiliation?** \_\_\_\_\_

**2. Has your child/teen ever been baptized?**  Yes  No  I am not sure

*If you answered "Yes" to Question 1, please provide the following information:*

**(a)** In what denomination was your child/teen baptized? \_\_\_\_\_

**(b)** Date or approximate age when your child/teen was baptized: \_\_\_\_\_

**(c)** Baptismal name (if different from current name): \_\_\_\_\_

**(d)** Place of Baptism (name of church/denomination): \_\_\_\_\_

**(e)** Address, if known: \_\_\_\_\_  
(include **locality** (town, city, county, etc.), **region** (state, province, territory, etc.), and **country**)

**3. How often does your child/ teen pray?**  Never  Sometime  Once a day  Multiple times a day

**4. Have your child/teen attended a Sunday Mass?**  Yes  No  I am not sure

*If you answered "Yes" to Question 4, please provide the following information:*

**(a)** How often do your child/teen attend Sunday Mass?  During big events  Once a month  Weekly

**(b)** How long have you been attending Sunday Mass?  Just start  Couple of months  Years

## CHILD / TEEN'S FAMILY INFORMATION

List the name(s) of any siblings (e.g., John — Brother; Jean — Stepsister).

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_

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## GENERAL LEARNING

**1. Please describe the types of religious education in which your child/teen has participated.**

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**2. What contact has your child/teen had with the Catholic Church to date?**

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**3. What are some of the questions or concerns your child/teen has about the Catholic Church?**

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**4. Please summarize below the reason(s) your child/teen desires to begin the Christian initiation process to be baptized and was not baptized as an infant.**

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**5. It will help to know your child's/teen's strongest attributes and challenges. Please add below any helpful details that you think would be relevant.**

*For example: "Mary is very outgoing and gets excited when she is having fun. She becomes quiet when she doesn't understand something. She works well with other children. Mary also has a 30% hearing loss in her left ear. She may not hear you if you are standing behind her and speaking normally."*

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# Parents' Active Participation Form

(To be completed by parent(s) at the time the child(ren) begins the process of Christian initiation in the parish)

**The spiritual preparation that our parish asks of you involves, but is not limited to, the following list, which we request that you consider and complete. As we pledge to be faithful to our commitment to assist you in teaching and forming your child(ren) in the Catholic faith, we ask you to pledge to be faithful to each of the following...**

- To pray with your child(ren) each day, and model prayer to them
- To read Scripture/Bible stories with your child(ren)
- To read the stories of the lives of the saints with your child(ren)
- To teach your child(ren) basic Catholic prayers
- To teach your child(ren) the Ten Commandments and other fundamentals of the life of faith
- To teach your child(ren) what it means to live a virtuous life, what sin and temptation are, and how to avoid sin
- To teach your child(ren) about the spiritual dangers and excesses of modern culture
- To seek out and introduce your child(ren) to age-appropriate resources that foster the life of faith
- To model the Christian life of seeking holiness, depending on grace, offering God genuine repentance for sins,
- practicing active charity, avoiding actions that give scandal, and striving to live justly before God and in society
- To participate in Mass on Sundays (or Saturday evenings) with your child(ren)
- To participate in Mass on Holy Days of Obligation with your child(ren)
- To bring your child(ren) to RCIA for children gatherings faithfully
- To attend RCIA meetings for parents
- To attend RCIA liturgical rites
- To attend RCIA practices/rehearsals for rites (when and if needed)

**If you can commit to these aspects of spiritually preparing your child(ren) for the sacraments and the Christian life, please print and sign your name(s) below:**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Printed name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Printed name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature