

# Initiation Questionnaire - Children

## Parent Interview

Date of Interview: \_\_\_\_\_

Interviewed by: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent(s) Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone (daytime): \_\_\_\_\_ Phone (evening): \_\_\_\_\_

Child's Name:

Age:

Grade:

1. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_

3. \_\_\_\_\_

### Check all that pertain:

Are you single?

Are you divorced and unmarried?

Are you married?

Have you been married only once?

Were you married by a priest?

Were you married civilly / another denomination?

Are you divorced?

Are you presently separated?

Are you divorced and remarried?  Have you ever filed for a marriage annulment?

Other information: \_\_\_\_\_

List names of family members. Give relationship. Indicate who is Catholic? Who is not?

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\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

**Christian Initiation Information:**

1. Is your child baptized?  Yes  No
- If yes, were they baptized Catholic?  Yes  No **[Documentation needed]**  
Where? (*church, city, state*): \_\_\_\_\_
  - If yes, were they baptized in another Christian faith?  Yes  No  
Where? (*Denomination, city, state*): \_\_\_\_\_

2. Are you (the parents) baptized?  Yes  No
- If yes, were you baptized Catholic?  Yes  No  
Where? (*church, city, state*): \_\_\_\_\_
  - If yes, were you baptized in another Christian faith?  Yes  No  
Where? (*Denomination, city, state*): \_\_\_\_\_

3. Why are you seeking sacramental initiation of your child at this time? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

4. Has your child received his/her First Communion in the Catholic Church?  Yes  No  
Where? (*church, city, state*) : \_\_\_\_\_

5. Are you registered in this parish?  Yes  No  
If no, how did you come to know about our parish? \_\_\_\_\_

Speak about the experience of God/Religion up to this point in your life. Where did you learn about God? What is your family's involvement in religion? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

If you are Roman Catholic, what were the reasons for delaying the sacraments for your child?  
\_\_\_\_\_

Do you attend Mass with your child frequently? \_\_\_\_\_

If you are Roman Catholic, do you receive communion when you come to Mass? \_\_\_\_\_

Are there any questions that you would like to have answered for you at this time? \_\_\_\_\_