

## SAN MARTÍN DE PORRES CATHOLIC CHURCH

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### 2020 BAPTISM SCHEDULE

Registration Dates	Classes Begin	Baptism Date
<i>January 06 -17</i>	<i>January 12 or 19</i>	<i>January 25</i>
<i>February 24-March 6</i>	<i>March 01 or 08</i>	<i>March 21 or 28</i>
<i>April 14 - 24</i>	<i>April 19 or 26</i>	<i>May 02 or 09</i>
<i>May 11 - 22</i>	<i>May 17 or 24</i>	<i>May 30 or June 06</i>

***Classes are from 2:30 PM to 4:30 PM in the CCD Classrooms***

**PARENTS ARE THE ONLY ONES ALLOWED TO REGISTER THEIR CHILD(REN)**

**The following items must be brought with you at the time of registration:**

**\* The Birth Certificate of your child**

**\* God-Parents (Sponsors) Names      \*Baptism Registration Form      \* \$30.00 Donation**

**Requirements for Parents and God-Parents**

- 1) To prepare for the Baptism, the parish offers a workshop on Sundays in Spanish and English **Both Parents and Godparents are required to attend this workshop before baptizing.**
- 2) The child is not required to be present at the class. If you bring him/her, **NO** personnel will be provided to take care of the child.
- 3) Both Parents and God-Parents must attend the required classes; you are also strongly encouraged to attend Sunday Mass and take part as much as possible in our parish activities. You are members of our Parish Community, which is why you are invited to participate.
- 4) **There is to be only one male sponsor or one female sponsor or one of each.** (CIM 873)
- 5) Have completed the 16<sup>th</sup> year of age (CIM-874,2)
- 6) Must be a Catholic who has been confirmed and has already received the most holy sacrament of the Eucharist and who leads a life of faith in keeping with the function to be taken on. (CIM 874, 3)
- 7) Must not be the father or mother of the one to be baptized. (CIM 874, 5)
- 8) It is not necessary that the parents of the child be married through the Church. **But the God- Parents must be married.**
- 9) Since the Baptism is a Sacrament that is received in public, there are **NO** Private Baptisms; Please make arrangements to have your child baptized per the Baptism Schedule.
- 10) This Baptismal Program is **only** for children **6 years of age and under.**
- 11) **The parents must re-register in case of a cancellation of the Baptism Ceremony.**

Both Parents and God-Parents who wish to have their child baptized must attend the baptism class. For more information please contact the Parish Office at 585-8001.