

TRINITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH  
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**APPLICATION FOR BAPTISM**  
(Please Print)

**Child:**

Christian Name - First \_\_\_\_\_

Middle \_\_\_\_\_

Last \_\_\_\_\_

Gender: M F

Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

Place of Birth (town & state) \_\_\_\_\_

**Parents:**

Father \_\_\_\_\_

Mother \_\_\_\_\_  
(Include maiden and married names)

Full Address \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
(Include city and zip code, state if not NJ)

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

**Name of Sponsors:**

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

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

Preferred baptismal date: \_\_\_\_\_

Second choice baptismal date: \_\_\_\_\_

**OFFICE USE ONLY**

Date Application Rcvd. \_\_\_\_\_ FF \_\_\_\_\_ DD \_\_\_\_\_  
Baptismal Orientation held: \_\_\_\_\_ Picture Rcvd: \_\_\_\_\_

**YOUR BAPTISMAL VOWS**

When parents present their child at the altar of God for Holy Baptism, they are asked to take vows affirming their faith and intentions in coming to the Church for this sacred event. Parents are then responsible for the fulfillment of these vows, especially in raising their child in the church and in the Christian faith. The goal of parents and Church is to help the child come to the place of affirming their own personal faith in God and Jesus Christ.

The baptismal questions to parents are:

1. Do you in presenting your child for Holy Baptism affirm your faith in God and in Jesus Christ as your Lord and Savior?
2. Do you accept as your duty and privilege to live before your child a life that becomes the gospel, to teach your child the Christian faith and the Holy Scriptures, and to teach them to give reverent attendance upon the private and public worship of God?
3. Will you keep your child under the ministry and guidance of the Church until he/she shall choose to affirm their own Christian faith and become a member of Christ's holy Church?

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I/We understand and agree with the baptismal questions and, with God's help, will seek to fulfill them.

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Mother Father  
(one signature required)