

St. Dominic



ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

A Faith Community Alive in Christ Jesus

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First Holy Communion Registration Form— Page 1 of 2

Please complete this form and return it to the parish office (**PLEASE PRINT**)

Attention Parents: are you registered member of St. Dominic's Parish? ____ Yes ____ No

☐

I currently live within the territorial boundaries of the parish.

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I currently do not live within the territorial boundaries of the parish, but I am formally registered at the parish.

School Name: _____

Candidate's Information (please print clearly)

FIRST NAME:

MIDDLE NAME:

LAST NAME:

Date of Birth: ____ / ____ / ____ Age: ____
MONTH DAY YEAR

City of Birth: _____

Church of Baptism: _____

Church Address: _____

(please specify city and country for church of Baptism)

Date of Baptism: ____ / ____ / ____
MONTH DAY YEAR

All information must appear as noted
on Baptismal certificate.

IMPORTANT

Please attach a **PHOTOCOPY of your child's baptism certificate** to this registration form (even if your child was baptized at St. Dominic's Parish)

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PARENT(S) SECTION (please print clearly)

FATHER'S INFORMATION

Name: _____

Middle Name: _____

Last Name: _____

☐ I am a parent, or have legal custody of the child.

☐ Other: _____

Religion: ☐ Roman Catholic

☐ Other: _____

☐ None

Present Address: _____

Contact:

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Please print clearly as this will be used to communicate important information to you.

MOTHER'S INFORMATION

Name: _____

Middle Name: _____

Last Name: _____

MAIDEN NAME: _____

☐ I am a parent, or have legal custody of the child.

☐ Other: _____

Religion: ☐ Roman Catholic

☐ Other: _____

☐ None

Present Address: same as husband

Contact:

Phone: _____

Email: _____

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The Registration fee is \$50.

REGISTRATION PAYMENT METHODS:

CASH DROPPED AT THE PARISH OFFICE: _____

CASH: _____

SQUARE MACHINE _____ TIP TAP _____

Declaration

BY SIGNING BELOW, I AGREE TO SUPPORT MY CHILD'S SPIRITUAL DEVELOPMENT BY ACCOMPANYING HIM/HER TO SUNDAY MASS.

I, the undersigned, declare that the information on this form (Pages 1 & 2) is true and accurate.

PLEASE PRINT NAME: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

If you have concerns about any of the requirements, please contact Leo Gonsalves
leegonsalves98@gmail.com

Please note that registration forms with cash payments are to be dropped off in the Parish office (please check our office hours) **Bring the copy of the Baptismal certificate and the form to the church office.**

If your child has NOT been baptised into the Catholic Faith *you can still register your child but they must be baptized before receiving for First Holy Communion.* Please contact our Baptism Coordinator by email at stdominicsmi@archtoronto.org.

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Parents / Guardians Acknowledgement

Because a sacrament is a special encounter with God, meant to strengthen our life of discipleship, the Church needs to prepare the person celebrating the sacrament to be properly disposed to experience it. In the case of Confirmation, we need to make sure that the child's parents / guardians fully understand the significance of the sacrament and their duties to help the child grow into a serious Christian who actively practices the faith of the Church. As pastor, I must ensure the following steps in preparation be taken before we can celebrate your child's First Holy Communion:

- **Baptism:** If your child hasn't already been baptized, ensure to speak to the parish office staff to arrange a Baptismal date for your child. All individuals must be baptized before receiving their First Communion.
- **Religious Education:** All students will be required to attend and complete a preparation program, (all details will be given on Information Night). Preparation for this Sacrament is mandatory.
- **Regular Mass Attendance:** Take your child to Mass regularly so they become familiar with the setting and the liturgy. Completion and submission of all reflections are mandatory.
- **Fostering Faith:** Engage in conversations about faith and God and encourage prayer as part of your family life. Help your child to develop a time of prayer and encourage family prayer (eg. recitation of the Rosary). The basic prayers at this time must be memorized (Our Father, Hail Mary, Glory Be and Act of Contrition). The Act of Contrition is needed at time of Confession.
- **Preparing the Child:** Help your child understand the significance of First Holy Communion and the importance of receiving this Sacrament with reverence. As parents, you are their first teacher, and your child(ren) will look to you to continue to practice what they are preparing to receive.

As you can see, preparation for First Holy Communion is dependent upon three sources: the parents, the church and the school. One cannot function without the other. I hope you will embrace this important training and faith formation for your child, and for yourselves as a parent or guardian. As Christian parents and pastors, we want our children to know Jesus and faithfully fulfill the Lord's instruction that we form disciples—committed and active followers. I look forward to working with you and your family.

_____ will be preparing to receive First Holy Communion.
 Child(ren)'s Name(s)

We will provide our full support in providing necessary guidance to complete the steps in this time of preparation and to help our child(ren) actively practice the faith both at home and at church.

 Parents' Signature

 Date