

Baptism application form

St John the Baptist Parish Church, Ermine, Lincoln

Please use block capitals, where names are requested please provide the full name including title, Christian-name(s) and surname.



About the baptism

What date is the baptism to take place?		at 12:00 midday
What date is the welcome to take place?		at 10:00 am

About the Child being Baptised

What is their full name?	
What is their date of birth?	

About the Child's Parents

	Parent 1		Parent 2	
Name				
Have you been Baptised?	Yes	No	Yes	No
Have you been Confirmed?	Yes	No	Yes	No
Occupation				
Telephone number(s)				
Email address(s)*				
Family address (including postcode)				

Details of Godparents

	Godparent 1		Godparent 2	
Name				
Have you been Baptised?	Yes	No	Yes	No
Have you been Confirmed?	Yes	No	Yes	No
	Godparent 3		Godparent 4	
Name				
Have you been Baptised?	Yes	No	Yes	No
Have you been Confirmed?	Yes	No	Yes	No

Some things for Parents and Godparents to think about:

- Are you prepared to the best of your ability to give the child a Christian upbringing and to be a regular part of the life of St John's church?
- Will you help the child attend church services and to pray? Will you teach them the Christian faith, and help them by your own Christian example and your own prayers?
- Will you encourage the child when they are old enough to come to be confirmed?
- People whom you are considering as godparents must have been baptised.
- Parents may be godparents to their own children, provided that the child has at least one other godparent.
- Every child should have at least three godparents, two of the same sex and at least one of the opposite sex to your child. Although there is no official maximum number of godparents, three or four is usual.
- If you would like more information about St John's Church, log on to our website:

More information can be found on the following website <https://churchofenglandchristenings.org/>

What to do when you have completed this form...

Please return the form to the Vicarage or by email as soon as possible, and no later than two weeks before the baptism. We will then write to you to confirm that we have received the form and the details of the baptism. Please feel free to contact Revd Rachel Heskins on 07813617977 or Jackie Howell on 01522 808543 if you have any questions.

Our postal address is: St John's Vicarage,
Sudbrooke Drive,
Lincoln
LN2 2EF

Email us: revd-rachel@stjohnthebaptistparishchurch.org.uk

If we have not received your form 10 days before the date of the baptism,
we will assume that you do not wish to proceed with the baptism.

Office use only:

Date form received	
Confirmation sent	
Registers completed	

* If given we will use your email address to contact you about the Baptism.