

# Parish of Farlington +St Andrew's Church +Church of the Resurrection

## Form to Request a Christening

Please read carefully, complete and return

Here in the Parish of Farlington we are happy to baptize your child at a Christening Service and welcome them into the family of the church as long as :-

- You live in the parish of Farlington
- You normally attend services (including Messy Church) at one of the churches.
- Parents and godparents are prepared to make the promises asked in the service.

As a parent you should ask yourself: Are you prepared to give your child a Christian upbringing within the family of Christ's Church – in other words bring the child to church and pray for them?

### Family Details:

Child's full name:

Date of birth:

First Parent full name:

First Parent occupation:

Baptized/Christened - YES  NO

Confirmed – YES  NO

Second Parent full name:

Second Parent occupation:

Baptized/Christened - YES  NO

Confirmed – YES  NO

Your address:

Postcode:

Tel:

E-mail:

### I/we would like to request a Christening:

Place:

St. Andrew's

Church of the Resurrection

Date:

Second Sunday of

2024 at Midday

Expected number of guests at the Service:

= see [www.achurchnearyou.com](http://www.achurchnearyou.com) to check

## Godparents:

Parents need to choose two Godparents of the same sex as your child and one of the opposite sex. Godparents **must** be Christened/baptized themselves. Some parents prefer to have four godparents.

Godparents promise to help your child grow close to God by their own example of a Christian life. Parents please take this into account when you choose your child's godparents.

Please ask Godparents to ask themselves:

Are you prepared to give the child a Christian upbringing within the family of Christ's Church, help the parents bring the child to church and pray for them?

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| <b>Godparent 1 (Same sex as child)</b>                                     |
| Name   |
| Please confirm they are Christened/Baptized – YES <input type="checkbox"/> |

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| <b>Godparent 2 (Same sex as child)</b>                                     |
| Name   |
| Please confirm they are Christened/Baptized – YES <input type="checkbox"/> |

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| <b>Godparent 3 (opposite sex to child)</b>                                 |
| Name   |
| Please confirm they are Christened/Baptized – YES <input type="checkbox"/> |

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| <b>Godparent 4</b>   |
| Name   |
| Please confirm they are Christened/Baptized – YES <input type="checkbox"/> |

### When completed a paper form should be returned to:

Farlington Parish Office Church of the Resurrection  
Penrhyn Avenue Drayton Portsmouth PO6 2AP ☎ 023 9242 1849

### If you have completed the fillable online version of this form send it to:

[office@farlingtonparish.co.uk](mailto:office@farlingtonparish.co.uk)

Once we have received the form someone will contact you to make further arrangements.

Once your date is confirmed – and nearer the date we will ask you to attend a preparation session.

After the Christening we would like to be able to contact you to tell you about activities for children and families taking place in our churches we think you could be interested in hearing about

Please tick to allow us to contact you by phone  email  post

You can, of course change your mind later at [office@farlingtonparish.co.uk](mailto:office@farlingtonparish.co.uk) or 023 9242 1849

Further information is available on our website [www.farlingtonparish.co.uk](http://www.farlingtonparish.co.uk) If you have any queries or problems at any time, please get in touch.