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## Religious Education Program Registration Form

Child Information		
First Name:		Last Name:
Address:		
City:	State:	ZIP Code:
Date of birth:	Sex:	Grade (This September):
School:		
Sacramental Record		
Date of Baptism:	Church of Baptism:	
City / State:	Denomination:	
Date of First Communion:	Church of First Communion:	
Date of Confirmation:	Church of Confirmation:	
Parents Information		
Father's Name:		
Phone Home:	Cell:	Work:
Email:		
Mother's Name:		
Phone Home:	Cell:	Work:
Email:		
Guardian's Name (If applicable):		
Address:		
City:	State:	ZIP Code:
Phone Home:	Cell:	Work:

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**OTHER INFORMATIONS**

**Would you like to be a volunteer on special occasions?**

- Yes, I can help as/at (please indicate):  No
- Atrium Assistant  Advent Celebration  End of year Picnic
- First Communion Retreat  First Communion Mass  First Communion Reception
- Confirmation Celebration  Confirmation Reception

**Please list any special needs or restrictions your child has of which we should be aware (e.g. allergies, medical conditions, learning disabilities, etc.)Please enclose Doctor's advice:**

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**Participation and Fees**

The fee for the Religious Education Program is \$125.00 for the first child, \$75 for the second child, and \$50 for each additional child. Books and all other materials are provided without additional charge. Please make checks payable to *St. Thomas the Apostle Church*, and return your payment with your registration. Should the fee present a hardship, please speak with the parish office. No child will be denied participation in the program because of inability to pay. However, it is important that a parent speak to the parish office regarding the matter before classes begin.

**The Sacraments**

Sacramental preparation is part of the Religious Education Program. Regular Sunday classes for the younger children prepare for and then build upon the sacraments, of First Reconciliation and First Communion. The 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> grade class prepares the children for the sacrament of Confirmation. In addition, to involve you more closely in this preparation process, there are special sessions for the children and their parents beginning some weeks before their First Communion in the spring. We will notify you in advance so that you may plan to be with your child for this important part of their religious education and journey in the faith. There is no additional fee for sacramental preparation. Please enclose a copy of the child's Baptismal certificate.

**Parent/Guardian Statement**

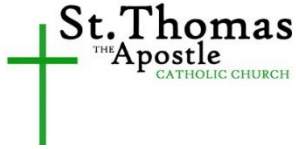
I/we request that my/our child be allowed to participate in the Religious Education Program at St. Thomas the Apostle Catholic Church. I hereby release and indemnify St. Thomas the Apostle Church, its staff, its volunteers, and the Catholic Bishop of Chicago, a corporation sole, of any liability arising from claims of any kind or nature whatsoever, while my child participates in this program. Further, as primary educator of my children, I take responsibility for their religious education by seeing to it that their attendance is regular and their behavior is appropriate.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent/Guardian Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

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Tuition Due: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Tuition Paid: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_



## Parent/Guardian Photograph Release Form

Dear Parent(s) or Guardian(s):

We are in need of photographs of children and teens participating in the St. Thomas the Apostle Parish events for the bulletin and website publications.

Out of concern for the privacy of the children, we want to secure parental permission before publishing photographs of minors participating in the St. Thomas the Apostle Parish activities and events. **Please note that we will not publish any personal information (e.g. name, grade level, etc.) about your child(ren). We will only feature a photograph of your child participating in the St. Thomas the Apostle Parish activities and events.** We value your family's participation in our activities and ask for your permission to include images of your child(ren) in our publications.

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**Please supply the information requested below, and sign and date the form. Completed forms can be returned to St. Thomas the Apostle Parish Office, 5472 S. Kimbark Ave, Chicago IL 60615.**

Participants Name (Please Print): \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Parent or Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_

Street address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip code: \_\_\_\_\_

Home phone number: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell phone number: \_\_\_\_\_

Family E-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_

### Permission

I understand, as a parent/legal guardian of the above-named child, that I am giving the St. Thomas the Apostle Parish permission to use a photograph of my child in its publications.

\_\_\_\_\_ **Yes**, I give permission to the St. Thomas the Apostle Parish.

\_\_\_\_\_ **No**, I do not give permission to the St. Thomas the Apostle Parish.

Parent/Legal Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Paola Tai at St. Thomas the Apostle Parish Office 773-324-2626