



BAPTISM AND CONFIRMATION



The Sacraments of Baptism and Confirmation are closely connected; they are both Sacraments of Initiation. Chapters 28 and 29 of *The Catholic Connections Handbook* discuss these two sacraments. After reading or reviewing these chapters, complete the crossword.

ACROSS

1. Color used at Baptism to symbolize new life in Christ
3. Receptacle in which a child is baptized
7. Baptism consecrates us, that is, make us ____
8. Symbol of Baptism
9. Abbreviation for the ritual adults go through when they are baptized, confirmed, and receive Eucharist all in the same liturgy
10. After being welcomed by the celebrant, the parents announce the baby's ____
12. Age typically considered the "age of reason"
14. Through Baptism, we become part of the ____ of Christ
15. The waters of Baptism wash this away
17. Preparation for adults that leads up to Baptism
18. A candle is lit from the ____ candle and given to parents at Baptism
21. Confirmation ____ the Gift of the Holy Spirit in us
22. To be confirmed, you must profess your faith and ask to receive the Sacrament of ____

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2. Christian ____ is accomplished through the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, and Eucharist
4. In Confirmation, this symbolizes the power of the Holy Spirit
5. When we are baptized, we call upon the name of the ____
6. Jesus was baptized in one of these
7. The laying on of these is a gesture that asks the Holy Spirit to come upon a person
11. Baptism and Confirmation both leave permanent, spiritual signs on us and cannot be ____
13. "Be ____ with the Gift of the Holy Spirit"
14. The ordinary minister of the Sacrament of Baptism
16. At Baptism and at Confirmation we publicly reject him.
17. Oil used for anointing in Baptism and Confirmation
19. Place in a church in which the Sacred Chrism is kept
20. The celebrant makes the sign of this on the baby's forehead

