

# Child Dedication Form

It is our desire at Freshwater Church for the parents of each child being dedicated to the Lord to have a Biblical understanding of what “child dedication” means. With this as our goal, we would like you to answer a few brief questions that will help to prepare you and your child for dedication.

Mother’s Name \_\_\_\_\_ Father’s Name \_\_\_\_\_

Child’s Full Name \_\_\_\_\_

Are the parents of the child(ren) married? \_\_yes \_\_no

Street Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Child Birthdate \_\_\_\_\_ Child Birthplace (City/State) \_\_\_\_\_

If you need more space to answer the following questions, please use the back of this sheet.

- Have you accepted Jesus Christ as your personal Lord and Savior \_\_\_\_\_
- How long ago? \_\_\_\_\_
- How long have you been attending Freshwater church? \_\_\_\_\_
- What does having your child dedicated mean to you?

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- Is this the 1st child you’ve had dedicated at Freshwater Church? \_\_\_\_\_

## Child Dedication Policy

It is the policy of Freshwater Church to dedicate all children whose parents request such service. Dedications are a time to celebrate both the life of the child and the life of the family as an institution ordained by God. As a community of faith, we are careful to promote those values, beliefs and images that best represent God’s order and principles as it relates to family life. Therefore, there may be situations in which we cannot perform a public child dedication as desired by the parent(s). It is our

promise to deal with each situation in both grace and truth and to always guide such situations toward a future date in which the dedication can be performed.

Please check the following:

I have read the attached 'You and Your Child's Dedication' and 'Dedicating Your Child: Q & A'.

I agree to the stipulations set forth in the Child Dedication Policy of Freshwater Church.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Please list those who you anticipate will be in attendance and their relationship to the child.

Name	Relationship
1.	
2.	
3.	
4.	
5.	
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7.	