



Dear Inquirer:

Thank you for contacting the Archives and Special Collections at Saint Joseph's University (SJU) regarding research for baptisms and marriages from the sacramental registers of Old St. Joseph's Church in Philadelphia. Baptism and marriage registers are available for Old St. Joseph's Church from 1758 on. SJU has housed the original registers for baptisms PRIOR TO February 1963 and marriages PRIOR TO January 1, 1974 since 2009. The responsibility for the research into these records was transferred to University on February 27, 2017. A \$25 fee is charged by the Archives and Special Collections for researching these materials since the work requires a great deal of staff time. No guarantee is made to the existence within the registers for the records that you request. Copies of any materials found will be mailed or e-mailed to you. Please provide as much information as you can.

Select the type of record that you are requesting baptism or marriage:

**Baptism** \_\_\_\_\_

Person's name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of birth or baptism: \_\_\_\_\_

Parents' names: \_\_\_\_\_

Priest's name, if known: \_\_\_\_\_

Witnesses, if known: \_\_\_\_\_

Place lived at the time of baptism, if known: \_\_\_\_\_

Any other information that you may have that will be helpful: \_\_\_\_\_

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**Marriage** \_\_\_\_\_

Date of marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Priest's name, if known: \_\_\_\_\_

Witnesses, if known: \_\_\_\_\_

Place lived at the time of marriage, if known: \_\_\_\_\_

Any other information that you may have that will be helpful: \_\_\_\_\_

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Contact Information:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

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Follow the instructions for mailing requests to Saint Joseph's University from the Old Saint Joseph's Church Genealogy site. Requests will not be accepted by telephone or e-mail.

Please allow 10 to 14 days for an initial response to your initial inquiry. It may take longer due to the University's academic schedule, vacations and or staffing.

Thank you,

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