

Full Initiation  
First Eucharist,  
Confirmation by delegation via law or grant

First Eucharist  
at age of reason  
Confirmation by Bishop  
at age 14 or above

Fully Initiated

Confirmation by Bishop (Rite of Confirmation, 7)

Note 1: Eastern Catholics of any  
age are admitted to communion.

Catechesis (RCIA, II. 4)

Confirmation by Bishop?

Catechesis

Age of Reason

Eucharist?

Catechesis by Parish

Catechized— defined by:  
1. Attend mass regularly  
2. Any preparation for  
sacrament of Eucharist

Latin Rite

Catholic

Eastern Rites

In which church was N. validly baptized?  
(See Diocesan list for valid baptisms)  
(See invalid baptism chart design tree if not)

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Western

Non-Catholic

Orthodox

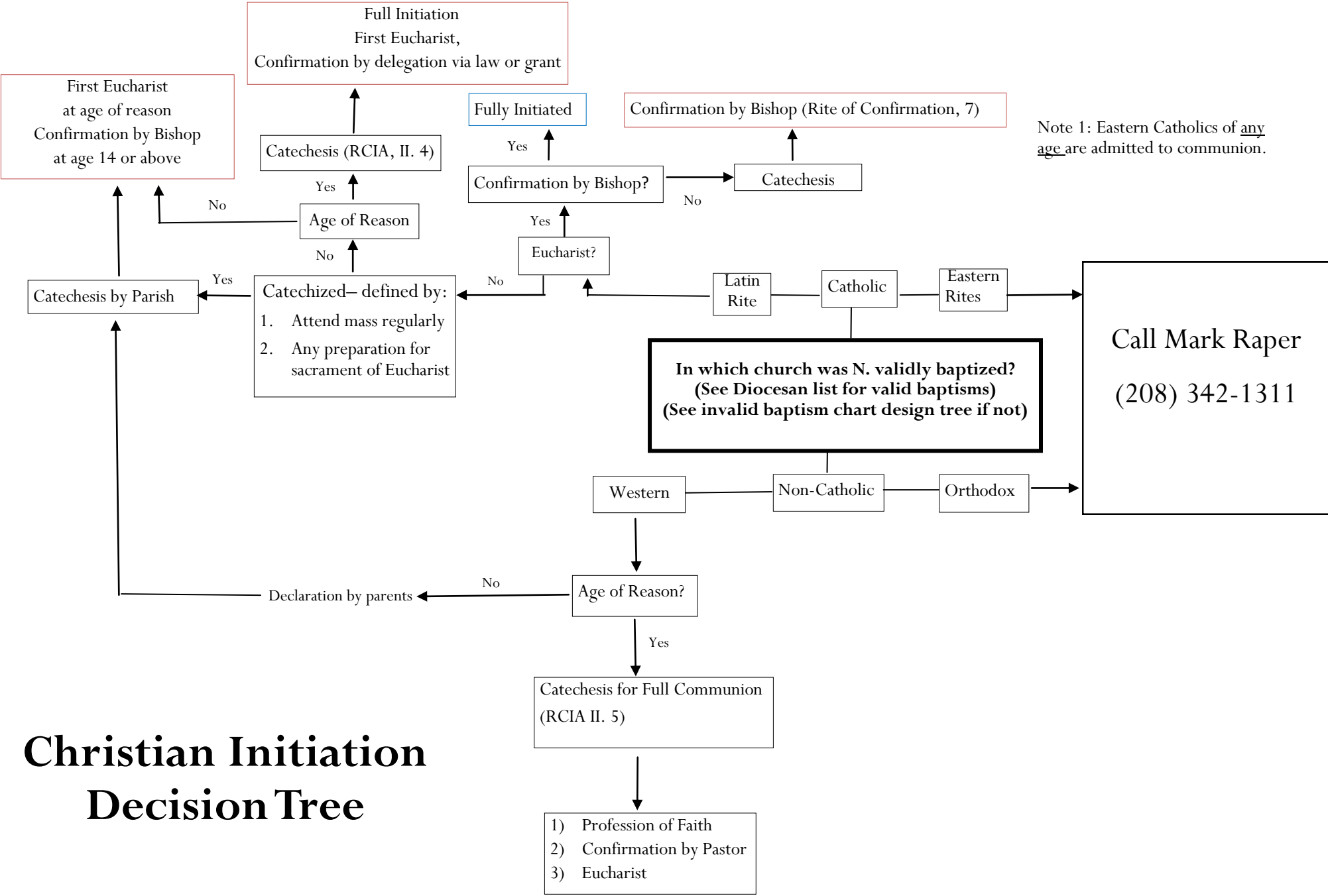
Age of Reason?

Declaration by parents

Catechesis for Full Communion  
(RCIA II. 5)

- 1) Profession of Faith
- 2) Confirmation by Pastor
- 3) Eucharist

# Christian Initiation Decision Tree



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**NON-BAPTIZED OR INVALIDLY BAPTIZED PERSONS**

