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Baptism Information Sheet

CELEBRATION of the Baptism of Children

Christianity is a faith commitment for adults. But its faith is the faith of a community, made up of families. So those who believe initiate their children into the Church in a local assembly that is both worship and mission. Not as a substitute for later personal commitment, but as a fuller welcome into the human race, in all of its complex dimensions. One would think it were simple . . . and our search for meaning cries out to heights and depths beyond our humanity . . . to the God whose call and favor are covenant-gift, witnessed by scripture, made flesh in Jesus. In his cross, in his death and resurrection, is the pattern of our struggle and our new life.

Policies presented here apply to all parish members seeking Baptism.

- Each baptism requires a preparation session with Fr. Dan Jones. Please call 248-373-6457, ext 3104 for an appointment.
- Baptisms are generally held the second Sunday of each month except during Lent.
- No more than four individuals are baptized at any one ceremony.