

FAITH AT HOME: BAPTISM

April 27

Learn Together:

Verse 17: "This is my Son, the Beloved, with whom I am well pleased." (Matthew 3:13-17)

Share Together

- Share the story of your (or someone else's) baptism.
- What made you decide to get baptized? How old were you?
- How did your family and friends react? Who was with you that day? How did you feel?

Create Together

Write baptismal anniversaries on a calendar. Brainstorm ways you can celebrate them.
List ways you use water during the day. How can they help you remember you're baptized?

Bless Together

Take turns making the sign of the Cross on each person's forehead with water.
Say, "Name, you are a loved Child of God, and God is pleased with you."

Pray Together

Pray these or similar words,
"God, thank you for sending your Son to us and for the gift of baptism.
Help us to remember how much you love us and everyone. Amen."

Digging Deeper

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<https://elca.org/Our-Work/Congregations-and-Synods/Faith-Practices/Living-Our-Baptismal-Covenant>.