Baptism Touchstone

Difficulty Level: Easy

• Time Commitment: 30 min to 1 hr.

Number of Adults Needed: At least One

Teaching kids about Baptism can be fun! Most kids are baptized as babies, but not all. Some people are baptized more than once. Some people celebrate baptism like another birthday, while others rarely think of it. Everyone's story is different, so let your kids tell their story through an "All About My Baptism" poster.

Similar to the "All About Me" posters kids do in elementary school, this poster is meant to be decorated and displayed in your child's bedroom, where they can look at it often. Learn the blessing printed on the poster by reading it aloud together each night (Faith 5 blessing???). Read the poster with your child often, and they will eventually be able to tell their Baptism story on their own.

My Baptism:

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Don't have a poster? No problem! Help your kids learn the following:

- 1. Their baptismal date
- 2. Church where they were baptized
- 3. Names of Godparents/Sponsors
- 4. Picture of their baptism
- 5. Learn the following blessing by heart:

"your first & middle name, child of God, you've been sealed by the Holy Spirit and marked by the cross of Christ forever. Let your light so shine before others that they may see your good works and glorify your Father in heaven."

Baptism Bonus Activities:

- 1. Ask your parents, siblings, friends to share their Baptism story.
- 2. Tell your pen pal your Baptism story and ask them to share yours.
- 3. Light your Baptism candle on your Baptism anniversary.
- 4. Call/Visit/Write to your Godparents to ask them their memories of your Baptism day.
- 5. Read the Baptism order of service in your Bible.
- 6. Do a scavenger hunt in your Bible to find verses about Baptism.