

## **Baptism: Prayer of the Faithful**

**Priest: My dear brothers and sisters, let us ask our Lord Jesus Christ to look lovingly on those children who are to be baptized, on their parents and godparents, and on all the baptized.**

**Reader:**

1. By the mystery of your death and resurrection, bathe these children in light, give them new life of baptism and welcome them into your holy Church.

**R: Lord, hear our prayer**

2. Through baptism and confirmation, make them your faithful followers and witnesses to your gospel.

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3. Lead them by a holy life to the joys of God's kingdom.

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4. Make the lives of their parents and godparents examples of faith to inspire these children.

**R: Lord, hear our prayer**

5. Keep their families always in love.

**R: Lord, hear our prayer**

6. Renew the grace of our baptism in each one of us.

**R: Lord, hear our prayer**