Family Talk Time
Can you think of a time you were initiated into something? What was it? How does baptism initiate us into the Church?

Prayer to say as a family this week:
By God’s gift, through water and the Holy Spirit, we are reborn to everlasting life. In His goodness, may He continue to pour out His blessings upon these sons and daughters of His. May He make them always, wherever they may be, faithful members of His holy people. May He send His peace upon all who are gathered here, in Christ Jesus our Lord.

– From The Rite for Baptism

This week, your child learned that:

› Baptism is one of the Sacraments of Initiation.

› Baptism is the first Sacrament we receive. It makes us members of the Church, forgives our sins, and gives us new life in Christ.

› Baptism is necessary for salvation.