

Baptism Remembrance Sunday

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My Baptism and Offertory Prayer

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I remember my baptism very, very well because it came at a time in my life where I had to choose. I had come to a fork in my road. A crossroad that a lot of young men must face in their life. One where, if you choose the right road you will live forever. If you choose the wrong road – you die. My baptism was me, telling God, in my purest form, through a symbolic act that I believed in Him and that I understand the rules and I was ready to play in the game. I've been playing for 26 years now and I think I'm doing pretty well considering what I used to be like. I still have a lot of sins to pay for and the 2-minute warning is coming up fast so I need to stay the course. I also need to continue to pray everyday because Simon and Garfunkel told me that Heaven holds a place for those who pray and I believe them. So in that light, would you join me in prayer?

Lord,

We come to you this morning thanking you for all of your blessings and to ask you to please take a small portion back from us for the glory of your Kingdom. We ask you to bless this offering and may we put it to good use.

We pray in Jesus' name. Amen.