

Do you repent of the sins that separate us from God and neighbour?

**Parents & Godparents: I repent of them.**

Do you turn to Christ as Saviour?

**Parents & Godparents: I turn to Christ.**

Do you submit to Christ as Lord?

**Parents & Godparents: I submit to Christ.**

Do you come to Christ, the way, the truth and the life?

**Parents & Godparents: I come to Christ.**

### **Signing with the Cross**

*the sign of the cross is made on the forehead of the child*

Ralph, Christ claims you for his own. Receive the sign of his cross. Do not be ashamed to confess the faith of Christ crucified.

**All: Fight valiantly as a disciple of Christ against sin, the world and the devil and remain faithful to Christ to the end of your life.**

May almighty God deliver you from the powers of darkness, restore in you the image of glory, and lead you in the light and obedience of Christ. **Amen.**

**The Prayer over the water of baptism** *all join in the responses*

Praise God, who made heaven and earth,

**All: Who keeps his promise for ever.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**All: It is right to give him thanks and praise.**

*The priest then says a prayer of blessing over the water and all join at the end saying*

**All: Amen.**

**The Profession of Faith** *all join in the responses*

Do you believe and trust in God the Father, who made all things?

**All: We believe and trust in him.**

Do you believe and trust in his Son Jesus Christ,  
who redeemed the world?

**All: We believe and trust in him.**

Do you believe and trust in his Holy Spirit,  
who gives life to the people of God?

**All: We believe and trust in him.**

This is the faith of the Church.

**All: This is our faith. We believe and trust in one God:**

**Father, Son and Holy Spirit. Amen.**

### **The Baptism**

Ralph Miles, I baptise you in the name of the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit

**All: Amen.**

### **The Anointing**

*The child is anointed with holy oil and a prayer said to which all say*

**All: Amen.**

### **The Prayers & The Lord's Prayer**

#### **The Welcome**

There is one Lord, one faith, one baptism:

Ralph, by one Spirit we are all baptized into one body.

We welcome you into the fellowship of faith;

**All: we are children of the same heavenly Father;**

**we welcome you.**

#### **The Giving of a Lighted Candle** *all join in the response*

God has delivered us from the dominion of darkness and has given us a place with the saints in light. Ralph, you have the light of Christ: walk in this light all the days of your life.

**All: Shine as a light in the world to glory of God the Father.**

### **The Blessing**

