

Prayers of the Faithful
Baptism of the Lord
January 13, 2019

-We pray for the Church. That through the prayers of St. John the Baptist, we may recognize the presence of Christ in our midst, **We pray to the Lord.**

-We pray for our priests. That they may be encouraged and sanctified by the Eucharist they celebrate, **We pray to the Lord.**

-We pray for all those who do not share our faith in Christ. That the Lord may receive and honour their good works and bring them to see the Father's face, **We pray to the Lord.**

We pray for families. That through lives of faith, they may prepare themselves for life in the family of God, **We pray to the Lord.**

-We pray for those burdened by guilt and shame. That through the Grace of Baptism and Reconciliation, they may find peace, **We pray to the Lord.**

-We pray for the sick and the suffering. That through the anointing of the Spirit, the Lord may heal them and raise them up, **We pray to the Lord.**

-We pray for those who have died. That we who have been Baptized in Christ may be one with him in his Resurrection, **We pray to the Lord.**