

Renewal of Baptismal Promises

Not all the family can attend the Easter Vigil due to its time and length. However, It is highly recommended that the family members renew their baptismal vows and sprinkle themselves with the [Easter Water](#) as is performed during the vigil celebration. Everyone's baptismal candles and garments can be put on display on the family altar or as a table centrepiece to remind us of our baptism and commitment to our baptismal vows.

Renewing baptismal promises can also be done at home on the Feast of the Baptism of the Lord in January, and on anniversaries of baptism.

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DIRECTIONS

Dear brethren, through the Paschal Mystery we have been buried with Christ in Baptism, that we may walk with him in newness of life. And so, let us renew the promises of Holy Baptism, which we once renounced Satan and his works and promised to serve God in the holy Catholic Church. And so I ask you:

V. Do you renounce Satan?

R. I do.

V. And all his works?

R. I do.

V. And all his empty show?

R. I do.

OR:

V. Do you renounce sin,
so as to live in the freedom of the children of God?

R. I do.

V. Do you renounce the lure of evil,
so that sin may have no mastery over you?

R. I do.

V. Do you renounce Satan,
the author and prince of sin?

R. I do.

V. Do you believe in God,
the Father Almighty,
Creator of heaven and earth?

R. I do.

V. Do you believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,
who was born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered death and was buried,
rose again from the dead
and is seated at the right hand of the Father?

R. I do.

V. Do you believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy Catholic church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and life everlasting?

R. I do.

V. And may almighty God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ,
who has given us new birth by water and the Holy Spirit
and bestowed on us forgiveness of our sins,
keep us by his grace,
in Christ Jesus our Lord,
for eternal life.

R. Amen.

All are sprinkled with holy water.