

# BAPTISM

CREATION	FALL of MAN	PROMISE	INCARNATION	CHURCH	KINGDOM
<p>O Lord thou hast created by thy great power, the sea, the dry land, and all the <u>creation</u>..</p>	<p>Put off the old garment of sin and renew him unto life.</p>	<p>And if you are Christ's, then you are Abraham's offspring, heirs according to <u>promise</u>.</p>	<p>We now pray thee O Lord, send thine Holy Spirit into this water and sanctify the same as thou did sanctify the river Jordan by descending thereinto and prefiguring thereby this font of <u>baptism</u> for the regeneration of all men.</p>	<p>Fill thy servant with thy heavenly gifts and give him the joy of being named a <u>Christian</u>, which is the most excellent calling, and make him worthy of baptism of the second birth of the holy font. And by receiving the Holy Spirit may he be body and member of the <u>Church</u>..</p>	<p>And by leading a blameless Christian life in this world may he attain the good things of the world to come together with all thy saints, glorifying thy immutable dominion, now and always and unto the ages of ages. Amen.</p>
			<p>Being cleansed of all sins he may live in this world to the satisfaction of thy will and may receive in the world to come the inexpressible bounties together with all thy saints...</p>	<p>Sweet ointment in the name of Jesus Christ is poured upon thee as a seal of incorruptible heavenly gifts..</p> <p>Keep this child in purity through the Holy Spirit that he may do thy will blamelessly and may attain eternal life in freedom from sin..</p>	<p>Glory to thee, King eternal that givest increase to thy church and replenisheth her with the light of faith of the innumerable souls saved through the knowledge of God in thy Christ.</p>