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# THE STORY OF MY BAPTISM

## SUGGESTED PARISH LETTER

- *The Story of My Baptism* is designed for pre-school children. Part 1 of the book prepares the child for Baptism. Part 2 of the book records the celebration of the Sacrament. The child, with their family, fills in the details of their journey of preparing for and then celebrating their Baptism. It makes an ideal keepsake for children to refer to when they prepare for the sacraments of Confirmation and Eucharist.
- You may wish to adapt this letter to suit your parish e.g. include parish logo, have someone in your parish handwrite the letter on parchment
- Print the letter, then cut and paste in the space on page 2 of book
- Parish priest or sacramental coordinator/team member to sign letter
- Remember to keep in contact with the children and their families e.g. send a card on the anniversary of the child's Baptism, invite the family to join ministries and events in the parish – e.g. Children's Liturgy of the Word, after Mass cuppa roster, adult and/or children's choir



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Baptism of your child (name)

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Eucharist.

At (child's name)'s Baptism, we as a parish  
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