A Bit About...

Baptism

A sacrament is an outward sign of a grace that God gives us in our soul. When we are baptized, water

is poured on our head as a symbol of the sin being washed out of our soul.

You might be wondering if babies need to get baptized when they haven't even done any sins yet. But baptism also takes away original sin, which comes to us from Adam and Eve. Baptism also gives us the grace we need to live a good Christian life. Of course babies can't sin when they are very young, but Baptism will give them grace when they need it.

Why do you think that Jesus got baptized, since He didn't have original sin or actual sins? Jesus

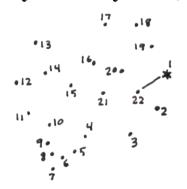
didn't need to get rid of any sins, but He was baptized to give us an example.

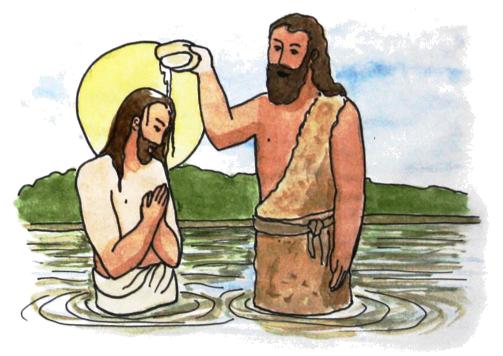
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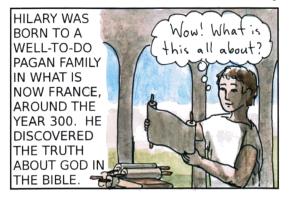
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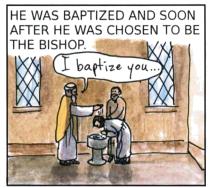




What did Saint John the Baptist see that showed him that Jesus was the Son of God? Connect the dots to find out!

Saint Hilary of Poitiers January 13

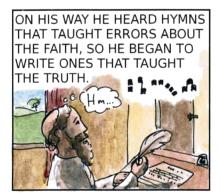














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