

For the week of
January 10, 2021

FAITH 



In the Beginning/Baptism of the Lord

SHARE: Your highs and lows from the past week.

READ: **Genesis 1:1-5, Mark 1:4-11**

TALK:

- What connections can you make between the two readings (clue words: beginnings, water, light)?
- If you are baptized, what do you remember about it or what have you been told about it? Do you have a special way you remember your baptism each year?
- Beginnings can make us feel unsure. What role does the Holy Spirit play in new beginnings we might have, including baptism?
- Imagine the scene that Mark 1:10-11 describes. What is the sign of God and the Holy Spirit?
- What signs of God and the Holy Spirit do you see in your life?
- Imagine you heard the words "You are my Son, the Beloved; with you I am well pleased." How would that make you feel?
- Talk about a time when someone was proud of you.
- Activity: Draw out a scene from either reading. You might want to draw the beginning of creation or John baptizing Jesus.

PRAY: Pray for each other's highs and lows!

BLESS: Bless one another with the sign of the cross saying "The Holy Spirit is with you always!"