# **Baptism for Kids**

#### Does your child want to be baptized?

If your child has made the decision to follow Jesus and has expressed the desire to declare their faith through baptism, check out the following conversation starters. Use these questions as a guide to help you determine if they're ready to take this step of faith.

#### What is baptism?

- A really important step for all followers of Jesus.
- A way people show that they want to follow Jesus all their life. (Acts 8:12)

## Why do people who follow Jesus choose to be baptized?

- To show everyone that they have decided to follow and live for Jesus.
- And because Jesus tells us to! (Matthew 28:18-20)

#### Why do we go under the water when we are baptized?

- It reminds us of Jesus's story, how he died and came back to life.
- The water is a way to show that Jesus washed away our sins.

#### Things to ask your child before making the decision about baptism:

- Have you made Jesus the leader and Savior of your life? What does that mean?
- Why do you want to be baptized?

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Scripture provides evidence that baptism follows an individual's personal decision to trust Jesus alone for salvation. So, when it comes to baptizing young kids, we want to make sure they understand what baptism is (and isn't) and why it's important.

## Do you think your child is ready to take this step?

If your child has made the decision to make Jesus the leader of their life and wants to make a public declaration of their faith by being baptized, complete the following steps at eaglebrookchurch.com/baptism:

1 Watch the Baptism for Kids video with your child.

**2** Fill out the registration form for baptism.

If you or your child would like to learn more before registering, **request a meeting** with your kids pastor at eaglebrookchurch.com/baptism or talk to a pastor at your campus.

