

CHURCHES AT THE HEART OF DUBLIN
INVITE THE BAPTISED BACK DURING LENT

Were you baptised in

**ST MARY'S CATHEDRAL MARLBOROUGH STREET
OR ST ANDREW'S WESTLAND ROW?**

IT'S WHERE TENS OF THOUSANDS OF PEOPLE BEGAN THEIR CHRISTIAN JOURNEY
THROUGH THE WATERS OF BAPTISM AND ANOINTING WITH SACRED OILS.



**WE ARE INVITING THOSE WHO WERE BAPTISED TO
COME AND SEE**

THE BAPTISMAL FONT IN WHICH THEY WERE CHRISTENED

AND TO RECEIVE A SPECIAL SOUVENIR PRAYER CARD.

AND PETER SAID TO THEM,

*Repent and be baptised every one of you in the name
of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of your sins,
and you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit.*

ACTS 22:16



**SATURDAYS IN LENT
12 - 1 PM**

**7TH | 14TH | 21ST | 28TH
MARCH**

Remembering My Baptism

LOVING GOD, IN THIS HOLY SEASON OF LENT WE PREPARE TO CELEBRATE THE GREAT FEAST OF EASTER WHEN THE WONDER OF YOUR LOVE WAS REVEALED IN THE DEATH AND RESURRECTION OF JESUS CHRIST YOUR SON WHEN HE PASSED FROM DEATH TO NEW LIFE.

I RECALL THE DAY OF MY BAPTISM, WHEN YOUR NEW LIFE RAINED ON ME AND I WAS ANOINTED AS YOUR CHILD, CHOSEN, CALLED AND SENT BY THE POWER OF YOUR SPIRIT AS A WITNESS TO YOUR LOVE IN MY TIME AND PLACE.

I GIVE THANKS FOR THE FONT AT WHICH I WAS BAPTISED AND FOR ALL THOSE WHO OPENED MY EYES, MIND AND HEART TO MYSTERY OF YOUR LOVE AS I GREW FROM CHILD TO ADULT IN CHRIST

ON MY JOURNEY TO EASTER, I RECALL MY BAPTISM AND PRAY FOR THE STRENGTH OF YOUR HOLY SPIRIT TO RESPOND MORE FULLY TO YOUR CALL TO BE A FONT OF LIFE IN CHRIST FOR OTHERS, A LIGHT PROCLAIMING THE GOSPEL BY MY LIFE, DRAWING THEM TO JESUS AND TO THE FAMILY OF THE CHURCH.

AMEN

