



Baptism Mobile

Grades 1-4

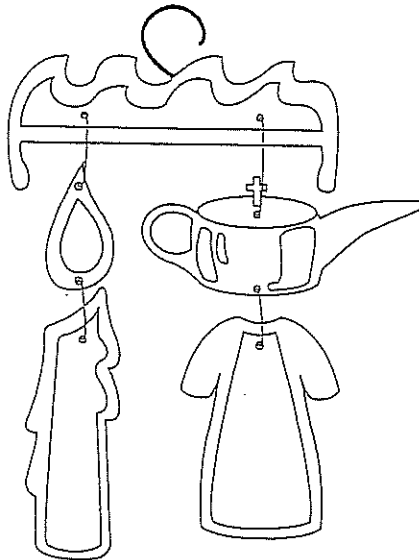
Materials:

Cardboard	Glue
Mobile patterns of baptismal symbols (see page 16)	Cellophane tape
Scissors	Coat hanger
Construction paper	Paper punch
Thread or yarn	Pencils

You may need teacher aides for this project.

FAITH CONNECTION

Ask if any of the children have seen a baptism before and discuss their experiences. Explain that the four symbols of Baptism are water, oil, fire, and a white garment.



Before Class:

Fold a large piece of blue construction paper in half to make the water symbol that will be used to encase the hanger. At the open end of the construction paper, draw and cut out waves. Glue the water symbol at the top of the waves and around the hanger.

Prepare sets of baptismal symbols on cardboard for the students to trace.

Directions:

1. Have the students trace the cardboard symbols onto construction paper.
2. Cut out the symbols.
3. Punch a hole in each symbol.
4. Using tape or glue, attach yarn or thread in different lengths to each symbol.
5. Hang the candle, robe, and oil symbols from the water symbol.
6. Loop a piece of yarn or thread through the top of the water frame for hanging.
7. Tie symbols in various lengths to water symbol (hanger).

Baptism Mobile Patterns
Grades 1-4 and 5-8

