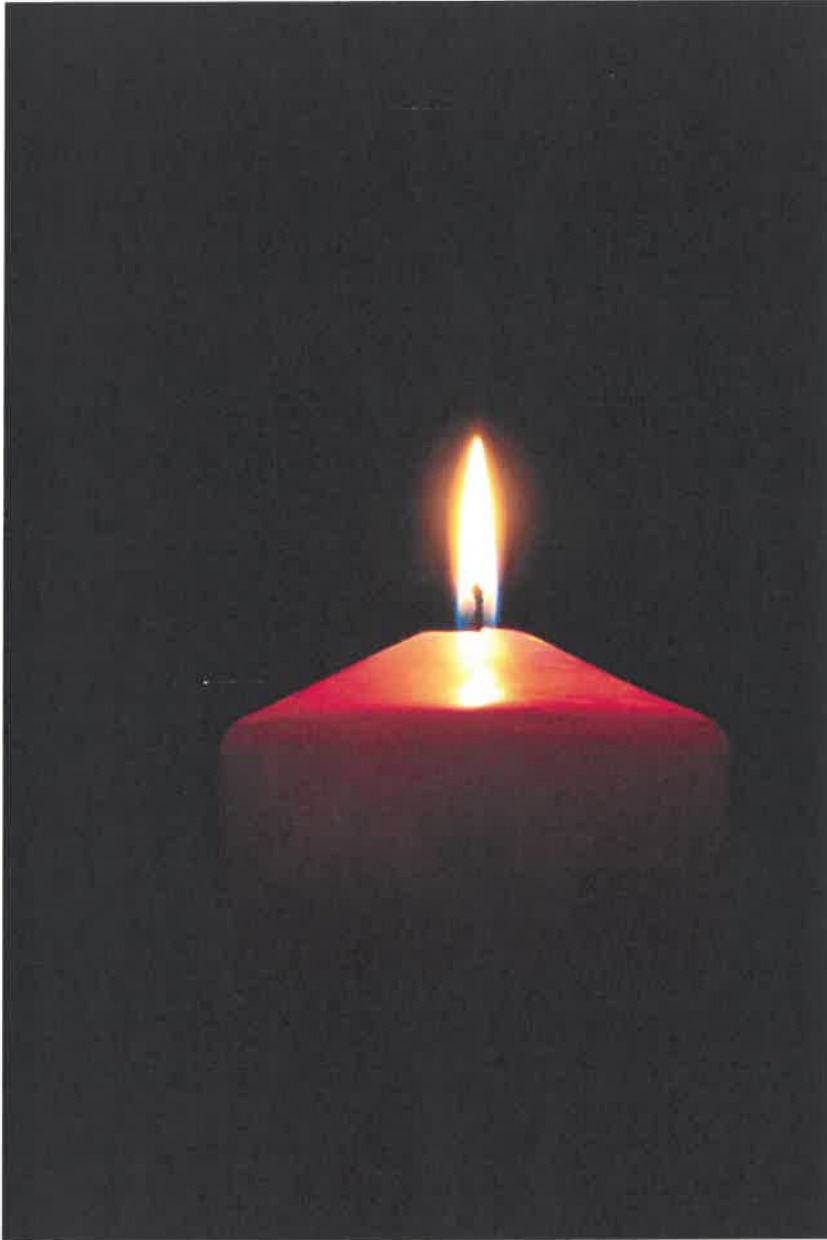


Praying with your Baby



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Coming Home

Thank you, Lord for the safe delivery of our baby. New life is a precious gift from You. Thank You. Amen

Help me, Lord, in these first few weeks as a mother to love and care for my new baby. Give me strength and understanding of his/her needs. Amen

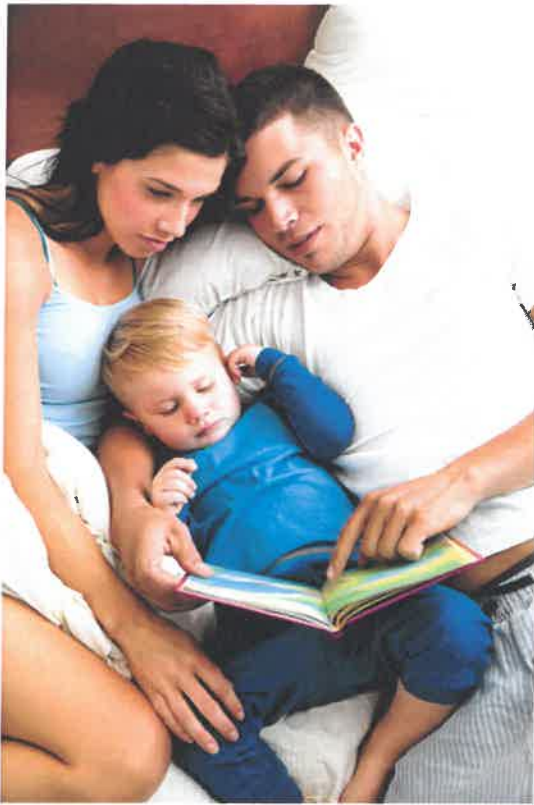
Let the light of Christ shine in our home as we begin life together as a family. Amen

Dear Lord Jesus, bless our home and family especially in these early weeks of our baby's life. May You surround us with your love. Amen



Watch over our baby as he/she sleeps. Keep us from worrying unduly and give us your peace. Amen

Family



Thank you, Loving Father, for our family and all the joys and pleasures they bring. Thank you for our home that we can rest and relax here together. Amen

Lord, I know that sometimes I am so tired with all that I need to do for my family. Give me the strength that I need for each day. Amen

May our home be one of peace and happiness. May we welcome any who come to visit us. Amen

As the wise men came to visit you at your birth, may I too come and worship you as the Saviour of the world. Amen

Bless our family as we grow together and build a home of love. Amen

Keep us safe each night and free from worry that we may sleep well. Amen

New Beginnings

Give us your light as we begin this new life together. Show us the way forward when we seem unsure. Amen

Lord Jesus may our new baby be surrounded in your love and care. May he/ she grow stronger each day as you entrusted him/her to us. Amen

Lord, we pray that as we bring our baby to baptism, in faith we believe he/she will know your forgiveness and begin a life in the Spirit. Amen

Loving Father please touch the life of our baby as he/she begins the journey of faith. Amen

God of grace, may your love be poured out in a special way at our baby's baptism. Amen



Shine Jesus on our family as we begin this journey of faith. Amen

Friends

We have some wonderful friends who have helped us so much over these last few months. Thank you, Lord for them. Amen

May we never take our friends for granted but treat them with love and respect. Amen

At the moment we are so busy with our new baby, may we not neglect our best friends. Amen

Thank you for those around us who have helped us whenever we have needed them. Amen

Help me to choose the right friends as godparents. This is a very responsible role. Amen

Jesus, you had good friends here on earth, give me new friends in the church I have joined. Amen



Health and happiness

Thank you loving Father for the health and strength that you give me each day. Amen



Watch over our little one today. May he/she be able to fight this illness and soon be well again. Amen

Keep us as a family well and strong that we may enjoy our new life together. Amen

In many parts of the world people struggle to survive because of lack of clean water, and medical aid. May we care enough to support projects that will overcome this. Amen

We remember, loving Father those who care for us when we are ill. May we never take them for granted. Amen

Keep us today and always in your care. Amen

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