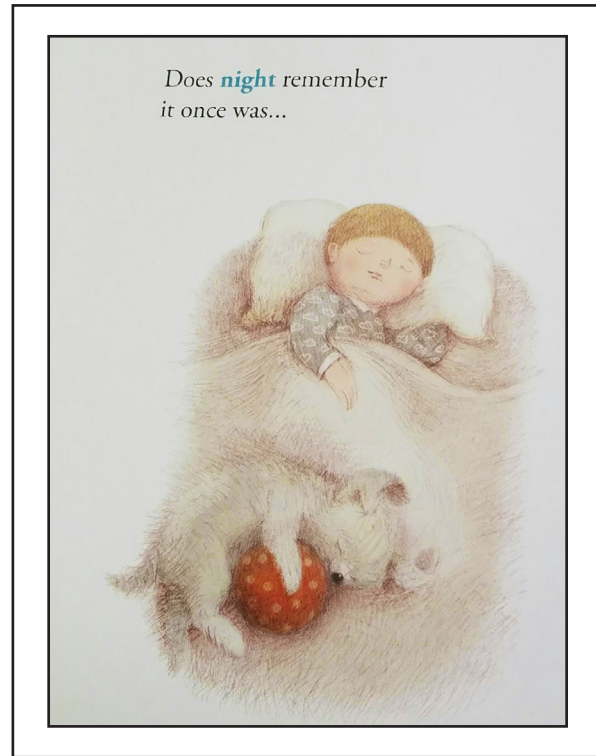


# Family Activities

SHARING THE MISSION AT HOME  
AND IN THE WORLD



**QUESTION OF THE WEEK:** Explore these big thoughts: At what point does the day turn into night? At what point did you your parents become adults? What place did Jesus' baptism play in his mission? What place does our baptism play in our lives?

**CHARACTER QUALITIES:** KNOWING YOUR ROOTS  
GROWING YOUR MISSION

**FAMILY ACTIVITIES:** Share baby pictures of each member of your family. Talk about each persons' birth. Try to trace back to grandparents and great grandparents, sharing pictures and stories of where they were born. Grow in your understanding of the origins of your own family. Talk about how having a greater awareness of your own family's origins helps you have a greater appreciation of how your family is a part of God's family - the Body of Christ.

# Gospel Illustration

2ND SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME. CYCLE A  
GOSPEL OF JOHN 1:29-34



**THE SPIRIT DESCENDING LIKE A DOVE FROM HEAVEN**

~ Vicki Shuck, Esperanza Arts

'A man is coming after me who ranks ahead of me because he existed before me.'

~ John 1:30