***Baptism: Promises made by parents and Godparents***

*At the baptism of children, the president then says to the parents and godparents*

Parents and godparents, the Church receives *these children* with joy.

Today we are trusting God for *their* growth in faith.

Will you pray for *them*,

draw *them* by your example into the community of faith

and walk with *them* in the way of Christ?

**With the help of God, we will.**

In baptism *these children* begin *their* journey in faith.

You speak for *them* today.

Will you care for *them*,

and help *them* to take *their* place

within the life and worship of Christ’s Church?

**With the help of God, we will.**