1) What are the different Identities you carry? (each person respond) Who chose those identities for you?

2) What are the identities given to us in our Baptism? How do we know this?

3) Why is baptismal identity something we live out each day instead of a one time event (even though your baptism was a one time event)? How does it conflict with the other identities placed on our lives?
4) Based on the readings from Scripture selected for this week:
   a) What is the difference between John the Baptist baptism and Jesus’?
   b) What does Paul say to us about living a life that is based in grace and mercy given from God through faith? How is it supposed to shape our life?
   c) In Ephesians, how does Paul tell us that we are identified? What are we given because of this identity?

5) Questions regarding the teaching or the readings? Please submit at least 1 question per person, attach their name to each question please. Remember, there are no stupid questions.

6) Practice: As a family unit, how might you affirm your baptismal identity daily? Weekly? Monthly? Yearly?

7) Complete this discussion sheet back to pastor in a timely fashion.

Readings for the week
- Mark 1:1-11
- Romans 6:1-23
- Ephesians 1:3-14