

***Sacrament of Baptism for Neil James Van Sickle
Son of Colin and Sophia Van Sickle***

“Child of blessing, child of promise, baptized with the Spirit’s sign, with this water God has sealed you, unto love and grace divine”

INTRODUCTION

QUESTIONS TO PARENTS

Do you reaffirm your own faith in Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord?

Do you claim God’s covenant promises on your child’s behalf, and do you look in faith to the Lord Jesus Christ for his salvation, as you do for your own?

Do you now unreservedly promise, in humble reliance upon God’s grace, to set before your child an example of the new life in Christ?

Do you promise to pray with and for him and to bring him up in the knowledge and love of God?

QUESTIONS TO CONGREGATION Andy Bowe

Do you, the members of this congregation, in the name of the whole church of Christ, undertake with these parents the Christian nurture of this child, so that in due time he may confess faith in Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior? Do you?

Will you endeavor by your example and fellowship to strengthen his family ties with the household of God? Will you?

PRAYER OVER THE WATER

BAPTIZING AND WELCOME