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to birds, butterflies, bees, and things with wings;

Open our senses and teach us to fly!

To fish-filled rivers, lakes, oceans and seas;

Open our senses and wash us clean!

To flowers, forests, bushes afire and everything green;

Open our senses and help us to grow!

To wind and clouds, earthquake, storm and silence;

Open our senses and move us!

To sun, moon, planets, whirling galaxies and limitless space;

Open our senses and cause a rebirth of wonder!

To vast continents, nations, governments, cities and farms;

Open our senses and affirm us in oneness!

#### Ted Loder

# +Response 250

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Do we, who witness and celebrate this sacrament, promise our love, support, and care to this child being baptized as she lives and grows in this Christian community?

We do.

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How could anyone ever tell you, you were less than whole?

How could anyone fail to notice that your loving is a miracle,
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