

# The Feast



Cover Art – *The Baptism of the Christ*, Giotto, 1305 A. D.

**Giotto di Bondone** (1266 – January 8, 1337), was an Italian painter and architect from Florence in the late Middle Ages. He is generally considered the first in a succession of important artists of the Italian Renaissance. Perhaps Giotto's most famous work is the Scrovegni Chapel in Padua, called the Arena Chapel, from which the cover is taken. This fresco cycle depicts the life of the Virgin and the life of Christ. His work there is considered among the most important of the early Renaissance.

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**Of the Baptism  
Of Our Lord  
Jesus Christ**