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Please place your rock in the bowl of water; this is a symbol of laying your sickness and troubles at the foot of the Cross where Jesus' blood can wash them away. After you lay down your burdens, pick up your "life" at Christ's table.

After hearing your request, the prayer team will pray with you, laying hands on you in the name of the Lord and anointing your forehead with oil as Scripture encourages.

This is a physical sign given to us in Scripture that signifies both God's blessing and healing presence in our lives. The oil is pure olive oil. If you choose not to be anointed, please let the prayer team know.

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