



Obedience Saves You

Interactive Outline

Sunday, 10:30 a.m.

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Scripture Reading: John 3:1-5

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What would you say if someone asked you the question, "what should I do to be saved?" Would it be repent and be baptized? Or would you maybe just answer them with a simple, "you need to be baptized!" What is baptism to you? To some in the world it is a sprinkling of a child or an adult. To others it is an immersion to show others that they have been previously saved. What does God's Word say baptism is? Is it an "all powerful" action that solves all of your spiritual issues? Does God describe it as a feeling? Maybe it is a body of holy water that magically saves you. With so many misconceptions about salvation may we study God's Word this morning to answer what saves you!

1) What Is Baptism?

A. A Command (Matthew 28:18-20; Mark 16:15-16; John 3:3-5; Acts 2:37-38)

B. Obedience (Acts 8:12-13; 8:35-38; 9:17-18 {22:12-16}; Romans 6:3-6; 1 Peter 3:21)

C. Decision To Follow God Rather Than Man (Acts 4:12; 5:29)

Notes:

2) What It Is Not...

A. Replacement of Faith (Mark 16:15-16; Hebrews 11:6)

B. Replacement of Repentance (Acts 2:38; Romans 6:1-2, 13)

C. Replacement of Growth (1 Peter 2:2; 1 Timothy 4:12-16; 4:1-2)

D. A Feeling (Mark 16:16)

Notes:

Mark 16:16

What must I do to be saved?

Hear: Romans 10:17, Acts 2:37. **Believe:** Hebrews 11:6, Acts 18:8. **Repent:** Matthew 4:17, Acts 17:30-31.

Confess: Mat. 10:32-33, John 11:25-27. **Be Baptized:** Mat. 28:19, Acts 2:38, 1 Peter 3:21.