



Sunday, April 12, 2015

Baptism

A Symbol of Our Complete Redemption in Christ

Luke 3:1-18

1. BAPTISM is a Confession of Faith: Mt 3:1-6

- a. Repentance and faith is taught through preaching: vs 1-4
- b. The Hearing ear and the seeing eye responds: vs 5-6/Prov 20:12
- c. By baptism we confess that Christ is the only escape from hell: vs 7

2. BAPTISM is a Command to be obeyed: Mt 28:19-20/Mrk 16:15-16

- a. Why do you call me Lord and not follow my instructions? Luke 6:46-48
- b. Christ's obedience to it compels us: Mt 3:15-17

3. BAPTISM is a Confirmation: 1 Peter 2:24-25

- a. The conscience cleared, cleansed, comforted: Lev 14:1-7
- b. The promise of forgiveness in the soul: 1 Cor 6:11/Ezek 36:24-27/Heb 10:22