



“Baptism”

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Matthew 28:19 (NLT)

Colossians 2:12-15 (NLT)

John 1:11-12 (ESV)

- *Baptism is a sacred act of **obedience** that we celebrate with Christian community.*
- *Baptism is not a **way to grace** or a declaration to God that says, **“Hey, look at me, I am in!”***
- *Baptism is a practice that demonstrates and declares.*
- *Baptism is a **remembrance** of what Christ did for you.*
- *Baptism is something all believers **share in common**.*
- *Baptism signifies that I am part of the **body of Christ**.*
- *Baptism is **sacred** in that it shows my **dependence** on Christ to overcome sin.*