Elevate Christian Church January 20, 2019

Watermarks

1. Accept Christ: Baptism

Acts 2:38 NIV Peter replied, "Repent and be baptized, every one of you, in the name of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of your sins. And you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit. https://bible.com/bible/111/act.2.38.NIV

Galatians 3:27 NIV for all of you who were baptized into Christ have clothed yourselves with Christ. https://bible.com/bible/111/gal.3.27.NIV

Ephesians 2:8-9 NIV 8 For it is by grace you have been saved, through faith—and this is not from yourselves, it is the gift of God— 9 not by works, so that no one can boast. https://bible.com/bible/111/eph.2.8-9.NIV

Romans 6:1-5 NIV 1 What shall we say, then? Shall we go on sinning so that grace may increase? 2 By no means! We are those who have died to sin; how can we live in it any longer? 3 Or don't you know that all of us who were baptized into Christ Jesus were baptized into his death? 4 We were therefore buried with him through baptism into death in order that, just as Christ was raised from the dead through the glory of the Father, we too may live a new life. 5 For if we have been united with him in a death like his, we will certainly also be united with him in a resurrection like his.

https://bible.com/bible/111/rom.6.1-5.NIV

1 Peter 3:21 NIV 21 and this water symbolizes baptism that now saves you also-not the removal of dirt from the body but the pledge of a clear conscience toward God. It saves you by the resurrection of Jesus Christ, https://bible.com/bible/111/1pe.3.21.NIV

Acts 8:36 NIV 36 As they traveled along the road, they came to some water and the eunuch said, "Look, here is water. What can stand in the way of my being baptized?" https://bible.com/bible/111/act.8.36.NIV

Acts 16:33 NIV 33 At that hour of the night the jailer took them and washed their wounds; then immediately he and all his household were baptized. https://bible.com/bible/111/act.16.33.NIV Ephesians 4:3-6 NIV 3 Make every effort to keep the unity of the Spirit through the bond of peace. 4 There is one body and one Spirit, just as you were called to one hope when you were called; 5 one Lord, one faith, one baptism; 6 one God and Father of all, who is over all and through all and in all. https://bible.com/bible/111/eph.4.3-6.NIV

2. Worship Together: Attend Services

Hebrews 10:23-25 ESV 23 Let us hold fast the confession of our hope without wavering, for he who promised is faithful. 24 And let us consider how to stir up one another to love and good works, 25 not neglecting to meet together, as is the habit of some, but encouraging one another, and all the more as you see the Day drawing near. https://bible.com/bible/59/heb.10.23-25.ESV

3. Membership: Giving and Ministry

Matthew 6:24 ESV 24 "No one can serve two masters, for either he will hate the one and love the other, or he will be devoted to the one and despise the other. You cannot serve God and money. https://bible.com/bible/59/mat.6.24.ESV

1 Peter 4:10 ESV
10 As each has received a gift, use it to serve one another, as good stewards of God's varied
grace:
https://bible.com/bible/59/1pe.4.10.ESV

4. Connected and Growing: Small Groups

5. Reaching out: Serving our Community

Mark 10:45 ESV 45 For even the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many." https://bible.com/bible/59/mrk.10.45.ESV

6. Disciple: Coach

Matthew 28:19-20 ESV 19 Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, 20 teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, to the end of the age." https://bible.com/bible/59/mat.28.19-20.ESV

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