

Worksheet 3

Baptism: Water and the Word

Questions 265-271, pages 224-229

Matching:

Write the letter of the definition in front of the word that it best describes.

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| 1. ___ baptism | A. One God in three persons (Father, Son, and Holy Spirit) |
| 2. ___ Triune | B. Admitting our sin and receiving God's promise of forgiveness |
| 3. ___ confession | C. The announcement that your sins are washed away |
| 4. ___ absolution | D. Water applied in the name of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit to bring us into God's family . |
| 5. ___ Gospel | E. God's Good News that promises full and free forgiveness because of what Jesus did for me |

True-False

Mark the true statements with a plus (+) sign and mark the false statements with a (-) sign. If a statement is false, correct it by crossing out or changing words in italics. Do not cross out words that are not in italics.

1. ___ *Baptism* requires *holy* water.
2. ___ *Only pastors* can *baptize*.
3. ___ If we do not have any *water*, we *cannot* baptize.
4. ___ The water in *baptism* can be applied in any way including *sprinkling*, pouring, or *immersing*.
5. ___ *Before* I was baptized, I was *separated* from Jesus by my *sins*.
6. ___ *Before* I was baptized, I became part of *God's family*.
7. ___ Baptism brings me into God's family by putting *God's name* on me.
8. ___ *Baptism* is important for *all* people including *babies and children*.
9. ___ God *commands* baptism for all people including *little children and babies*.
10. ___ *Babies aren't* sinful.
11. ___ The Holy Spirit *works faith* even in the hearts of *babies* through *baptism*
12. ___ God *freely and fully* forgives you because of *Jesus*.
13. ___ Only *Jesus* has earned God's *forgiveness* for us.
14. ___ God forgives us because *confessing our sins* earns *forgiveness*.
15. ___ The second part of confession is: *Doing good to pay for our sins*.
16. ___ Receiving forgiveness from the *pastor* is *better than* receiving forgiveness from a fellow Christian.
17. ___ God speaks his comforting message of forgiveness to you through *his Word*, through *your pastor*, and through *fellow Christians*.

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18. ___ *Absolution* means *doing enough good to wash away my sins*.

19. ___ The second part of confession is: *Saying we're sorry*.

Essay

In case of an emergency when a pastor is not around, how would you perform a baptism?

Books of the Bible

Write the five books of the **New Testament** that come after the book of **Ephesians**. Look them up either in the front of your Bible or on page 32 in the Catechism. **Spelling counts**.

- 1. _____
- 2. _____
- 3. _____
- 4. _____
- 5. _____

Fill in the Blanks

Look up the "Baptism" in the Catechism either on page 224 or page 9. On the quiz you will not be able to use your Catechism.

First: What is Baptism

_____ is not just plain _____, but it is _____ used by God's _____ and connected with _____.

What is that word of God

Christ our _____ says in the _____ chapter of _____, "Go and make _____ of _____ nations, _____ them in the _____ of the _____ and of the _____ and of the _____."

Baptism
Lord
baptizing
name

Father
Matthew
command
water

God's Word
Son
disciples
water

Holy Spirit
all
last

Catechism Questions 3

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Answer these questions using the Blue Catechism. Pay close attention to whether the question asks for a **Bible passage** or not. Whenever you write down a Bible passage, write both the **(1) reference** and the **(2) words** of the passage that answer the question. The last question is for your family to talk over. You don't need to write anything down for it.

1. Who gave us (instituted) the Sacrament of Holy Baptism (Q 265)

2. Write the meaning for the Greek word "baptize." (Q 266)

3. Write out a passage that shows that Baptism is more than just water. (Q 267)

4. What happened to you when you were baptized? (Q 268)

5. Whom do we baptize? (Q 269)

6. Read the paragraphs and page 228 and 229. Why do pastor's normally baptize?

7. Read the paragraphs and page 228 and 229. When might Christian who is not a pastor perform a baptism?

8. Read the paragraphs and page 228 and 229. What do sponsors do?

9. **Family Discussion:**Talk with your parents about the day you were baptized.

Bible Study 3 - Baptism: Water and the Word

Read Matthew 3:13-17

1. Where did Jesus go in order to be baptized? (v. 13)
2. Who was doing the baptizing? (v. 13)
3. Why didn't he want to baptize Jesus at first (v. 14)
4. Why didn't Jesus need baptism the same way we do? (see 1 Peter 2:22)
5. Whose sin was counted against Jesus? (see 2 Corinthians 5:21)
6. What reason did Jesus give to explain why it was proper for John to baptize him? (v. 15)
7. How did the Holy Spirit show his presence at Jesus' baptism? (v. 16)
8. How did the Father show his presence at Jesus' baptism? (v. 17)
9. Why can you be sure that the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit were present at your Baptism?

Read Matthew 28:18-20

10. What has been given to Jesus (v. 18)
11. What does he send out his followers to do? (v. 19)
12. What two things are we to keep on doing as we make disciples?
 - a) v. 19:
 - b) v. 20:
13. What promise does Jesus make to encourage us to keep doing his work? (v. 20)

Infant Baptism

14. Using at least three of the following Bible passages, write a paragraph to explain why Jesus wants us to baptize little children. (Matthew 28:19, Psalm 51:5, Luke 18:15-17, Acts 2:38-39, Genesis 8:21)

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Matching

1. D 2. A 3. B 4. C 5. E

True/False

1. - Baptism requires plain water.
2. - Any Christian can baptize.
3. +
4. +
5. +
6. - When I was baptized, I became part of God's family.
7. +
8. +
9. +
10. - Babies are sinful.
11. +
12. +
13. +
14. - God forgives us because Jesus paid for our sins.
15. - The second part of confession is: Receiving God's forgiveness.
16. - Receiving forgiveness from the pastor is the same as receiving forgiveness from a fellow Christian.
17. +
18. - Absolution means Jesus' blood washes away my sins.
19. - The second part of confession is: Receiving God's forgiveness.

Essay

In case of an emergency when a pastor is not around, how would you perform a baptism?

I would take water and sprinkle it on the person's head saying, "I baptize you in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit."

Key Question

Question 1. What _____ make up _____?

a) _____*
_____ and _____

b) _____*
In the _____ of the _____ the _____,
_____, and _____

* _____ (_____): _____ in
_____ (Father, Son, and Holy Spirit)

Draw the diagram that helps illustrate the word "Triune"

Answer 1:

* _____:
1) _____
2) in the _____
of the _____ and
of the _____ and
of the _____.

Question 2. _____ is Baptism so _____ to _____?

a) _____ 2:12
I used to be _____ from _____ as a

b) Ephesians _____
Baptism _____ me into _____

Answer 2: _____ changed me into a _____ of _____

Question 3. _____ is _____ for?

a) _____*
_____ it for _____.

b) Acts _____*
This includes _____ and _____

Answer 3: We are to baptize _____ who properly _____ it
for _____ or for their _____.

Question 4. Why baptize _____?

a) _____*
They are part of " _____ "

b) _____*
They are _____

c) Luke 18:15-17
_____ can work _____ in their _____

Answer 4: _____ uses _____ to bring his _____
even to _____.

Key Question's Answer

B _____ is
not just plain _____
but _____
connected with God's _____ and
used by _____ command
for _____ people