

Sermon Discussion Questions for October 6, 2019

In Obedience and Remembrance of Jesus – Baptism and Communion

1. What key point stood out to you in the message?
 2. What does baptism by immersion represent? Have you been baptized? When and why were you baptized?
 3. What does the term believers' baptism mean? Does baptism help someone who has not first placed his/her faith and trust in Jesus?
 4. Who commanded the Church to baptize new disciples of Christ? What passage of Scripture best captures this instruction? (Matthew 28:18-20).
 5. What should we do to prepare ourselves for communion? Why?
 6. How significant is the act of taking communion? What steps can we take to better prepare our hearts and minds for participating in communion?
 7. How can observing the two ordinances of the Christian church (Baptism and Communion) strengthen our faith? Can these two ordinances be ordinarily practiced outside of the assembly of the church; i.e. corporate worship? For those that say they can worship God anywhere and that attending church is unnecessary, could pointing to these ordinances commanded by Jesus help encourage people to attend corporate worship?
- Remember to pray for each other's unique challenges and commit to pray throughout the week for one another.
 - Love others as Christ loves you.
 - Fill your mind and heart with the gospel of Christ Jesus.
 - Live out the gospel of Christ which calls for radical Love for God and Love for others.