



## New Life in Christ

### Salvation

The Bible teaches that salvation is God's free gift, received through faith in Jesus Christ.

- **Ephesians 2:8–9** – “For by grace you have been saved through faith. And this is not your own doing; it is the gift of God, not a result of works, so that no one may boast.”

- **1 John 1:9** – “If we confess our sins, He is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.”

Salvation means your sins are forgiven, you are made new in Christ, and you are adopted into God's family. God does not expect Christians to be perfect, because His love and forgiveness cover us through grace.

### Baptism: The Next Step

Baptism is an outward expression of the inward change that has taken place in your heart. It shows publicly that you belong to Jesus.

- Jesus Himself was baptized (Matthew 3:13–17).

- Baptism is your step of obedience and a declaration of your faith.

### Important Dates

Date of Salvation: \_\_\_\_\_ (e.g., October 13, 2025)

Baptism Opportunities (2026):

2nd Sunday, January 11, 2026

2nd Sunday, April 12, 2026

2nd Sunday, July 12, 2026

2nd Sunday, October 11, 2026

## **Next Steps in Your Faith**

- Pray daily and read the Bible.
- Join with other believers in worship and fellowship.
- Share your faith with others.

“Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation. The old has passed away; behold, the new has come.” – 2 Corinthians 5:17