

Baptism Information

Who Should Be Baptized?

- Every person who believes in Christ and has chosen to live their life for Him.
 - *“Those who believed what Peter said were baptized”* – Acts 2:41
- In the Bible Baptism always followed believing.

At Southridge we wait until our children are old enough to believe and understand the true meaning of Baptism before we baptize them at their request.

Why Be Baptized?

1. To Follow Christ’s example (Mark 1:9, Matt. 3:13-15)
2. Because Christ commands it of those who believe. (Matt 28:19-20)
3. It is an act of obedience. (1 John 2:3)
4. The early church regularly and consistently practiced it. (Acts 2:38-41, Acts 9:12-13, Acts 8:36-39, Acts 9:18, Acts 10:47-48, Acts 16:14-15, Acts 16:33, Acts 18:8, Acts 19:5)
5. Baptism is a physical act demonstrating a spiritual reality. (Rom 6:1-4, Col 2:11-12)
6. **Baptism is a requirement for becoming a member of Southridge Community Church.**

At the Baptism Service you will share your testimony with the congregation before being baptized.

If you would like more information on being baptized or if you know you would like to be baptized as soon as we can arrange it, please fill in this form and drop it in the offering plate .You will be contacted by one of our Pastors.

Name: _____

Phone: _____

I would like to be baptized

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