

Baptism

When is the Baptism Celebration?

Who should be baptized?

Every person who has become a Christ-follower. It is a public declaration of your commitment to follow Jesus.

Why should I be baptized?

Jesus commands it.

Jesus said, *“Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, **baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit**, and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you.”* - Matthew 28:19-20

What should I do if I want to be baptized?

- **Register** online at Lakemount.ca or with a registration form available at Guest Services.
- **Attend a Baptism Class.** Sessions are scheduled several times a year. The orientation will supply details to help you prepare for the day.
- **Write your testimony** – Your story of becoming a follower of Jesus. Please see the “Sharing your Life Message” guidelines.
- Ask a spiritual mentor, friend or family member who is a strong believer to speak a scriptural blessing over you. This is to take no more than 30 seconds.
- All forms and information sheets are available online for download or at Guest Services.

What do I wear?

- Wear dark pants such as blue jeans. Shorts are OK but be discreet.
- White Shirt – Remember ladies you will be wet. Please wear a bathing suit or appropriate clothing underneath to avoid any embarrassment.
- Bring a towel.

What is the schedule?

Baptism will take place during the worship service

Check in for baptism prior to your choice of service. Bring along the person speaking the blessing over you.

Receive your name tag.

Attend service.

During worship go to the baptism area.

Wear your name tag high on your shirt so the pastors can see your name.

This is an important step as you publicly identify yourself as a follower of Jesus.

Bring your friends and family to the service to share in the entire experience with you.