

Everyday FAITH Family Page

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Law/Gospel

Baptism without the name of the triune God is not a true Baptism. Through Baptism, God puts His name on me and makes me part of His family.

Bible Words

Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

Matthew 28:19

Prayer

Dear God, thank You for sending Jesus to rescue us from sin and death. Thank You for making us Your children in Holy Baptism through the water and Your Word. Help us share Your Word with others as we follow Jesus' command to "go and make disciples of all nations." In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

Jesus Gives the Great Commission

Matthew 28:16-20

he eleven remaining disciples must have experienced a chaotic swirl of emotions during the last few weeks of Jesus' earthly ministry. Our Lord was arrested in the Garden of Gethsemane. Judas, one of their own, betrayed Jesus to His enemies. Jesus was imprisoned, falsely accused, condemned, flogged nearly to death, and murdered on a Roman cross. Then finally, He rose from the dead.

Now, Jesus meets His beloved students on a mountain in Galilee and ascends into heaven. Before doing so, He charges them with the most important work of teaching the faith and baptizing. Specifically, they are to teach people to obey all that Jesus taught them and to baptize in the name of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

In Baptism, God places His everlasting mark on His children.
Although the family and congregation may hear nothing more than a few falling drops of water and the words "I baptize you in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit," in heaven, the angels rejoice and our Lord proclaims that this sinner has now become His child!



