



# Baptism Check List:

Make sure you check off all of the below boxes

## WHAT TO DO:

- Get the Baptism Check List (that is this paper – you have one step done already 😊)
- Read the Baptism Paper (“What is Baptism?” By Pastor Matt Jones)
- Prepare short testimony (see handout)
- Talk to the Pastoral Staff\*
- Set a date with Pastoral Staff to be baptized.
- Invite Friends and Family to the baptism. Remember baptism is a public expression of your devotion to Christ so you want to invite as many people as you can.
- Come to church early for preparations with designated Pastoral Staff member(10 AM).

*\* If you are minor, you must get permission from your parents to be baptized.*

## WHAT TO BRING:

- Empty trash bag (to put wet clothes in after baptism)
- Towel (for drying off after baptism)
- Change of clothes for after the baptism

## WHAT TO WEAR:

- Dress Casual. Please wear something casual to church that you can be baptized in, so that you don't have to rush to change before the baptism.
- Ladies: **No** white clothing and **No** dresses or skirts
- We discourage bathing suits. (This is not a swim party. It's a baptism. Wear regular clothes). If you have any questions about proper attire just ask.

## LAST MINUTE INSTRUCTIONS:

- Make sure your pockets are empty before going into the water.
- Remove all jewelry or watches that are not water proof.
- Make arrangements for photo or video if you desire.