



IV. WHO SHOULD BE BAPTIZED?

EVERY PERSON WHO HAS _____ IN CHRIST.

""Those who believed and accepted His message were **baptized...**""

Acts 2:41

"Simon himself **believed** and was **baptized...**""

Acts 8:13

"But **when they believed** Philip as he preached the Good News... and the name of Jesus Christ, **they were baptized**, both men and women."

Acts 8:12

At CDMP, we wait until our children are old enough to **believe** and understand the true meaning of baptism before we baptize them.

Some churches practice "Baby dedication" for children. This ceremony is intended to be a covenant between the parents and God on the behalf of the child. The parents promise to raise their child in the faith until the child is old enough to make his own personal confession of Christ. This custom began about 300 years after the Bible was completed. **This is different from the baptism talked about in the Bible**, which was only for those old enough to believe. The purpose is to publicly confess your personal commitment to Christ.

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This baptism is different from what the Bible speaks of. Which is exclusively for those who can believe and understand, the true meaning of baptism before being baptized.

In our Church it is a requirement for the membership of the Church that every believer be baptized in the way that Christ established. Even if some have been "confirmed" of children.



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