

Why Is Baptism Important?

Lesson 1 — Student Guide

Prepare for class: Read Acts 16:16-40

Lesson Goal

The goal of this lesson is to answer the following question: **Why is Baptism important?**

Think

Evaluate

1. Who are the characters in this story?
2. What are the objects in this story?
3. Where did this story happen?
4. When did this story happen?
5. What is the problem?
6. What events occurred in this story?
7. Is the problem solved?

Learn

8. What is the main theme of this lesson?
9. What sin does this lesson teach us to confess?
10. Where do you see the love of God in this lesson?
11. What does God teach us to do in this lesson?

Lead

12. What would be a good situation in which to share this message?

Additional questions

13. By singing in their cell, what do you think Paul and Silas were trying to accomplish? What are some subtle ways you can use to invite people into a conversation about Jesus?
14. What is a sacrament?
15. What is the work of the Holy Spirit? (Ephesians 2:1-10)
16. Where in the Bible does Jesus command baptism?
17. Where in the Bible does it say that in baptism God saves sinners?

18. Why is it biblical to baptize infants?

Lesson wrap-up

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