

## Study Guide

January 12, 2020

**Sunday, January 12th** (I took time to pray today )

**Read: Matthew 3: 13-17** Jesus comes to John to be baptized, and when Jesus is baptized God makes an announcement that He is well pleased with Jesus.

**Question:** Looking at verse 15, what do you think it means when it says, this was done, “to fulfill all righteousness.” ?

**Monday, January 13th** (I took time to pray today )

**Read: Isaiah 42: 1-9** Notice vs. 6 refers to righteousness and also a covenant between God and the one who accepts.

**Questions:** In what way is our baptism a covenant with God, and what is necessary on our part to uphold this covenant agreement?

**Tuesday, January 14th** (I took time to pray today )

**Read: Psalm 29** In verses 1 & 2 we are asked to *ascribe* to the Lord. In legalize that means that we sign on to something. What does it mean here though? To understand what it means we need to look at the word *worship*, which means to bow down to, to humble ourselves, and to give our all.

**Question:** How do you worship God in all you do?

**Wednesday, January 15th** (I took time to pray today )

**Read: Acts 10: 34-43** Wow, Jesus did all of that (he healed “everyone, because God was with Him”) while the scripture says the devil *thought* he was in charge.

**Question:** In regards to being in charge; many of us believe that somehow we are also because we are good, but if we are good, what is the point of being saved? Who is that Jesus came to save? (Hint; look at verse 43). Take time today, to pray for people to accept Jesus and for us our minds to be open, understanding that He came for who (all)?

**Thursday, January 16th** (I took time to pray today )

**Read: Galatians 3: 27-28** Nothing could be simpler than the truth; anyone who accepts Jesus as the Lord and Savior are one with Christ and all who are baptized are one with Christ.

**Assignment:** Make a list of people you know of who are baptized and are not one with Christ and saved. Short list, huh? What does this tell you about the mission that Jesus undertook when He came for everyone and our personal opinions on who is saved?

**Question:** What does this text teach us?

**Friday, January 17th** (I took time to pray today )

**Read: Acts 2:38** Repent, receive, in whose name? Over and over the Bible calls us to use the name of Jesus; to be healed, to be blessed, to be forgiven and ....

**Questions:** Why do we struggle so much to do everything ourselves then? Is there anything in your life right now that you are holding on to that you need to give up to Jesus? The time is now.

**Saturday, January 18th** (I took time to pray today )

**Read: Eph. 1:7, Lev. 17:11** In the Old Testament the ultimate sacrifice involved blood, whether that of a bird or an animal. The person making the sacrifice did not have to be clean, but the animal did.

**Questions:** What does this scripture teach us regarding who we are?

~~~~~

*Through God's love for us we can't help but want to serve others and show that love to them. Let us help you explore the best way for you to show love and serve in your Christian path. See Pastor Bob or Deacon Maryanne who are willing to help you in your faith walk.*

Notes: today I pray

## Grow, Pray, and Study Guide.



### Prayers For The Week

**Sunday:** Lord, I pray that as I struggle to be in right relationship with you that you will guide my path. Amen.

**Monday:** Holy Spirit, I pray that you work in not only my life but in those that have yet to accept you. Amen.

**Tuesday:** God, I praise You for who You are and all that You have done in my life. Let me worship You in Spirit and Truth. Amen.

**Wednesday:** Lord, I relinquish all the negative feelings I have in my heart, and pray that I might love as you do. Amen.

**Thursday:** Jesus, I pray today for all those brothers and sisters that are baptized in you, for your Glory. Amen.

**Friday:** Lord, in the name of Jesus, I pray for this world, my nation, my city, my church, my family, myself, that we might live the life you call us to. Amen.

**Saturday:** God, the sacrifice you made for us through your Son, Jesus the Christ, was the ultimate sacrifice. In some way, let me understand what this means. Amen.



**Lamb of God, who took  
away the sins of the world**

**Bring a friend to Sunday School and  
worship on Sunday!  
Check in on Facebook when you are here.**

**January 12, 2020**