



JESUS LIVES CHURCH

an awesome place to worship

Now That You're a Christian...

What's Next?

As a new believer in Christ, you'll want to lay a good foundation for your faith so that you'll walk with God in the years ahead. Laying a solid foundation begins with reading your Bible, prayer, going to church, and sharing your faith. Click on any of the topics below to learn more.

Read the Bible

You might say that the Bible is the "user's manual of life" we have all been searching for. Everything we need to know about God and living a life that pleases Him is found in its pages. So take some time each day to read and study the Bible. You'll be surprised how just 15 minutes a day in God's Word will transform your life.

Pray

The idea of talking to God can be intimidating. But it doesn't have to be. Prayer is a wonderful experience when we do it God's way. The Bible instructs us to pray at all times, in any posture, in any place, for any reason. So take time each day to exalt God, make your requests known to Him, and confess your sins during a time of prayer.

Attend Church

One of the essential building blocks of spiritual growth is fellowship with other believers at a local church. The church (meaning the entire body of Christians) thrives by keeping its members spiritually active and well fed. So get involved at Jesus Lives today by coming to one of the following services:

Share Your Faith

Sharing your faith is something that Jesus wants and commands us to do! Next to knowing Jesus personally and following Him, one of the greatest blessings of the Christian life is to actually lead someone to Jesus Christ.

Membership

Becoming a member of Jesus Lives Church We have conceptualized and developed a 90 minute Membership Class two times a year for all those interested in making a commitment towards Jesus Lives Church.

Membership has its privileges and responsibilities!

A member of Jesus Lives will:

Participate in the teachings and vision of Jesus Lives Church

Realize that they have a meaning and purpose through serving in some ministerial avenue at Jesus Lives

Model God's love for their family and friends

Be a partner in reaching the world through missions projects and short-term outreach trips

Pray for the church

Promote unity within the body of Christ

Be committed to the systematic giving of tithes/offerings

Serve the church through the giving of their time and talents

If you would like to become a Member of Jesus Lives Church, please fill out a membership card from the reception counter and have it returned to any of our ushers or the church office at any time.

The Significance of Water Baptism

Water Baptism is a statement

Water Baptism is a public declaration that you have received Jesus Christ into your life. You are saying that you are His disciple; a follower of Him. [Colossians 2:12]

Water Baptism is for believers. A believer is someone who has realized that their sin has separated them from God. They have decided to trust Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of their sins. [1 John 1:9]

Water Baptism identifies the believer with Christ's life. The Apostle Paul explains how the immersion mode of baptism identifies the believer with the death, burial, and resurrection of Jesus Christ. The believer illustrates the death of Christ by going under the water and the resurrection of Christ by coming up. [Romans 6:1-11]

Water Baptism is a point in time You will refer to this moment as the time you made a public declaration that you are a follower of Jesus Christ. [Acts 2:38]

Water Baptism is a time of beginning Jesus began His ministry when He was baptized by John in the Jordan River. He began to teach, to heal the sick, and to do other miracles. [Luke 3:23]

Water Baptism is an affirmation of identity At the baptism of Christ, God the Father said, This is my beloved Son. [Mark 1:11]

Water Baptism is an affirmation of God's love and pleasure & with whom I am well pleased. Obedience always pleases God! [Luke 3:22]

Water Baptism is an occasion for the manifestation of the Holy Spirit. I saw the Spirit come down from heaven as a dove and remain on Him. [John 1:32]

Water Baptism is following the example of Jesus Christ Being a follower of Christ includes being baptized in water. This is evident throughout the New Testament.[Luke 3:21-22]

Please contact the church office if you are ready for baptism.