

Water: Baptism

The New Covenant through Jesus replaced circumcision with baptism for the sign and seal of the covenant. God's purposes provided a sign that was not painful, could be performed on women as well as men, was appropriate for public profession of faith, was clear in its symbolism and used the readily available instrument of water.

Pointing Forward with the Baptisms by John

Mark 1:1-11, Matthew 3:1-10

Fulfilling All Righteousness with Jesus' Baptism

Matthew 3:11-17

Living a New Life in Our Baptism through Faith

*1 Peter 3:18-22, Romans 6:1-5, Colossians 2:8-15,
Galatians 3:23-29,*

Obedying Our Call by Baptizing New Disciples

Matthew 28:16-20