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Teaching Pastor, Damien Spikereit May 7th, 2023 Romans 6:1-5

MESSAGE NOTES

Two reasons why our baptism should be a defining moment for us:

1. Our baptism represents the <u>culmination</u> of all that Jesus has done for us.

Romans 1:16-17

Romans 3:10-12

Romans 3:21-26

Romans 5:1

Romans 6:1

2. Our baptism represents the <u>physical</u> expression of our <u>spiritual</u> union with Jesus (Rom. 6:1-5).

Bottom Line: Our baptism should be THE defining moment that determines every other moment that is to come.

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

- What would you consider to be some "defining moments" for you?
- 2. Spend time looking back to see the gospel story Paul is telling:

Romans 1:16-17

Romans 3:10-12

Romans 3:21-26

Romans 5:1

- 3. What is the question Paul seems to be asking in Romans 6:1? Put it in your own words.
- 4. In what ways have you been tempted to ask the same question?
- 5. How does Paul answer this question in the following verses?
- 6. What does it mean to be united with Jesus in our baptism?
- 7. In what ways can you better live as if your baptism is THE defining moment in your life?
- 8. If not baptized, would you consider taking the next step of faith? If so, we invite you to contact the C3 Front Office (office@cartervillechristian.com) to set up an appointment with one of our Elders or Pastors.