

Lesson 3: The Baptism of Jesus

BIG IDEA

John baptised people with water to prepare them for the coming of God's king. Jesus baptised with the Holy Spirit to make people clean on the inside.

LESSON GOAL

Students should recognise that baptism with water is an outward sign of a spiritual cleansing from sin.

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Teacher Preparation

Read Key Verses

- ☐ Luke 3:16, 21-22

Read *Meet Jesus Book*

- ☐ Chapter 3 – The Baptism of Jesus

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- ☐ Activity 1: Sequencing Images
– APPENDIX 1.1
- ☐ Activity 2: Matching Images to Text
– APPENDIX 1.1 & 1.2
- ☐ Activity 3: Sequencing Text
– APPENDIX 1.2
- ☐ Activity 4: Fill in the Gaps
– APPENDIX 1.3
- ☐ Activity 5: Retell the Story
– APPENDIX 1.1

1.1 Appendix

ACTIVITY 1 + 2 + 5: Print 1 set for 2-3 learners. Cut out images.



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He lived in the desert.

John told the people about God.

John baptised the people.

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