

In today's sermon, the goal is to distinguish between religion (which can mean a lot of different things) and being a Christian. Only one truly leads to life.

Call to Worship

Psalm 100

Songs of Praise

Lead Me to the Cross Song: Hallelujah Amen

Announcements

Confession of Faith

Westminster Shorter Catechism #33 and #34

Q. 33. What is justification?

Justification is an act of God's free grace in which he pardons all our sins and accepts us as righteous in his sight for the sake of the righteousness of Christ alone, which is credited to us and received by faith alone.

Q. 34. What is adoption?

Adoption is an act of God's free grace by which we are received into the number and have a right to all the privileges of the sons of God.

Song of Declaration

Build My Life

Sermon - Religion or Faith?

Sermon Scripture - Acts 17

Introductions

Religious - relating to or manifesting faithful devotion to an acknowledged ultimate reality or deity a religious person religious attitudes. - **Webster's Dictionary**

The Basis of Faith

- 2 Timothy 3:16-17
- Three things we must do when hearing the word of God
 - Receive the word
 - Examine
 - Respond to the word with belief

The Message of Faith

- 1 Corinthians 1:22-25
- John 3:16

The Confidence of Faith

Song of Response

Blessed Assurance

Benediction