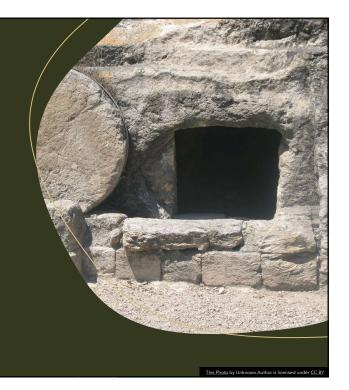
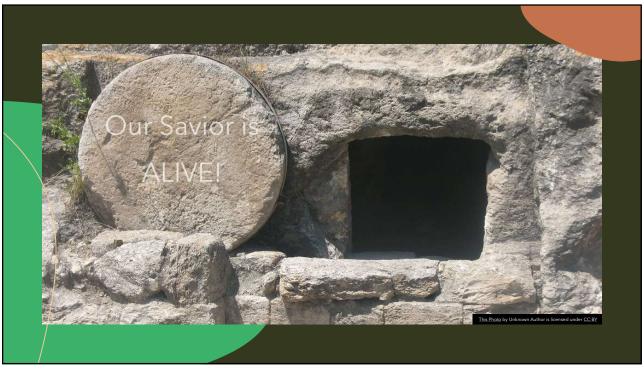
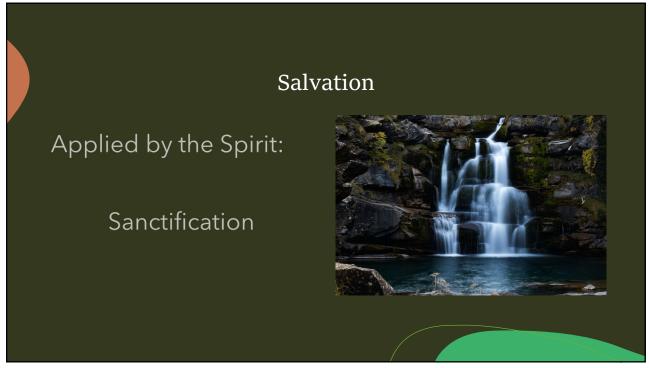


At regeneration, the sinner is made alive, granted repentance and faith, united to Christ, declared righteous based on the imputed righteousness of Christ, and adopted into the family of God.



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# Stage 1: Positional Sanctification

The believer is set free from the *penalty AND* power of sin.

Although our sin nature remains, we battle from a position of victory.

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## Stage 2: Progressive Sanctification

Westminster Shorter Catechism Q35
"the work of God's free grace, whereby we are renewed in the whole man after the image of God, and are enabled more and more to die unto sin, and live unto righteousness.

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## Stage 2: Progressive Sanctification

Romans 12:2

Do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewal of your mind...



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Prayer

**Fellowship** 

Suffering & Trials

Divine Discipline

Abiding



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## Stage 2: Progressive Sanctification

2 Corinth. 3:18

And we all, with unveiled face, beholding the glory of the Lord, are being transformed into the same image from one degree of glory to another. For this comes from the Lord who is the Spirit.



Evidence of Salvation

obedience, fruit of the Spirit, good deeds, righteousness, holiness, truthspeaking, integrity, wisdom...

Increased...

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### Stage 3: Permanent Sanctification

#### **GLORIFICATION!**

Believers will be free from the penalty, power AND presence of sin. We will be perfectly conformed to the image of Christ with glorified bodies just like His.

Hallelujah!