



RECLAIMING OUR VOWS

Sermon Notes for Sunday, January 14, 2024. Based on Rev. Chris Heckert's sermon.

In those days Jesus came from Nazareth of Galilee and was
baptized by John in the Jordan. - Mark 1:9

1. In his last sermon, "I've Been to the Mountaintop," Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King, Junior, said we have to choose non-violence or _____.
2. In the Gospel of Luke, John the Baptist says that one must produce _____ of repentance.
3. Jesus' baptism models for us a life of _____, into which we join when we claim our baptism as our own.
4. A better way of saying remember your baptism is: Remember that _____ baptized.

Baptismal Vows

1. Through the Sacrament of Baptism, we are initiated into Christ's _____.
2. We are incorporated into God's mighty acts of _____ and given new birth through water and the Spirit.
3. Do you _____ the spiritual forces of wickedness, reject the evil powers of this world, and repent of your sin?
4. Do you _____ the freedom and power God gives you to resist evil, injustice, and oppression in whatever forms they present themselves?
5. Do you _____ Jesus Christ as your Savior, put your whole trust in his grace, and promise to serve him as your Lord, in union with the Church which Christ has opened to people of all ages, nations, and races?

Definition of Disciple:

A follower of Jesus who puts faith into action, is growing in grace, and being perfected in love.
