



## **BIG IDEA**

Baptism and Communion are ways to honor God and Celebrate what Jesus has done in our lives.

## **BIBLE**

1 Corinthians 9:24-27; 1 Corinthians 11:23-26;  
Matthew 28:18-19

## **ABOUT THIS WEEK**

This week we'll learn how baptism and communion remind us of who Jesus is and what He has done for us. These practices aren't empty rituals—they're visible signs of obedience, celebration, and hope. When we participate in them, we remember the gospel, encourage one another, and declare Jesus' victory until He comes again.

### **Let's Break the Ice // Discipleship Moment Follow-Up:**

- Icebreaker: What's a tradition (family, school, sports, or holiday) that you look forward to and why does it matter to you?
- Follow-up from last week: How did you practice generosity with your money, time, or talents? What did you notice as you did it?

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### **Bible Study**

- Read Together: As a group, 1 Corinthians 11:23-26 and Matthew 28:18-19 together
  - (1 Cor 11:23-26 - *Telos* pg. 1124; Matt 28:18-19 - *Telos* pg. 972)

### **Discussion Questions:**

- Why do you think Jesus gave His followers communion as a way to remember Him?
- What does the bread and juice represent in communion?
- What does baptism show about someone's relationship with Jesus?
- How do these practices remind us that following Jesus is about more than just us — it's about showing the world who He is?

### **Challenge Question:**

- If a friend asked you what baptism and communion mean, what would you tell them?

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### **Prayer**

#### **Share Requests:**

- *Ask for any prayer requests or praises to celebrate together.*

#### **Group Prayer:**

- Encourage students to pray briefly for each other's requests.
  - Close by thanking God for these reminders of His love for us.
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**[OPTIONAL] Discipleship Moment:**

- This week, find one way to thank Jesus for what He did for you — maybe by writing a prayer, drawing something, or sharing with a friend. Next week, share how you chose to remember Him.
- **Partner Check-In:** If you'd like, pair students to help keep one another accountable.