#### 1 Corinthians 15:29

"Else what shall they do which are baptized for the dead, if the dead rise not at all? why are they then baptized for the dead?"

## Baptism in the Bible

Matthew 3:1-6 & 11, et al.

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- 1. Baptism of repentance
- 2. Baptism with (or by) the Holy Spirit

#### John 1:32-33

"And John bare record, saying, I saw the Spirit descending from heaven like a dove, and it abode upon him. 33 And I knew him not: but he that sent me to baptize with water, the same said unto me, Upon whom thou shalt see the Spirit descending, and remaining on him, the same is he which baptizeth with the Holy Ghost."

#### **Acts 1:5**

"For John truly baptized with water; but ye shall be baptized with the Holy Ghost not many days hence."

#### 1 Corinthians 12:13

"For by one Spirit are we all baptized into one body, whether we be Jews or Gentiles, whether we be bond or free; and have been all made to drink into one Spirit."

- 1. Baptism of repentance
- 2. Spirit baptism
- 3. Baptism "with fire"

# What does it mean to be baptized "with fire"?

- Fire is sometimes used to speak of cleansing or purification.
- Other times, fire refers to judgment.

### hermeneutics

- 1. John's baptism of repentance
- 2. Spirit baptism
- 3. Baptism of judgment

#### Luke 12:49-50

"I am come to send fire on the earth; and what will I, if it be already kindled? 50 But I have a baptism to be baptized with; and how am I straitened till it be accomplished!"

- 1. Baptism of repentance
- 2. Spirit baptism
- 3. Baptism of judgment
- 4. Baptism of suffering
- 5. Baptism related to salvation

#### 1 Peter 3:21

"The like figure whereunto even baptism doth also now save us (not the putting away of the filth of the flesh, but the answer of a good conscience toward God,) by the resurrection of Jesus Christ."

- 1. Baptism of repentance
- 2. Spirit baptism
- 3. Baptism of judgment
- 4. Baptism of suffering
- 5. Believer's baptism