

What Questions are asked of the parents?

Baptism is a public declaration that a person trusts in Jesus as their Lord and Saviour. For either a Baptism or a dedication, at least one parent must be able to honestly make the following promises.

Q: Who is your Lord and Saviour?

A: Jesus is my Lord and Saviour.

Q: Do you trust in him with your whole life?

A: I do.

Q: Do you promise to teach the Bible to your child, to pray for him/her and to set him/her a godly example?

A: I do.

Q: Do you promise, with God's help, to do all that you can to bring this child up to know and love the Lord Jesus so that they might faithfully follow him all their life?

A: I do.

Q: As part of your godly example, do you promise to be faithful in your attendance at church?

A: I do.

What about Adult Baptism?

If a person has a genuine Christian commitment, and has never been baptised, then we encourage them to do so as a public profession of their faith, as a sign of being part of God's people and in obedience to Jesus' command!

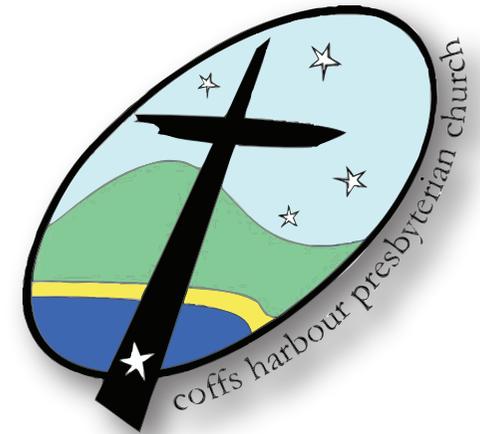
Adult baptism can be done by immersion (often at Coffs Creek!) or by a simple sprinkling in a Sunday service.

In all this it must be remembered that the outward manner of baptism is not important but the inner reality is.



We hope this leaflet has been helpful in helping you think through this issue. If you would like to enquire further about baptism or a dedication, please speak to Jamie or Steve.

A Brief Guide To... **Baptism**



"Repent and be baptized, every one of you, in the name of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of your sins. And you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit."
Acts 2:38