

**BAPTISM**  
**What's The Big Deal?**

**July 20, 2008**

*"So go and make followers of all people in the world."*

Matthew 28:19

*"So go and make followers of all people in the world. Baptize them in the name of the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit. Teach them to obey everything that I have taught you, and I will be with you always, even until the end of this age."*  
Matthew 28:19-20

**We baptize because \_\_\_\_\_**

*"When Jesus finished speaking, a Pharisee invited him to eat with him; so he went in and sat down to eat. The Pharisee was surprised when he noticed that Jesus had not washed before eating." Luke 11:37-38*

**We baptize because \_\_\_\_\_**

*"At that time Jesus arrived from Galilee and came to John at the Jordan to be baptized by him. But John tried to make him change his mind. 'I ought to be baptized by you,' John said, 'and yet you have come to me!' But Jesus answered him, 'Let it be so for now. For in this way we shall do all that God requires.' So John agreed. As soon as Jesus was baptized, he came up out of the water. Then heaven was opened to him, and he saw the Spirit of God coming down like a dove and lighting on him. Then a voice said from heaven, 'This is my own dear Son, with whom I am pleased.'" Matthew 3:13-17*

**We baptize because \_\_\_\_\_**

**The takeaway...**

**Baptism is a \_\_\_\_\_**

**of a \_\_\_\_\_**

**NEXT WEEK: NEW SERIES BEGINS!**



**WITH SPECIAL GUEST DR. CHRIS ZAINO**

Dr. Chris Zaino grew up in Melville, New York until the age of 12 when his family relocated to Sarasota, Florida. Traveling and living in various areas God led Dr. Zaino and his beautiful wife Whitney to the Woodlands, TX. His consistent success, giving him the competitive edge began at an early age when he began competing and winning classical piano recitals. He won highest honors several years in a row in "NYSMA" New York State. He also went on to perform at Florida state public recitals as well. In high school he was inspired by his father to begin what would be a successful bodybuilding career. Dr. Zaino began natural competitive bodybuilding as he was going through college and won many titles at the national level, including Mr. America. In 1998, he graduated from the University of Central Florida with a degree in Exercise Physiology with a focus in Wellness. He began his own personal training business and continued to appear on numerous magazine covers and articles. He has also published many articles in magazines and fitness websites focusing on health and wellness. He continues to be an authority on the web, counseling numerous people to better their health. Dr. Zaino also traveled and ministered to school aged kids and churches through a group of "Strongmen" called Strike Force. They performed great feats of strength while at the same time educated people about the importance of ethics, self-esteem, and how valuable they are in the eyes of God.