

Congratulations on your decision accepting Christ Jesus into your life.

Your next steps will be found written in the Holy Bible, God's inspired message of love for us:

1. YOU NEED TO BE BAPTIZED. Baptism is a public commitment showing that we are burying our sinful life in surrender to Jesus and rising again to walk a new life with Jesus as our source of strength and ownership. (We were, therefore buried with Him through baptism unto death in order that, just as Christ was raised from the dead, through the glory of the Father, we too may live a new life. Romans 6:4) When Jesus was instructing his disciples after he rose from the dead he said; ("Go ye therefore, and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost." Matthew 28:19)

2. JOIN A BIBLE BELIEVING CHURCH. We need the fellowship and prayers of other believers. (Not forsaking the assembling of ourselves together, as the manner of some is; but exhorting one another; and so much the more, as ye see the day approaching. Hebrews 10:25)

What should we look for in choosing a good church?

- The Pastor will preach and teach from the inspired Word of God, the Bible.
- The church will base their beliefs upon the basics of Christian Faith which are:
 - a. The Bible is the inspired Word of God.
 - b. The Deity of Jesus Christ.
 - c. The Blood Atonement for sin by Jesus Christ.
 - d. The imminent Return of Jesus Christ.
- The church will have an emphasis on reaching others with the Gospel of Jesus Christ.
- The members of the church will have the love of Jesus Christ showing in their daily lives and relationships.

These are only a few of the important things to look for in choosing a good church. Pray and be open to follow God's leading.

3. SEEK TO LEARN YOUR NEW CHRISTIAN LIFE. (Teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I have commanded you: and, lo, I am with you always, even unto the end of the world. Amen. Matthew 28:20)

4. DAILY PRAY AND GET AQUAINTED WITH GOD BY TALKING WITH HIM. You will find this to be a source of great power, strength and blessing as you continue in your walk with Jesus. (And he spoke a parable unto them to this end, that men ought always to pray and not to faint. Luke 18:1) When Jesus, our example was here on earth he often spent the night in prayer. (And when he had sent the multitudes away, he went up into the mountain apart to pray:... Matthew 14:23)

5. READ YOUR BIBLE DAILY TO BUILD YOUR FAITH. As praying is talking to God, reading the Bible is letting God talk to you. The more you read the Bible the more clearly you will see that Jesus is the center of the Word of God, and the more you will be drawn

to be like Him. (So then faith cometh by hearing, and hearing by the word of God. Romans 10:17)

6. WITNESS FOR JESUS CHRIST DAILY. One of the greatest joys you will ever have in this life is to share the Gospel of Jesus Christ with someone else. (But ye shall receive power, after that the Holy Ghost is come upon you: and ye shall be witnesses unto me both in Jerusalem, and in all Judea, and in Samaria, and unto the uttermost part of the earth. Acts 1:8) (Apostle Paul wrote; “For I am not ashamed of the gospel of Christ: for it is the power of God unto salvation to everyone that believeth;.. Romans 1:16)

Finally if you believe that Providence Baptist Church of San Francisco is the church for you, we are ready to welcome you into our family. Please call @ 415-641-8719 and make an appointment to visit us to further your steps in becoming a value member of our church family.