

4. BECAUSE OF THE THINGS WE DO IN THE WORSHIP ASSEMBLY

(John 4:23-24) “... they that worship him must worship him in spirit and in truth”

These items are included in our worship assembly:

- 1) Giving - (1 Cor. 16:1-2) “Now concerning the collection for the saints, as I have given order to the churches of Galatia, so do ye. Upon the first day of the week let every one of you lay by him in store ... “
- 2) Lord’s supper - (Acts 20:7) “Upon the first day of the week, when the disciples came together to break bread ... “
- 3) Prayers - (Acts 2:42) “they continued stedfastly in the apostles’ doctrine and fellowship, in the breaking of bread, and in prayers”
- 4) Preaching - (2 Tim. 4:2) “Preach the word ... “
- 5) Congregational singing - (Eph. 5:19-20; Col. 3:16-17; Heb. 13:15)

5. BECAUSE OF THE BIBLE TEACHING ON SALVATION

Notice the items associated with salvation, forgiveness, becoming a Christian.

- 1) (Acts 2:37) “when they **heard this**, they were pricked (stung, moved) **in their heart**, and to Peter and the rest of the apostles, Men and brethren, **what shall we do?**”

(v38) “Peter said to them, **Repent, and be baptized** every one of you in the name of Jesus **for the remission of sins**, and ye shall receive the gift of the Holy Spirit”

- 2) (Acts 9:6) “... Lord, **what will you have me to do?** And the Lord said to him, Arise, go into the city, and **it shall be told you** what you must do.”

(v18) “... he received his sight, and arose, and **was baptized**”

(Acts 22:16) “Ananias said to me ... and now why tarriest thou? (delay, wait) arise, and **be baptized**, and **wash away thy sins** ... “

- 3) (Acts 16:28-30) “... and fell down before Paul and Silas, and brought them out, and said, **Sirs, what must I do to be saved?**”

(v31-34) “they said, **Believe** on the Lord Jesus Christ, and you shall **be saved**, and your house, and **they spake unto him the word of the Lord**, and to all in the house. And he took them the same hour of the night, washed their stripes, and **was baptized**, he and all his immediately. And when he brought them into his house, he set meat before them, and **rejoiced, believing in God** with all his house.”

Putting it all together - hear God’s word, believe Jesus is the Christ, repent, confess your belief that Jesus is God’s Son, be baptized = remission of sins, salvation, becoming a Christian.