

IV. BAPTISM

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| 1. | I wish to be baptized. | <input type="checkbox"/> YES | <input type="checkbox"/> NO |
| 2. | I have children I wish to have baptized. | <input type="checkbox"/> YES | <input type="checkbox"/> NO |

V. STATEMENT OF FAITH (Please reply to each statement)

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| 1. | I believe I am a sinner and because of my sin I deserve to be eternally punished by God. | <input type="checkbox"/> YES | <input type="checkbox"/> NO |
| 2. | I believe there is salvation from all my sins in Jesus who died for my sins and rose from the dead. | <input type="checkbox"/> YES | <input type="checkbox"/> NO |
| 3. | I believe that through faith I have forgiveness of all my sins and possess eternal life. | <input type="checkbox"/> YES | <input type="checkbox"/> NO |
| 4. | I believe the Bible is God's inspired Word, and therefore, it contains no errors and is the only sure guide for all matters of faith and Godly living. | <input type="checkbox"/> YES | <input type="checkbox"/> NO |
| 5. | I believe the teachings of The Lutheran Church as contained in the Lutheran Confessions, as I have learned them, are faithful and true to the Word of God. | <input type="checkbox"/> YES | <input type="checkbox"/> NO |
| 6. | I believe in God the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit and am resolved to suffer all things, even death, rather than fall away from faith in the Triune God. | <input type="checkbox"/> YES | <input type="checkbox"/> NO |

VI. STATEMENT OF CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP

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| 1. | I wish to be a member of Saint John Lutheran Church | <input type="checkbox"/> YES | <input type="checkbox"/> NO |
| 2. | I intend, with the help of God, to REGULARLY: | | |
| | a. attend worship services | <input type="checkbox"/> YES | <input type="checkbox"/> NO |
| | b. partake of the Lord's Supper | <input type="checkbox"/> YES | <input type="checkbox"/> NO |
| | c. be involved in personal and/or group Bible study | <input type="checkbox"/> YES | <input type="checkbox"/> NO |
| | d. use all my talents and gifts to serve the Lord | <input type="checkbox"/> YES | <input type="checkbox"/> NO |
| | e. support the church with proportionate giving of my money, as the Lord has prospered me | <input type="checkbox"/> YES | <input type="checkbox"/> NO |
| | f. pray for myself, the Church, and others | <input type="checkbox"/> YES | <input type="checkbox"/> NO |
| | g. seek to bring others to Christ, by prayer, word, and deed | <input type="checkbox"/> YES | <input type="checkbox"/> NO |
| | h. lead a God-pleasing life, and to avoid all false teachings and every sin, so that my faith might not be destroyed | <input type="checkbox"/> YES | <input type="checkbox"/> NO |
| 3. | <u>If I am a member</u> of a secret organization or lodge, I am ready to give up such membership because of my undivided loyalty to Christ. | <input type="checkbox"/> YES | <input type="checkbox"/> NO |
| 4. | Should the world, the devil, or my sinful flesh lead me into a life of sin, I desire my fellow-Christians to show me my error and seek to restore my faith in the Savior. | <input type="checkbox"/> YES | <input type="checkbox"/> NO |

Date _____ Signed _____

(If you have any questions about anything on this page, please ask one of the pastors for an explanation.)