

We believe that water baptism was commanded by Jesus to be administered to believers as a symbol of the new covenant of grace. It signifies that we have accepted the benefits of Christ's atonement. By means of this sacrament, believers declare their faith in Jesus Christ as Savior.^{xx}

We believe that the Lord's Supper commemorates our redemption through Christ's death and expresses our hope in His victorious return. It is also a sign of the love Christians have for each other. If believers receive the Lord's Supper with faith and a proper and humble spirit, God communicates grace to the heart through it.^{xxi}

The Second Coming of Christ

We believe that the certainty of the personal, and imminent, and visible return of Christ inspires holy living and zeal to evangelize the world. At His return Christ will fulfill all prophecies made concerning His final and complete triumph over evil.^{xxii}

The Resurrection of the Dead

We believe that everyone will experience bodily resurrection from the dead at Christ's Second Coming, as guaranteed by His resurrection. The just will experience the resurrection of life, and the unjust the resurrection of damnation. The raised body will be a spiritual body, but the person will be whole and identifiable.^{xxiii}

The Judgment of All Persons

We believe the Scriptures reveal God as the Judge of all and that His judgments are based on His total knowledge and eternal justice. The culminating moment of His judgment will be the final meeting of every person before His majestic and powerful throne, where records will be examined and final rewards and punishments administered.^{xxiv}

Destiny

We believe there is a conscious personal existence after death. The final destiny of each person is determined by God's grace and that person's response. How we have responded will be evident in the moral character resulting from our personal and willful choices, not from God's arbitrary decree. Those who choose the salvation God provides through Jesus will live forever in Heaven with its eternal glory, experiencing the blessed presence of Christ. Those who neglect this great salvation will spend eternity in hell, experiencing everlasting misery and separation from God.^{xxv}

COMMUNITY LIFESTYLE STATEMENT

Indiana Wesleyan University, as a college of The Wesleyan Church and the Church Universal, is a community joined together to further academic achievement, personal development and spiritual growth. Together the Community seeks to honor Christ by integrating faith, learning, and living while its member's hearts and lives mature in relationship to Jesus Christ and each other.

Working in a community with others is a sacred privilege and an opportunity to demonstrate God's grace. We, therefore, place great value on the quality of relationship in