

## I Believe...SANCTIFICATION

United Methodists come from a rich tradition of beliefs and practices. Each week you are invited to dig deeper. Use these days to study, to pray, to consider what you believe. As United Methodists, our beliefs are formed and evaluated through a quadrilateral: scripture, history, experience, and reason. Read one scripture each day. Then dig deeper through the quotes and other resources on the page.

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#### **Readings for this week:**

Monday - Psalm 1

Tuesday - 1 Timothy 4:13-16

Wednesday - Hebrews 12:1-2, 13:1-5

Thursday - 2 Timothy 1:3-14

Friday - 1 Cor. 3:1-16

Saturday - Eph. 4:1-16

#### **John Wesley:**

Do all the good you can, by all the means you can, in all the ways you can, in all the places you can, at all the times you can, to all the people you can, as long as ever you can.

#### **Dig Deeper:**

"Christ says, 'Give me All. I don't want so much of your time and so much of your money and so much of your work: I want You. I have not come to torment your natural self, but to kill it. No half-measures are any good...Hand over the whole natural self, all the desires which you think innocent as well as the ones you think wicked--the whole outfit. I will give you a new self instead. In fact, I will give you Myself: my own will shall become yours.'"— C.S. Lewis, *Mere Christianity*

#### **Confession of Faith of the Evangelical United Brethren Church article XI**

<https://www.umc.org/en/content/confession-of-faith>

#### **For Reflection and Prayer:**

As you read and search, what questions emerge? Where is your faith reflected? Where do the readings challenge you?

#### **Because I believe...:**

Write out a short statement that expresses your belief.