

# Statement of Faith

We believe the Bible is the inspired Word of God and a divine revelation of Jesus Christ, God's Son. (2 Timothy 3:16; John 1:1, 14)

We believe in the Trinity of the God-head; The Father, The Son, and The Holy Ghost. (Matthew 3:16-17)

We believe that Jesus Christ was born of a virgin, walked upon and ministered on the earth, died on the cross, arose from the dead, and is now seated at the right hand of God. (Hebrews 1:3)

We believe that a person's salvation is through the verbal confession of Jesus as Lord and Savior of their life and the belief that Jesus was raised from the dead by God. (Romans 10:8-13)

We believe that Jesus has sent the Comforter in the person of the Holy Spirit and that we may be filled with Him and speak in other tongues as He gives us utterance according to God's Word. (Acts 1:4-8; Acts 2:1-4)

We believe in the manifestation of the gifts of the Spirit in the local church as expressed in 1 Corinthians 12-14.

We believe in water baptism as a statement of belief and faith after accepting Jesus as Lord and Savior. (Romans 6:4)

We believe in the celebration of the Lord's Supper in remembrance of our Lord Jesus Christ. (1 Corinthians 11:24-26)

We believe in the total substitutionary sacrifice of Jesus—freeing us from hell, death and the grave and giving us abundant and eternal life; He was made poor that we may be made rich (2 Corinthians 5:21); He was made sin that we might be made righteous (2 Corinthians 5:21); He was made a curse that we might be redeemed (Galatians 3:13); and He was made sick that we might be healed (1 Peter 2:24).

We believe that God is our answer, not our problem, and that He does not use sickness, disease, tests, trials and tragedy to teach His children, but instead uses His Word to instruct us in the ways of righteousness. (James 1:13; 2 Timothy 3:16; Hebrews 12:9)

We believe in the Second Coming of Jesus Christ and that we as members of His Body shall reign together with Him. (Matthew 24:30-31; 1 Corinthians 15:52; 2 Timothy 2:12; Revelations 5:10)

We believe in and actively endeavor to uphold the Great Commission given to us by Jesus ~ that we are called to proclaim God's Word and message of freedom and liberty to all creatures. (Matthew 28:18-20; Mark 16:15-18)

We believe in conducting our business and personal life in accordance with scriptural guidelines. We will not bring dishonor or reproach to the Name of Jesus. (Colossians 3:17)

We believe in the building up and edifying of the Body of Christ through the assembling of ourselves together in worship, hearing the teaching of the Word of God, and fellowship. (Hebrews 10:24-25)