

STATEMENT OF FAITH

We Believe the whole Bible to be the only inspired and inerrant Word of the One, uncreated, triune, creator -- God. The Word of God is sufficient for all matters of faith and conduct.

We Believe that the Lord Jesus Christ is the only begotten Son of the Living God who, by His virgin birth, came to make atonement for the sins of all men by shedding His blood on the cross. His resurrected life enables believers to powerfully demonstrate a changed life that testifies of His victory over death and sin. He is fully God, along with the Father and the Holy Spirit.

We Believe that the ministry of the Holy Spirit is to glorify the Lord Jesus Christ, to convict men of sin, regenerate the believing sinner, indwell, guide, instruct, and empower the believer for godly living and service.

We Believe the true Church is composed of all persons who have, through saving faith in Jesus Christ, been regenerated by the Holy Spirit. A true believer can be secure in his salvation which comes as a free gift of God's grace. This salvation can never be lost because it is based on God's promises, not on man's righteousness.

We Believe in water baptism by immersion soon after accepting Christ as personal Savior. The Lord's Supper is a memorial service, picturing the death of the Lord Jesus Christ; all true believers and only believers should share in it.

We Believe in the personal, premillennial, and imminent return of our Lord Jesus Christ. It is our "blessed hope" and has vital bearing on the personal life and service of the believer. There will be a bodily resurrection of all the dead, of the believer to everlasting blessedness and joy with the Lord, and of the unbeliever to judgment and everlasting punishment.