



# Statement of Beliefs

- We believe the Bible to be the inspired, infallible, and authoritative Word of God without error in the original writings (*2 Timothy 3:16*).
- We believe in one God, Creator of all things, infinitely perfect, and eternally existing in three Persons: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit (*Isaiah 45:22, Romans 11:36*).
- We believe that all people have sinned and come short of the glory of God; and that for the salvation of lost and sinful human beings, regeneration by the Holy Spirit through faith in our Lord Jesus Christ is absolutely essential (*Romans 3:23, John 1:12, Titus 3:5*).
- We believe in the deity and virgin birth of our Lord Jesus Christ; that he died upon the cross as a substitutionary sacrifice for the sin of the world that he arose from the dead and ascended into heaven from whence He will return with power and glory (*John 10:3, I Timothy 2:5-6, II Corinthians 15:3-4, Titus 2:13*).
- We believe in the doctrine of justification by faith, realizing that it is impossible for anyone through works to save themselves (*Romans 5:1, Ephesians 2:8-9*).
- We believe in life after death; that "There shall be resurrection of the dead, both of the just and the unjust." (*Acts 24:15*).
- We believe in the resurrection of the saved unto everlasting life in heaven and the resurrection of the unsaved unto eternal punishment in hell (*I Thessalonians 4:16-17, II Thessalonians 1:7-9*).
- We believe that it is the responsibility of all believers in Christ to share the good news of Jesus as Savior and Lord to all people of the world. We believe we should do this in deeds of love and proclamation. We are therefore concerned about the physical, social, and spiritual needs of all people (*Acts 1:8, Matthew 25:35-40*).