WHAT WE BELIEVE

PURPOSE CHURCH / STATEMENT OF FAITH

ONE GOD

We believe there is one God, and that by Him all things were created. He is all-powerful, all-knowing, ever-present, unchanging, perfect, completely worthy of our trust and, above all, holy. God is completely good, loving, compassionate, and faithful to His people and His promises.

Scripture: Deuteronomy 32:39 · 1 Samuel 2:2 · Isaiah 44:8 · Mark 12:32 · Luke 18:19 · 1 Corinthians 8:6

JESUS CHRIST

We believe Jesus Christ is fully God who became fully man. Born of a virgin, He lived a sinless life, died for our sins, rose from the dead, and made a way for every person to be eternally reconciled to God.

Scripture: John 1:1, 14 · Isaiah 9:6 · Philippians 2:5–11 · Matthew 1:18, 23–25 · Luke 24:36–39 · Colossians 1:20

HOLY SPIRIT

We believe the Holy Spirit is God's presence with mankind and convicts all people of sin. For believers, the Spirit renews the soul, empowers Christlike living, gives spiritual gifts, and guides followers of Jesus into all truth.

Scripture: Joel 2:28–29 · Acts 1:5 · Acts 2:1–4, 17, 38–39 · Romans 12:4–8 · 1 Corinthians 12:1–31 · 1 Peter 4:10

THE TRINITY

We believe there is one God, eternally existing in three persons: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. These three are coequal and co-eternal.

Scripture: Genesis 1:26 · Matthew 3:16–17 · Matthew 28:19 · Luke 1:35 · Isaiah 9:6 · Hebrews 3:7–11

THE BIBLE

We believe the Bible is God's Word to all people. It was written by human authors under the supernatural guidance of the Holy Spirit. It is truth without any mixture of error, completely relevant today, and the foundation for everything we believe, teach, and practice.

Scripture: 2 Timothy 3:16 · 2 Peter 1:20–21 · Proverbs 30:5 · Romans 16:25–26

REDEMPTION

We believe humanity was created good and upright but fell through voluntary sin. Our only hope for redemption is found in Jesus Christ, the Son of God.

Scripture: Genesis 1:26–31 · Genesis 3:1–7 · Romans 5:12–21

SALVATION

We believe salvation is a gift of God's grace received through faith in Jesus Christ. It cannot be earned through good works or human effort but is made possible through His death, burial, and resurrection.

Scripture: Ephesians 2:8–9 · Galatians 2:16 · Titus 3:5 · Romans 10:9–10 · Acts 16:31 · Hebrews 9:22

MARRIAGE

We believe marriage is defined in the Bible as a covenant and sacred bond between one man and one woman, instituted by God and publicly entered into before Him.

Scripture: Matthew 19:4–6

GENDER

We believe gender is created by God and revealed in Scripture as male and female. Each person is made in the image of God with equal value, dignity, and purpose according to His design.

Scripture: Genesis 1:27 · Matthew 19:4

COMMUNION

We believe communion is a sacred time of worship, reflection, and remembrance. Through the bread and juice, believers remember Jesus' sacrifice on the cross and proclaim His death until He returns.

Scripture: Luke 22:19–20 · Matthew 26:26–29 · 1 Corinthians 10:16 · 1 Corinthians 11:23–26

WATER BAPTISM

We believe every follower of Jesus should publicly declare their faith through water baptism in the name of the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit as an act of obedience to Christ.

Scripture: Matthew 28:19 · Acts 2:38 · Mark 16:16 · Acts 8:36–38 · Acts 10:47–48

THE CHURCH

We believe all followers of Jesus become members of His body, the Church. God calls believers to gather regularly for worship, prayer, biblical teaching, fellowship, and the mission of making disciples.

Scripture: Ephesians 1:22–23 · Ephesians 2:19–22 · Hebrews 10:25 · John 17:20–23