

We believe:

1. the Bible to be the only inspired, authoritative Word of God. (2 Timothy 3:16; 1 Peter 1: 21)
2. in the triune Godhead, eternally consisting of Father, Son, and Holy Spirit – three in one and one in three. (2 Cor. 13:14)
3. in the deity of Jesus Christ, His virgin birth and sinless life, His atoning death, His bodily resurrection, and His ascension to the right hand of the Father. (Mathew 1:18; Philippians 2:6-11; 1 Corinthians 15:3,4)
4. that it is the responsibility of the church to proclaim, teach, demonstrate, and spread the Gospel as His ambassadors until His return. (Acts 1:8; Mark 16:15-18)
5. man was created good and upright but fell from grace by voluntary transgression, thereby incurring spiritual death, which is separation from God. (Genesis 1:26-27, 2:17, 3:6; Romans 5:12-19)
6. in a personal salvation through the atoning work of Jesus Christ for all who, by God's grace, repent of sin and who, by faith, receive and confess Jesus Christ as personal Lord and Savior unto new life. (Ephesians 2:8-10; 2 Corinthians 5:17-21; Romans 10:9-10)
7. in sanctification and the pursuit of holiness, living an overcoming life as God's design for the Church, the Bride of Christ. (1 John 3:3-10, 4:18; 2 Peter 1:1-11)
8. in the baptism of the Holy Spirit as on the day of Pentecost, and as a promise for all believers (Acts 2:4, 4:30, 10:46, 19:6); and in the continuing ministry of the Holy Spirit as evidenced in gifts, ministries, and fruit of the Spirit. (Ephesians 4:11, 1 Corinthians 12:8-11; Galatians 5:22-23)

9. in Christ's imminent, personal return in power and great glory, and in His everlasting dominion. (Acts 1:11; Daniel 7:14)
10. in the resurrection of both the saved and the lost, the former unto eternal life, the latter unto eternal punishment. (John 5:28-29; Revelation 20:15)
11. in baptism by immersion in water, following repentance and in the regular observation of the Lord's Supper as ordinances to be practiced in the assembly. (Acts 2:38; John 3:5; 1 Corinthians 11:23)
12. that sexual purity is a necessary expression for all of God's children and requires abstinence from adultery, fornication, incest, homosexuality, and other sexual relationships or practices forbidden by Scripture (Hebrews 13:4; 1 Corinthians 6:18; Leviticus 18:1-30; Galatians 5:19)
13. that marriage is the uniting of one man and one woman in covenant commitment for a lifetime, and is a sacred institution established by God. (Matthew 19:4-6) The church and its associated ministers do not perform or recognize same sex marriages or unions. (Lev. 18:22; 20:13; Romans 1:26-28; 1 Cor. 6:9, 10; 1 Tim 1:8-10).
14. that "tithing", accompanied by free-will offering, is God's directed method to finance both the meeting of needs and the spreading of the Gospel.
15. that it is both the duty and privilege of every member to support the local fellowship with active presence, giving, and service, according to individual ability.