

Vision Statement: To engage men to know Christ

Mission Statement: To encourage men to live a transformed life through the teaching and preaching of the Word of God

Purpose Statement: To equip men to serve Christ in their communities and to think and conduct themselves biblically with the values, knowledge, and wisdom pertaining to Christ

Statement of Faith

1. The Bible affirms that God has revealed himself through general and special revelation (Ps. 19:1-14; Rom. 1:18-23, 2:14-15; Eph. 3:1-13; 2 Tim. 3:14-17; Heb. 1:1-4; 2 Peter 1:20-21).
2. The Bible affirms that God exists in himself eternally without any cause (Ps. 90:2; John 1:1-5; Acts 17:22-31; Col. 1:15-20).
3. The Bible affirms that God created the heavens and the earth (Gen. 1; Ps. 33:1-9; Jer. 10:6-16; Acts 17:24-25).
4. The Bible affirms the inspired, authoritative Word of God (Ps. 119; 1 Thess. 2:13; 2 Tim. 3:15-17; 2 Peter 1:19-21).
5. The Bible affirms that God is one in essence and in three persons (Deut. 6:4; Matt. 3:16-17, 28:19; 2 Cor. 13:14; 1 Peter 1:2).
6. The Bible affirms that Christ is the incarnate *logos*, in the beginning with God, and he is God (John 1:1-3; Phil. 2:9-11; Col. 1:15-20).
7. The Bible affirms that the virgin birth of Christ was a miraculous conception in the womb of Mary by the power of the Holy Spirit (Matt. 1:1-25; Luke 1:26-37; Rom. 1:3-4; Gal. 4:4).
8. The Bible affirms that all human beings are sinners according to God's standards (Rom. 2:1-11, 3:10-23, 5:12-19; James 1:13-15; 1 John 1:8-10).
9. The Bible affirms that salvation only comes through faith in Jesus Christ (John 3:16-18, 14:6; Acts 4:12; Rom. 10:13-17; 1 Tim. 2:5-6).

10. The Bible affirms that Christ instituted the ordinance of water baptism (Matt. 28:19-20; Acts 2:38; 1 Cor. 12:12-14; Col. 2:12-15) and the ordinance of taking communion (Matt. 26:26-30; Mark 14:12-26; Luke 22:7-23; 1 Cor. 10:14-17, 11:23-34).
11. The Bible affirms eternal punishment for those who reject God and rebel against him (Matt. 25:30-46; Mark 9:43-48; Luke 16:22-29; Rev. 20:11-15).
12. The Bible affirms that believers will enter heaven to enjoy eternal life in the presence of God (Matt. 25:34; Mark 9:43-48; John 14:2-3; 1 Peter 3:22; 2 Peter 3:13; Rev. 21:1-4).