



Our Beliefs (Summary)

We believe in the Absolute Sovereignty of God

We believe that God is the one and only supreme sovereign who has both the power and the right to do whatever he wants, whenever he wants, however he wants and to whomever he wants. We believe that he is not influenced or manipulated by anyone under his authority. He has decreed a plan from eternity and whatever he has planned will happen and whatever he has not planned will not happen. The ultimate goal of everything that happens is God's own glory.

We exist for the Glory of God

The church does not exist for what it offers man – does it meet felt needs, is it fun, is it relaxing, is it entertaining, is it a place to meet people, etc.. We believe the church is a place where the redeemed gather to glorify God through its worship of God and the preaching of the Word of God. Everything the church does is to and for the glory of God. We are to engage in Christ exalting worship through prayer, preaching, scripture reading, singing, giving, honouring and obeying God.

We believe in the Sufficiency of Scripture

We believe that the Bible is God's Word. More importantly, we believe that it is our final authority in all matters of faith and practice. The Bible answers all of life's important questions and guides us in relating to God, to other believers, to non-believers and to our world.

We believe in Systematic Exposition

Because we believe in the inerrancy and sufficiency of Scripture, we practice systematic exposition in our preaching / teaching ministry. That means that we preach through sections and books of the Bible in order to faithfully proclaim 'the whole council of God' to his people.

We see Regenerate Church Membership

Our goal is not to grow as fast as we can. Our goal is to grow as healthy as we can. We carefully examine every member to determine whether or not they truly understand and have experienced biblical conversion. We simply wish to avoid giving false assurance to those who are not truly regenerated.

We are committed to Baptism of Believers by Immersion

While we respect Christians from other orthodox traditions, we will only receive into membership those who have experienced 'believer's baptism' by immersion.

We believe in the necessity and responsibility of Evangelism

Evangelism must be governed by the Word of God – the message and the method. Our mission is not to get as many people as possible to 'walk the aisle.' We desire to see true biblical conversion. We constantly proclaim and explain the gospel and take time with people struggling to understand what it means to follow Christ.

We believe that Salvation radically alters the life of a convert

Jesus came to save His people from their sins. Anyone in Christ is a new creature and their assurance of salvation is the change in their life. If your faith hasn't changed you, it hasn't saved you. Christianity is not merely a religion; it is a lifestyle, a philosophy, a worldview. We are to think biblically about every aspect of our lives.