

## STATEMENT OF FAITH DOCTRINAL POSITION

## We believe in:

- One Triune God, eternally existing in three persons- Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.
- The Holy Scriptures of the Old and New Testaments to be the inspired Word of God, wholly inerrant in the original writing, infallible and God-breathed, the final authority for faith and life.
- That the Lord Jesus Christ, the eternal Son of God became man without ceasing to be God, having been conceived of the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary, in order that He might reveal God and redeem sinful man.
- That the Lord Jesus Christ accomplished our redemption through His death on the cross as a representative, substitutionary sacrifice in providing an unlimited atonement for the sins of the whole world; and that our justification is made sure by His literal, physical resurrection from the dead.
- That man was created in the image and likeness of God. Through Adam's sin the race fell, inherited a sinful nature and became alienated from God, and that man is totally depraved and, of himself, utterly unable to remedy his lost condition.
- That salvation is the gift of God brought to man by grace and received by personal faith in the Lord Jesus Christ, whose precious blood was shed on Calvary for the forgiveness of our sins.
- In the bodily resurrection of all men, the saved to eternal life, and the unsaved to judgement and everlasting punishment.
- That God has commanded that no intimate sexual activity should be engaged in outside of marriage between a man and a woman.
- That any form of homosexuality, lesbianism, bisexuality, bestiality, pedophilia, incest, fornication, adultery, and pornography, are sinful perversions of God's gift of sex.
- That human life begins at conception and that the unborn child is a living human being. We reject any teaching that abortion is acceptable.
- That man is made in the image of God and to take man's life is murder, therefore, assisted suicide is contrary to scripture.