

Life Church Statement of Faith

The fundamental belief structure of Life Church is reflected in the following statements:

- We believe the Bible is God's word to us, written by human authors under the supernatural guidance of the Holy Spirit. It is the source of all truth for beliefs and the way to live. It is the final authority for determining all doctrinal truth.
(II Timothy 3:16 • I Corinthians 2:13 • Psalm 119:105, 160 • Proverbs 30:5)
- We believe in the eternal Godhead who is represented by the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit; distinguishable but indivisible. (Matthew 28:19 • II Corinthians 13:14)
- We believe in the creation, test and fall of man as God recorded it in Genesis; man's spiritual depravity and the inability to attain divine righteousness.
(Romans 5: 12, 1-18)
- We believe in the Lord Jesus Christ, the savior of men, conceived of the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, both God and Man, who died for our sins was buried and rose again on the third day and appeared to His disciples.
(Luke 1:26-35 • John 1-18 • Isaiah 7:14; 9:6)
- We believe in the ascension of Jesus to heaven, and in His literal second coming to the church.
(John 14:2-3 • I Thessalonians 4: 13-18)
- We believe that sinners are saved by grace, through repentance and faith in the perfect work of the cross by which we gain freedom from sin.
(Ephesians 2:8-9 • Hebrews 9:12,22)
- We believe in the baptism of the Holy Spirit as an experience after salvation, and as a distinct part of the Christian experience.
(Acts 2:1; 1-4; 8: 14-17; 19:6)
- We believe in the operational gifts of the Spirit that are used in the edification of the body of Christ.
(Romans 12:3-8 • I Corinthians 12-14)
- We believe in living a Spirit-filled life, separate from the world acknowledging the sanctity of life, marriage and holiness as described in scripture. The belief that marriage is between one man and one woman, as described in His word.
(Eph 5:18-22 • II Cor. 6:14, 7:1 • Mark 10: 6-10)
- We believe in the reality of Satan and his eternal judgement and that of his angels.
(Matthew 25:41 • Rev 20: 10-15)
- We believe it is God's will to lead humanity into wholeness through the divine healing of spirit, soul and body.
(I Cor. 12:9 • Acts 4:30 • Romans 8:11 • James 5:14)