

## *Calvary Chapel International Worship Center*

# STATEMENT OF FAITH

### **THE SCRIPTURES**

We believe the Bible and accept the entire Bible as the infallible Word of God, inspired by the Holy Spirit; the only and perfect order or our faith and manner of living; to which nothing can be added or taken away. (2 Timothy 3:16, 2 Peter 1:21)

### **THE GODHEAD**

We believe there is only one living and true God, eternal, with unlimited power, Creator of all things and in the one God are three distinct persons: The Father, Son, and Holy Spirit (Deuteronomy 6:4, Mark 12:24, 2 Corinthians 13:14)

### **JESUS**

We believe that Jesus Christ is The Word made flesh, who assumed the human body through the Virgin Mary and so is fully God and fully human, two natures in one person, the divine and human, who died for our sins and rose again from the dead. (John 1:1-2, 14, 3:16, 1 Corinthians 15:3-4)

### **MAN - HIS FALL and REDEMPTION**

Man is a created being, made in the likeness and the image of God, Man, by voluntary transgression, fell, and his only hope of redemption is in Jesus Christ. (Genesis 1:26-31, 3:1-7, Romans 5:12-21).

### **SALVATION**

We believe Salvation is the gift of God for all and can be received by all through faith in Jesus Christ. They who are in Christ Jesus (cleansed through His blood) are new creatures, and have Him for wisdom, and righteousness, and sanctification, and redemption. (Roman 3:24-25, 2 Corinthians 5:17, Ephesians 2:8)

### **SECOND COMING OF CHRIST**

We believe in The Blessed Hope, the second coming of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. (Titus 2:13)

### **WATER BAPTISM**

We believe in Water Baptism by single immersion in obedience to the Word of God. It symbolizes to the world that one has died with Jesus and has been raised with Him to walk in newness of life. (Matthew 28:19, Acts 2:38).

### **BAPTISM IN THE HOLY SPIRIT**

We believe in the Baptism in the Holy Spirit as an experience received subsequent to salvation (where a measure is received) with the evidence of speaking in other tongues and other gifts that empower the believer and church for spiritual life and service. (Acts 1:8, 2:4, 19:6).

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**COMMUNION**

We believe in the sacrament of the Lord’s Supper as an ordinance of the church symbolizing the broken body and shed blood of Jesus Christ as the new covenant between God and man. (Luke 22:19-20, 1 Corinthians 11:24)

**SANCTIFICATION**

We believe that believers must live in Holiness. They are “in but not of” the world and must have consistent conduct before God and man according to the Word of God. They are to be in the world as life giving light. (Ephesians 5:1-2, Philippians 1:9 -10, 1 Peter 1:15-16)

**DIVINE HEALING**

Healing was purchased for us wholly: Body, Soul and Spirit. It is wrought by the power of God through the prayer of faith and by the laying on of hands. It is provided for in the atonement and finished work of Christ and is available in this present age. (Isaiah 53:-5, Acts 4:30, 1 Corinthians 12:9, James 5:14)

**DESIRE FOR THE NATIONS**

We believe the Gospel is available to and destined by God to include all peoples of all races, ethnic origins, and social and economic standings. God’s purpose is to make all people into one for the glory of God. (Psalms 86:9, Revelations 7:9)



*I have read the “STATEMENT OF FAITH” and understand that it is the belief of Calvary Chapel International Worship Center and Calvary Chapel Christian Academy.*

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Father’s/Guardian’s Signature

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