



WHAT WE BELIEVE

A concise statement of the foundational beliefs of City on a Hill

THE BIBLE

We believe the Holy Bible is the inspired, infallible, and authoritative Word of God and the final authority for faith and Christian living.

2 Timothy 3:16–17 • 2 Peter 1:20–21 • Psalm 119:105

GOD

We believe there is one eternal God, existing as Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

Deuteronomy 6:4 • Matthew 28:19 • 2 Corinthians 13:14

JESUS CHRIST

We believe Jesus Christ is the Son of God, fully God and fully man, born of a virgin, who lived a sinless life, died on the cross as the atoning sacrifice for our sins, rose bodily from the grave, ascended into heaven, and will return again in power and glory.

John 1:1, 14 • Matthew 1:23 • Hebrews 4:15 • 1 Corinthians 15:3–4 • Acts 1:9–11

SALVATION

We believe all people are created in the image of God but are separated from Him because of sin. Salvation is available only by God's grace through faith in Jesus Christ, resulting in forgiveness of sins, new birth, justification, and eternal life. We believe the believer's salvation is eternally secure.

Genesis 1:27 • Romans 3:23 • Ephesians 2:8–9 • John 3:3, 16 • Romans 5:1 • John 10:28–29

CHRISTIAN LIFE

We believe every believer is called to live a life of holiness through the sanctifying work of the Holy Spirit, growing in obedience to Christ and serving Him through the gifts and power of the Spirit.

1 Peter 1:15–16 • 2 Thessalonians 2:13 • Galatians 5:16, 22–25 • 1 Peter 4:10

HOLY SPIRIT, HEALING & DELIVERANCE

We believe in the baptism of the Holy Spirit as a distinct and empowering work of God for every believer, with the gifts of the Spirit continuing to operate in the Church today. We believe divine healing and deliverance are provided through the finished work of Christ and remain part of the ministry of the Church according to God's will.

Acts 1:8 • Acts 2:1–4 • 1 Corinthians 12:4–11 • James 5:14–16 • Isaiah 53:4–5 • Luke 4:18

BAPTISM & COMMUNION

We believe in water baptism by immersion for believers as a public declaration of faith and identification with Christ, and in the regular observance of the Lord's Supper as a remembrance of His sacrifice.

Matthew 28:19 • Romans 6:3–4 • Acts 2:38 • 1 Corinthians 11:23–26

THE CHURCH

We believe the Church is the Body of Christ, called to worship God, proclaim the Gospel, make disciples, minister in love, care for those in need, and fulfill the Great Commission.

1 Corinthians 12:27 • Acts 2:42–47 • Matthew 28:19–20 • John 13:34–35 • James 1:27

THE RETURN OF CHRIST & ETERNITY

We believe in the resurrection of both the saved and the lost, the imminent return of Jesus Christ, His millennial reign, the final judgment, the everlasting life of believers, and the eternal separation of those who reject Christ.

John 5:28–29 • 1 Thessalonians 4:16–17 • Revelation 20:1–6, 11–15 • Matthew 25:46

LIFE, MARRIAGE & SEXUALITY

We believe God created humanity in His image, that human life is sacred from conception, and that marriage is God's covenant between one man and one woman. We believe God's design for sexuality is to be expressed only within the covenant of biblical marriage.

Genesis 1:27 • Psalm 139:13–16 • Genesis 2:24 • Matthew 19:4–6 • Hebrews 13:4

Our foundation: Jesus Christ and the truth of His Word. These beliefs guide our worship, teaching, ministry, and life together.

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