

Salvation

Salvation is not by human merit, work, baptism or church membership. It is entirely a gift of God's grace to be received by faith. Becoming a member of a church will not save anyone. Our goal is to first be sure people are saved before becoming a church member. *"For by grace you have been saved through faith. And this is not your own doing; it is the gift of God, not a result of works, so that no one may boast."*

Ephesians 2:8-9

We believe good works follow salvation rather than producing it. *"For we are his workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand, that we should walk in them."*

Ephesians 2:10

"he saved us, not because of works done by us in righteousness, but according to his own mercy, by the washing of regeneration and renewal of the Holy Spirit."

Titus 3:5

If you have any questions please contact the church office or the pastor at the contact information below.



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What we believe about SALVATION



We Believe...

We believe that the initial requirement for church membership is the personal salvation of the individual. Therefore, we ask all considering membership to give a personal testimony of their relationship with Jesus Christ and how and when they came to accept him as their personal Savior.



“For God so loved the world, that he gave his only Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life.”
John 3:16

Biblical Truths...

- Each individual is a sinner before a holy God.
“For all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God.” Romans 3:23
- Every sinner is separated from God, under the penalty of sin and headed toward hell, needing salvation as a gift. *“For the wages of sin is death, but the free gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord.”*
Romans 6:23
- Christ has provided the gift of salvation through His death on the cross. *“but God shows his love for us in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us.”*
Romans 5:8
- Individuals must personally respond to God’s offer of salvation by repenting of their sin and receiving Christ by faith. *“For everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved.”*
Romans 10:13

More Biblical Truths...

- If a person’s salvation is true, he or she will confess Christ publicly and he or she will not be ashamed of Him and what He did for us. *“For with the heart one believes and is justified, and with the mouth one confesses and is saved. For the Scripture says, “Everyone who believes in him will not be put to shame.”*
Roman 10:10-11
- Salvation is eternal and cannot be lost or taken away. *“I give them eternal life, and they will never perish, and no one will snatch them out of my hand.”*
John 10:28

