

BIJOY MINISTRIES

STATEMENT OF FAITH

1. **The Triune God**

We believe in one true and living God, eternally existing in three persons: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit—coequal, coeternal, and consubstantial—the Creator and Sustainer of all things.

(Deuteronomy 6:4; Matthew 28:19; 2 Corinthians 13:14)

2. **Jesus Christ, the Son of God**

We believe in the Lord Jesus Christ, the only begotten Son of God—fully God and fully man. He was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, lived a sinless life, was crucified, died, and was buried. He rose bodily from the dead, ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will return in power and glory as King and Judge.

(John 3:16; Isaiah 7:14; Matthew 1:20; Philippians 2:6-11; Hebrews 1:8; Mark 16:19; Titus 2:13; 1 Peter 2:22; 1 John 3:5)

3. **Salvation by Grace Through Faith**

We believe that salvation is by grace alone, through faith alone, in Christ alone. Jesus is the only way to eternal life. All who repent and place their trust in Him receive forgiveness of sins and the gift of eternal life.

(John 14:6; Acts 4:12; Ephesians 2:8-9; Romans 10:9-10)

4. **Resurrection and Eternal Destiny**

We believe in the bodily resurrection of both the righteous and the unrighteous. The saved will enjoy eternal life with God, while the lost will face eternal separation and punishment.

(John 5:28-29; Matthew 25:46; Revelation 20:12-15; 1 Thessalonians 4:16-17)

5. **The Power of God Today**

We believe that God is active in the world today. He saves, answers prayer, and heals the sick according to His will. Jesus Christ is the same yesterday, today, and forever.

(Romans 10:13; Matthew 21:22; James 5:14-15; Hebrews 13:8)

6. **The Authority of Scripture**

We believe the Bible, both Old and New Testaments, is the inspired, infallible, and authoritative Word of God. It is the final standard for all matters of faith, doctrine, and conduct.

(2 Timothy 3:16-17; 2 Peter 1:20-21)

7. **Baptism, the Holy Spirit, and Spiritual Gifts**

We believe in water baptism as a public declaration of faith in Christ. We believe in the empowering work of the Holy Spirit, enabling believers to be effective witnesses. We affirm the gifts of the Spirit for the edification of the Church and the fruit of the Spirit as evidence of a transformed life.

(Matthew 28:19; Acts 1:8; 1 Corinthians 12:7-11; Galatians 5:22-23; Ephesians 4:11-12)

8. **Children in the Kingdom of God**

We believe children are a vital part of the Church and the Kingdom of God. We affirm our responsibility to nurture, protect, and disciple them, reflecting Christ's love and care for the "least of these."

(Matthew 18:5-6; Matthew 25:33-36)

9. **Generosity and Service**

We believe that sacrificial giving of our time, resources, and talents is an act of worship and a reflection of God's heart. Blessing others results in spiritual and material enrichment.

(Luke 6:38; 2 Corinthians 9:6-7)

10. **Unity and Respect in Ministry**

We value sound doctrine and unity within the body of Christ. While we recognize denominational differences, our primary mission is to equip leaders and families to fulfill the Great Commission by reaching and teaching today's generation.

(2 Timothy 3:16-17; 1 Corinthians 1:10; Matthew 28:19-20; Ephesians 4:11-13)