



Calvary Chapel

— OF THE WHITE MOUNTAINS —

Biblically Based. Christ-Centered.

WHAT WE BELIEVE

Our Statement of Faith

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Our beliefs are rooted in the inspired, inerrant, and authoritative Word of God and centered upon the person and work of Jesus Christ.

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At Calvary Chapel of the White Mountains, we seek to know Jesus Christ and make Him known. The following statement summarizes the biblical convictions that shape our teaching, worship, fellowship, and ministry.

EXPLORE OUR BELIEFS

The Bible	The Triune God
Jesus Christ	The Holy Spirit
Humanity	Salvation
The Church	Resurrection and Eternity
Continuationist	Complementarian
Premillennial	Pretribulational

OUR EVANGELICAL CONVICTIONS

We are evangelical Christians. We affirm the historic truths of the Christian faith, the authority of Scripture, and the good news of salvation through Jesus Christ.

Our Core Beliefs

The Bible

We believe the Bible is the inspired, inerrant, and authoritative Word of God. The Bible is the final authority in every area it addresses for each individual Christian and for the church collectively.

2 Timothy 3:16-17 · 2 Peter 1:21 · John 10:35

The Triune God

We believe there is one God who eternally exists in three persons: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. We believe that all things were created by Him and for Him.

Deuteronomy 6:4 · Isaiah 45:21-22 · Matthew 28:19 · Colossians 1:16

Jesus Christ

We believe that God the Son became a human being in the person of Jesus Christ. He was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, lived a sinless life, died a substitutionary death for all mankind, was raised from the dead on the third day, ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of God until His enemies are made His footstool.

John 1:1, 14 · Matthew 1:18-25 · 2 Corinthians 5:21 · 1 Peter 3:18 · 1 Corinthians 15:3-4 · Hebrews 10:12-13

The Holy Spirit

We believe the Holy Spirit was sent by the Father and the Son to convict the world of sin, righteousness, and judgment. The Holy Spirit regenerates, indwells, and seals believers in the Lord Jesus Christ, empowering them to live as His witnesses.

John 14:16-17 · John 16:7-11 · Titus 3:5-6 · Romans 8:9 · 1 Corinthians 6:19-20 · Ephesians 1:13-14 · Acts 1:8 · Romans 12:6-8 · 1 Corinthians 12-14 · 1 Peter 4:10-11

Our Core Beliefs

Humanity

We believe that God created human beings, male and female, in His own image. He created them sinless and equal in value, dignity, and worth.

Genesis 1:26-28 · Ephesians 5:22-6:4 · 1 Timothy 3:1-7

Salvation

We believe that, as a result of the Fall, all people are sinners by nature and in need of a Savior. Jesus Christ is the one and only Savior of the world. Salvation is by grace alone, through faith alone, in Him alone. We believe that all who call on the name of the Lord will be saved eternally.

Romans 3:10, 23 · Romans 5:18-19 · Matthew 1:21 · 1 John 4:14 · John 14:6 · Acts 4:12 · Ephesians 2:8-9 · Romans 10:9

The Church

We believe there is one Church, the body of Christ, consisting of men and women from every tribe, tongue, people, and nation. Each local congregation is an expression of that universal Church. We believe in the spiritual unity of all believers in our Lord Jesus Christ.

Ephesians 4:4 · 1 Corinthians 12:12-13 · Revelation 5:9 · Acts 2:42-47

Resurrection and Eternity

We believe in the resurrection of the dead. Believers will be raised to life, and unbelievers to shame and everlasting contempt in hell.

Daniel 12:2 · John 5:25-29 · Revelation 21:1-22:5

Our Distinctives

Within the historic evangelical Christian faith, these distinctives describe several convictions that shape our teaching and practice.

WE ARE Continuationist

We believe that all the gifts of the Holy Spirit mentioned in Scripture are available to and active in His Church today.

John 14:16-17 · John 16:7-11 · Titus 3:5-6 · Romans 8:9 · 1 Corinthians 6:19-20 · Ephesians 1:13-14 · Acts 1:8 · Romans 12:6-8 · 1 Corinthians 12-14 · 1 Peter 4:10-11

WE ARE Complementarian

We believe that God created human beings, male and female, in His own image. He created them sinless and equal in value, dignity, and worth. According to His purpose and design, God created men and women to fulfill distinct but complementary roles in marriage, the family, and the local church.

Genesis 1:26-28 · Ephesians 5:22-6:4 · 1 Timothy 3:1-7

WE ARE Premillennial

We believe in the premillennial return of Christ to the earth, where He will sit upon the throne of David and rule over the house of Jacob (Israel) and the entire cosmos forever.

Revelation 20:1-6 · Luke 1:31-33 · Isaiah 9:6-7

WE ARE Pretribulational

We believe the Church will be delivered from the “hour of trial” that will come upon all who dwell on the earth, being “caught up” in the clouds to meet the Lord in the air (the Rapture).

1 Thessalonians 4:16-17 · 1 Corinthians 15:51-55 · Revelation 3:10