

# 2024-2025 LHC Statement of Faith



## **We believe:**

- there is one God eternally existing in three persons: The Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit. (Genesis 1:26, John 1:1)
- the Bible is God's written revelation to man and that it is verbally inspired, authoritative, and without error in the original manuscript. (2 Timothy 3:16-17, 2 Peter 1:19-21)
- in the personality and deity of the Holy Spirit, that He performs the miracle of new birth in an unbeliever and indwells believers, enabling them to live a Godly life. (2 Corinthians 5:17-19, John 14: 16,17 and 26)
- that creation, as described in Genesis, was an act of God, and not the result of evolution. (Genesis 1-2)
- that people are created in the image of God, but because of sin, have been alienated from God (Genesis 1:26-27, Romans 3:23)
- the only way people can be saved is to believe in Jesus Christ, the one and only virgin-born Son of God, who died to take upon Himself the punishment for the sin of mankind. We believe in the deity of Jesus Christ, His virgin birth, sinless life, miracles, His death on the cross to provide for our redemption, bodily resurrection and ascension into heaven, His present ministry of intercession for us, and His return to Earth in power and glory. Through receiving Jesus as Lord, we are made spiritually alive. This begins a relationship with the living Savior. (John 1:12, 3:3-7, John 3:16, John 5, John 14:6, Hebrews 9:11-28, Matthew 3:16-17, Matthew 28:19, Acts 1:9, Titus 2:11-14)
- God ordained marriage and the family, and that biblical marriage is a sacred covenant relationship between one man and one woman, symbolizing the union of Christ and His Church. (Genesis 2:18-25, Matthew 19:4-6, Ephesians 5:22-25)
- God wonderfully and immutably creates each person as male or female. These two distinct, complementary genders together reflect the image and nature of God. Refutation of one's biological sex is a denial of God's good design. (Gen 1:26-27)

To be considered for membership at Living Hope Co-op, I acknowledge that I have read and will comply with the Living Hope Co-op Statement of Faith and agree to teach nothing contrary to it.

I agree with and will help my family to follow ALL parent and student expectations and responsibilities that have been set in place to help Living Hope Co-op run smoothly (see LHC Handbook for details).

If you agree to comply with the above, please sign below.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_