

SHOOTING PARK ROAD BAPTIST CHURCH
ARTICLES OF FAITH

1. We believe in the verbal, complete, and total inspiration and authority of the Holy Scriptures.
II Timothy 3:16, II Peter 1:21

We believe that the King James Bible is God's Word for the English speaking people. And for this reason no other Bible is to be used at SPRBC.
2. We believe in the Holy Trinity; one God eternally existing in three persons...God the Father, God the Son and God the Holy Spirit.
Matthew 3:16-17, I John 5:7
3. We believe in the virgin birth of Jesus Christ.
Isaiah 7:14, Matthew 1:18-25
4. We believe in Christ's death on the cross and His shed blood as the only sacrifice for sin.
Romans 3:25, Hebrews 9:12
5. We believe in the bodily resurrection of Jesus Christ.
Matthew 28:6, Mark 16:6
6. We believe in the personal and imminent return of Jesus Christ.
Acts 1:11, I Thessalonians 4:14-16
7. We believe in the new birth, in that being born again is necessary for salvation.
John 3:3, I Peter 1:23
8. We believe that salvation is not dependent upon the works of the flesh.
Ephesians 2:8-9, Titus 3:5

But comes to all who by faith receives Jesus Christ as their personal Savior.
John 1:12, John 3:16
9. We believe in the blessed assurance and eternal security of all believers who have personally received Jesus Christ as their Savior.
John 10:27-30, I John 5:11-13

10. We believe in two church ordinances.

1. BAPTISM

Acts 2:41, Romans 6:3-4

2. THE LORD'S SUPPER

Luke 22:19-20, I Corinthians 11:23-30

These ordinances are not a means of, nor essential to salvation.

11. We believe in believers living a separated life.

Romans 12:1-2, II Corinthians 6:14

12. We believe in tithing.

Malachi 3:8-10, I Corinthians 16:2

13. We believe in a literal heaven.

John 14:2-3, II Corinthians 5:1

14. We believe in a literal Hell.

Luke 16:19-31, Revelation 20:15

15. We believe in the bodily resurrection of the dead;

1. The believer to everlasting blessedness with the Lord.

I Corinthians 15:51-55, I Thessalonians 4:17, Revelation 21:4

2. The unbeliever to judgment and everlasting conscious punishment.

Matthew 25:41-46, Revelation 20:11-15

16. We believe in the separation of Church and State.

Matthew 22:21, Acts 5:27-29

17. We believe in the marriage, in that it is between one male and one female.

Genesis 2:26, Genesis 3:24