

Brooklands Gospel Centre – What We Believe

We believe that the Bible is the inspired Word of God and is completely infallible and can be relied upon as being the absolute truth.

Bible references: *2nd Timothy 3:16; John 10:35; 2nd Peter 1: 21,22*

We believe that the Scriptures teach the Trinity in Unity of the Godhead i.e. the Father, Son and Holy Ghost.

Bible references: *Deut. 6 : 4; Luke 3: 21,22; John 10: 30; Matthew 28:19*

We believe in the Deity and Perfect Humanity of our Lord Jesus Christ.

Bible References: *Hebrews 1: 8-12; John 1:14; Hebrews 2:14; Isaiah 9:6*

We believe in the Virgin birth and sinless life of our Lord Jesus Christ as the Son of Man and Son of God.

Bible References: *Matthew 1: 22,23; John 8 : 46; Hebrews 4 : 7, 15, 26*

The Personality of the Holy Spirit.

Bible References: *Acts 5, Acts 13: 1,2; 1st Corinthians 12: 11*

We believe in the fallen and corrupt state of man and because of this he cannot save himself

Bible References: *Romans 3 : 23; Romans 5 : 12, Psalm 51 : 5*

The voluntary and substitutionary atoning sacrifice of our Lord Jesus Christ at Calvary

Bible references: *John 10 : 17, 18; Galatians 2 : 20; 1st Peter 2 : 24*

We believe in His bodily resurrection when God raised Him from the dead on the third day according to the Scriptures and crowned Him with glory and honour as Priest and Advocate

Bible references: *Acts 2 : 22-32; Hebrews 4 : 14-16; 7 : 25; 13 : 20; Philippians 2 : 5 -11; 1st John 2 : 1*

We believe in the personal return of our Lord Jesus Christ to receive His redeemed people

Bible references: *John 14 : 3; Philippians 3: 20,21 ; 1st Thessalonians 4 : 16, 17*

The Bible teaches that there is a personal Devil

Bible references: *John 8 : 44; Job 1 : 6,7; 1st Peter 5 : 8*

We believe in the Resurrection of the Body

Bible references: *1st Corinthians 15 : 1-58*

We believe in redemption through the shed blood of our Lord Jesus alone as the only means of cleansing from sin and regeneration by the Holy Spirit

Bible references: *Romans 3 : 24 ; Colossians 1 : 14 ; Ephesians 1 : 7 ; John 3 : 7 ; Titus 3 : 5 ; 1st Peter 1 : 18,19*

We believe in the eternal security of all those who are born again of the Holy Spirit

Bible references: *John 10 : 27-29*

The conscious eternal punishment of all who die without God's salvation

Bible references: *Psalm 9 : 17; Matthew 25 : 41; Luke 16 : 22-31; Revelation*

20 : 11-15

We assert that there is but One Church known as the Church which is Christ's Body and that only those who have been redeemed by His precious blood are members of this One Body

Bible References: *1st Corinthians 12 : 12, 13 ; Ephesians 1 : 22, 23*

We believe that there are two ordinances given by Christ the Head of the Church and that these are to be observed by Believers only. These are Baptism and the Lord's Supper. Baptism represents burial with Christ and is by total immersion in water. We welcome all those who are Born of God, to the Lord's Supper and refuse none who are sound in the faith and clean in their walk.

Bible references: *Matthew 28 : 18-20 ; Luke 22 : 19, 20 ; Acts 2 : 41,42 ; 1st Corinthians 11 : 24-26*

We believe that it is both scriptural and necessary for the Assembly to choose qualified men from their midst, to take up the office of Oversight. The duty of these men is to supervise the work of the Assembly and to be an example to the Flock in all things

Bible references: *Acts 14 : 23 ; Acts 20 : 28 ; Acts 6 : 3 ; 1st Timothy 3 : 1-7 ; 1st Peter 5 : 1-3*