

What We Believe: Articles of Faith

Reviving Reverence Ministries – Summary of Core Doctrines

1. The Bible

The inspired, infallible, and final authority in all matters of faith, doctrine, and life.

2. Deity

The one true God revealed in three Persons:

- **Christ** – Eternal, pre-existent fullness of God, incarnated in Jesus.
- **The Father** – Head of Deity, Father of all creation.
- **The Son (Jesus)** – Fully God, fully man, Savior and pattern Son.
- **The Holy Spirit** – Co-eternal, empowers the Church, speaks God's will.
- **The Father and the Son** – Received together in the doctrine of Christ.

3. Man

- **Pre-Fall** – Created for dominion, intimacy with God, and image-bearing.
- **Fall** – Disobedience brought death and separation.
- **New Man** – Restored through Christ to sonship and divine purpose.

4. Salvation

Redemption and restoration through Christ's death and resurrection. We become sons of God by grace through faith.

5. Kingdom of God

God's spiritual rulership advancing in the earth through His sons. It is righteousness, peace, and joy in the Holy Spirit.

6. The Church

God's holy nation, the Body of Christ, called to reveal His image and establish His Kingdom. Includes:

- Definition & Nature
- Relationship with the Father
- Spiritual Structure (households, tribes)
- Kingdom Purpose
- Leadership (elders, deacons, five-fold ministers)
- Building ministries (apostles, prophets, evangelists, pastors, teachers)

7. Reconciliation & Discipline

God disciplines sons in love. The Church must restore, correct, and preserve the faith of believers.

8. Sacraments

- **Water Baptism** – Sign of new birth.
- **The Lord's Table** – Proclaims Christ's death.
- **Marriage** – Divine covenant reflecting Christ and the Church.

9. Kingdom Economy

Believers steward God's resources to fulfill His purpose. Economy is managed with generosity and holiness.

10. Satan & Demonology

Satan is a fallen spirit who opposes God's plan. Believers are equipped to overcome him through Christ's authority.

11. End Times

Increasing deception and tribulation before Christ returns to judge and reign. Believers await the resurrection and eternal Kingdom.

12. Death

- The righteous enter Paradise.
 - The wicked face judgment and separation from God.
- Death is the final enemy to be defeated.

13. Family

Family is sacred and governed by divine order. Marriage and parenting must reflect God's character and purpose.

14. Gender & Sexuality

God created male and female. Identity, purity, and marriage are defined by Scripture, not culture.

15. Humanitarian Issues

- **Creation Care**
 - **Social Justice**
 - **Obedience to Government**
 - **Endurance under Persecution**
- All informed by the Lordship of Christ.

16. Morality & Ethics

God calls His people to live in holiness. The Church rejects:

Gambling · Addiction · Pornography · Euthanasia · Human Trafficking · Abortion · Cloning · Xenophobia

“That we may present every man perfect in Christ Jesus.” – Colossians 1:28