

STATEMENT OF FAITH

ENCHEA is a Christ-centered organization, all aspects of which are intended to bring glory to the Lord and honor biblical principles. All ENCHEA applicants will confirm agreement with the Statement of Faith by their signature on the membership application.

We, the members of ENCHEA, in order to spread the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ and further His kingdom, do ordain and establish this statement of faith:

- i) We believe there is one true God, eternal Creator of the universe, and He alone is to be worshiped. Though one God, He is revealed in three Persons--Father, Son, and Spirit. (Gen 1:1-2, Mat 4:10, Heb 1:5-8, Joh 1:1-3, 8:56-58, 10:30, 14:8-9, 16-18)
- ii) We believe that Jesus Christ is the only begotten Son of God, who took on human flesh, remaining fully God and fully man, yet without sin, and that He is the image of the invisible God. (Joh 3:14-17, 9:35-38, Mat 14:31-33, Heb 1:1-3, 4:14-15, Col 1:15-19)
- iii) We believe that the Bible is the inspired, inerrant word of God, and is the only infallible written guide for our daily life. God has ordained that through the preaching of His word, He will eternally save souls. (2Ti 3:16-17, Rom 10:13-17, 1Co 1:21)
- iv) We believe that salvation is a work of the Spirit of God as men are born again. This salvation is offered as a free gift to the sinner and must be responded to in individual repentance and faith, not trusting in any personal works but in the sacrificial death of Jesus Christ alone. (Joh 3:3-8, Mar 1:14-15, Tit 3:4-7, 2Ti 1:9, Eph 2:8-9)
- v) We believe that our children are gifts from God and that as parents we are fully responsible for educating them, instilling godly character within them, and training them by instruction and example to love God with all their heart, soul, mind and strength, and to love their neighbors as themselves. (Psa 127:3, Pro 22:6, Eph 6:4, Mar 12:28-31)