



# OUR BELIEFS

THE S.I.S. OF A JESUS CENTERED LIFE

## VISION

Multiplying the love and joy of Jesus throughout a hurting world...one life at a time.

## MISSION

At County Line Church, our heart is to equip every generation to intentionally live a Jesus-centered life.

## GOD

We believe there is one loving and awesome God who eternally exists in three persons, known as the Trinity of the Father, Son (Jesus), and Holy Spirit.  
(Matthew 28:19)

## THE BIBLE

We believe the Bible is the true Word of God and that every word, from the Old Testament to the New Testament, was inspired by God's Holy Spirit to the people who wrote it, without error. We believe the Bible is God's love letter to the world and is the final word on all questions, issues, and problems of our day.  
(2 Timothy 3:15-17)

## SALVATION

We believe because of the original sin of Adam and Eve, every person is born with a sinful heart that separates them from a Holy and perfect God. And because of God's justice, the penalty for that sin is an eternal separation in a place called hell. But God, in His deep and amazing love for people, sent His only Son, Jesus, to die on a cross, thereby satisfying the wrath of God toward our sinful nature. We believe, that on the third day, Jesus rose from the dead, proving He was God and conquering death once and for all. We also believe anyone who chooses to submit their life to Jesus as Lord is forgiven of that original sin, indwelt with the Holy Spirit, and will experience His presence now and for all of eternity in heaven.  
(1 John 5:1-13)

## THE CHURCH

We believe the Bible teaches that the Church is the body of believers in Christ from all nations, with Jesus at the head. We believe the Church should gather weekly to worship through music, learn from the Bible, and care for and uplift one another. We believe the Church equips us to serve those in need outside the Church, right injustices in the world, and share the message of Jesus to those who do not yet know of His love until He returns.  
(Matthew 28:18-20, Acts 2:42-47, Ephesians 4:14-16 and 1 Peter 2:4-10)

## LIVING AS A FOLLOWER OF JESUS

We believe every follower of Jesus puts to death the old life and its sinful practices that harm our lives and others. In contrast, to the best of our human abilities, we put on the new self in Jesus which influences our words and actions to bring glory to Him and not ourselves. We believe the Holy Spirit empowers Christians to live the way the Bible teaches as a loving response to all God has done for us, rather than simply living by burdensome rules.  
(Colossians 3:1-17)

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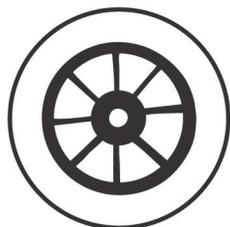
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## INTENTIONALLY CONNECT WITH JESUS

Attend worship services every week. (Hebrews 4:25)  
Listen to worship music. (Colossians 3:16; Romans 12:1-2)  
Daily Scripture reading and prayer. (Joshua 1:8)  
Incorporate routine of practicing Spiritual Disciplines (I Timothy 4:7-8)  
Discover primary spiritual pathway. (I Corinthians 12)

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| Intellectual  | Worship    |
| Contemplative | Solitude   |
| Creation      | Relational |
| Activist      | Serving    |



## INTEGRATE GOD INTO ALL OF LIFE

Participate in group Bible studies. (II Peter 3:18; Hebrews 6:1)  
Be in a Life group or a Discipleship Group. (Acts 2:42-47)  
Be a mentor or be mentored. (Matthew 28:19-20)  
Tithe 10% of your income to God's work. (Malachi 3:10; II Corinthians 9:7)  
Read Christian books, listen to Christian podcasts and watch Christian videos. (I Timothy 4:15)  
In every area of life ask, "What would Jesus do?" (marriage, parenting, entertainment, work/school, finances, hobbies, friendships) (Colossians 1:9-10)  
Have an accountability partner for mutual faith encouragement and confession. (Proverbs 27:17)



## INVEST IN THOSE IN NEED

Save money in order to have more to give to those in need. (Hebrews 13:16)  
Practice the "See a need, meet a need" way of living. (Luke 10:25-37)  
Participate in Faith in Action projects. (Matthew 5:16)  
Visit hurting people. (Matthew 25:31-46)  
Be a good listener to those struggling emotionally. (I John 3:16-18)  
Travel on an Impact Trip. (Mark 10:45; Matthew 23:11)  
Volunteer at a local ministry that helps people in need. (Philippians 2:4)  
Keep a "Go-bag" in your car for those asking for help. (Matthew 25:35)



## IDENTIFY MY GIFTS FOR MINISTRY

Discover your spiritual gift(s). (I Corinthians 12).  
Learn ways to use your gifts to serve. (I Peter 4:10)  
Discover your area of passion. (Philippians 2:13)  
Learn how to grow in the use of your spiritual gifts. (Romans 12:6-8)



## INFLUENCE THOSE FAR FROM GOD

Share your faith with someone 2-3 times a year. (I Peter 3:15)  
Write out your faith story, and be ready to share it. (I Peter 3:15)  
Pray for God to "Show you the one" daily. (I Peter 3:15)  
Get training on how to share the Gospel message. (Romans 10:13-15)  
Invite unchurched people to church. (Matthew 5:13-15)  
Pray specifically for friends/family/co-workers who are far from God. (Ezekiel 36:26)  
Develop friendships with those who are non-Christian. (Luke 10:2)  
Travel on an Impact Trip. (II Corinthians 5:20)

