Christian LIFE Academy Stuttgart (CLAS)

STATEMENT OF FAITH (SOF)

CLAS is based on the foundations of the Christian faith, which are all centered in the person of Jesus Christ, the crucified, risen and glorified Redeemer and Lord. The following, along with other Christian principles of teaching and practice, form the basis of the beliefs and principles of CLAS:

We believe that the Bible is the only inspired and infallible Word of God and that it is the ultimate source of authority in all matters of faith and personal conduct. 2 Timothy 3:16; 2.Peter 1:21; Mark 12:26, 36; John 5:39

We believe that there is one God who exists eternally in three persons: Father, Son and Holy Spirit. John 10:30, Matthew 28:19; John 14: 16-26; Genesis 1-2

We believe in the deity of Christ. Our Lord Jesus Christ was begotten by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, and is true God and true man. John 10:33, Isaiah 7:14, Mtatthew 1:23, Luke. 1:35, Hebrews 4:15

We believe that the Lord Jesus Christ is the only mediator between God and man and that he died on the cross for the sins of men and that all who trust and obey him have the remission of sins through his blood. 1 Timothy 2: 5; John 3:16; 6:44; 10:28-30; Romans 5: 6-9, Titus 3: 5

We believe that salvation is the gift of God's grace. Ephesians 1: 7; Acts. 15: 9; John 1: 12-13; John 3:16-19; 5:24; Romans 3:.23; 5: 8-9; Ephesians 2: 8-10; Titus 3: 5

We believe that all human beings are created in the image of God, separated from Him by sin and in need of salvation in Jesus Christ. Genesis 1:26; 2:17; 6:5; Romans 3.:23; 8,:6-7; 1 John. 3:

We believe that Jesus Christ rose from the dead and ascended to heaven, where he now sits at the right hand of God the Father, and that he will return in power and glory to judge both the living and the dead. Matthew 16: 27; Acts. 1:11; Revelations 19:11-16; 20: 11-15

We believe that Christian "life" includes Christian ministry and preaching the Gospel down to the very ends of the earth. This work requires the power of the Holy Spirit. John 14: 12-14; Ephesians 6:18 -19; Acts. 1: 8; 1 Corinthians 12: 7; Ephesians 3:20; Acts. 5:32