



what we

**BELIEVE**

sunday  
morning  
series



## **We believe the Bible:**

...is God's Word to all mankind.

...was written by human authors under the supernatural guidance of the Holy Spirit.

...is the supreme source of truth for Christian beliefs and living. Because it was inspired by God, it is truth without any mixture or error.



## Introduction

1. The Bible is the actual inspired Word of God.

*"Written over a 1600 year span, over 60 generations, by 40 plus authors from every walk of life...with one unfolding story of God's redemption of man."*

2. The Bible is reliable.
  - Unity as evidence
  - Prophecy as evidence
  - Unique power
  - Historically reliable
3. The Bible is without error.
  - 2 Peter 1:21; Matthew 5:17-18



## Our spiritual lamp for a secular world

1. A lamp for direction (Psalm 119:105-106)

*"Your Word is a lamp to my feet and a light to my path. I have taken an oath and confirmed it, that I will follow your righteous laws."*



## Our spiritual lamp for a secular world

### 2. A lamp in danger (Psalm 119:107-110)

*"I have suffered much; preserve my life, O LORD, according to your word. Accept, O LORD, the willing praise of my mouth, and teach me your laws. Though I constantly take my life in my hands, I will not forget your law. The wicked have set a snare for me, but I have not strayed from your precepts."*



## Our spiritual lamp for a secular world

### 3. A lamp of delight (Psalm 119:111-112)

*"Your statutes are my heritage for ever; they are the joy of my heart. My heart is set on keeping your commandments."*