<sup>2</sup>The Gospel of God...<sup>3</sup>concerning his Son, who was descended from David according to the flesh <sup>4</sup>and was declared to be the Son of God in power according to the Spirit of holiness by his resurrection from the dead, Jesus Christ our Lord,

## Creed?

2 Timothy 2:8 – "Remember Jesus Christ, risen from the dead, the offspring of David, as preached in my gospel"

## His Son

Hebrews 1 – Jesus is God's Son, the eternal Son of God

Mathew 3:17; 17:5 – Baptism of Jesus and Transfiguration - "This is my beloved Son"

John 14:6 – No one comes to the Father except through *Me* 

John 10:30-39 – The reason for His crucifixion

John 1:14, 18; 3:16, 18 (KJV) - "Only begotten Son"

Mark 1:1 – "The beginning of the gospel of Jesus Christ, the Son of God."

## Descended from David

Matthew 1:1 - The book of the genealogy of Jesus Christ, the son of David, the son of Abraham.

Luke 18:35-43 – The blind beggar outside of Jericho

Mark 10:47-48 – Blind Bartimaeus

Matthew 9:27 – Two blind men

Mark 12:35-37 and Matthew 22:41-45 – Psalm 110:1

Promise of a Savior (Genesis 3:15)  $\rightarrow$  He would be Hebrew *not Gentile* Abrahamic Covenant (Genesis 17:1-8)  $\rightarrow$  From the tribe of Judah (Genesis 49:10)  $\rightarrow$  From the House of King David (2 Samuel 12:7-9)

Isaiah 9:7 – Upon the throne of David

Isaiah 11:1, 10 – A shoot from the stump of Jesse

Jeremiah 23:5-6 – A righteous branch

Ezekiel 34: 23-24 – He shall feed them and be their shepherd

## According to the flesh

Galatians 4:4 – "born of a woman"

John 1:14 – "And the Word became flesh"

Romans 8:3 – "the *likeness* of sinful flesh"

Philippians 2:7 – "born in the likeness of men"

Luke 2:52 – Jesus increased in wisdom, stature, and favor with God

Jesus experienced hunger, thirst, grief, temptation, pain death, ignorance (why does this matter?)