### **G.I.F.T. Growing In Faith Together**

#### Systematic Theology—The Doctrine of the Trinity

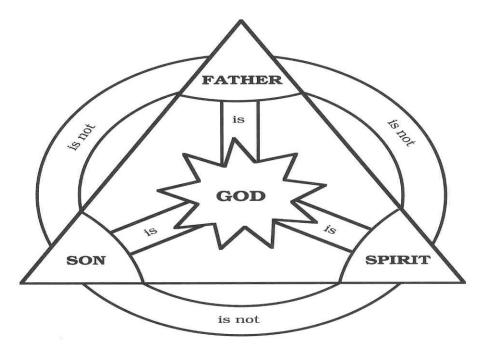
What is the Trinity?

The Bible teaches that the Father is God, that Jesus is God, and that the Holy Spirit is God. The Bible also teaches that there is only one God.

# I. <u>The Bible's View of the Trinity</u>Gen. 1:26-27 Matt. 3:16-17 Matt. 28:19 Jude 20-21

### II. <u>The Meaning of the Trinity</u>

Because God is three distinct persons, the Father is not Son or the Holy Spirit, the Son is not the Father or the Holy Spirit, and the Holy Spirit is not the Father or the Son. Each of the persons of the Trinity is fully God. Gen. 1:1 Col. 2:9 Matt. 28:19



## III. <u>The Distinct Roles of the Trinity</u>

All three members of the Trinity have different roles in creation, as well as, in our salvation.