

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit. Born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended into hell. The third day he rose again from the dead. he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty. Form there he will come to judge the living and the dead?

What does this mean?

I believe that Jesus Christ, true God, begotten of the Father from eternity, and also true man, born of the virgin Mary, is my Lord.

He has redeemed me a lost and condemned creature, purchased and won me from all my sins, from death and the power of the devil. Not with Gold or silver but with his holy, precious blood and his innocent suffering and death. All this he did that I should be his own and live under him in his kingdom, and serve him in everlasting righteousness, innocent and blessedness, just as he has risen from death and lives and rules eternally.

This is most certainly true.