

BIG WORDS Britt Sipe, Lead Pastor

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Christology

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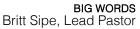
	and of Jesus Christ.
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Christology: The study of the <u>person</u> and <u>work</u> of Jesus Christ.

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- Jesus testified of his <u>divinity</u>.
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- The key work of Christ is his death on the <u>cross</u>, which brings <u>reconciliation</u> between humanity and God. Rom 5:8; 1Tim 2:5; Heb 1:3

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- 1. Christology is central to the <u>Gospel</u>.
- 2. Christology reveals God's <u>love</u> for us.
- 3. Christology reveals who God is.
- 4. Christology provides a <u>model</u> for living. John 15:12; 1Cor 11:1; Php 2:5

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