

I MY CHURCH!

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OUR MISSION

**Bring the maximum number of people possible
into a relationship with Jesus Christ.**

*“Go into all the world and preach the Good News to
everyone, everywhere!” (Mark 16:15)*

“Go and make disciples of all people ...” (Matthew 28:19)

OUR VISION

**We are creating
one of the great churches of the 21st Century**

*We’re a unique church for the “unchurched”
where the timeless message of Christ
is communicated in a contemporary style.*

*“For the Son of Man came to seek and to save those who are lost.”
(Luke 19:10)*

“There is more rejoicing in heaven over one lost sinner who returns to God than over ninety-nine others who have never strayed away.” (Luke 15:7)

**We are shaping
a one of a kind environment for children and teens.**

*We're a unique place where young people
can discover and share the love of Christ;
where self-esteem is nourished and faith is nurtured;
where kids with bright eyes and scuffed-up knees
are invited into the open arms of Jesus.*

Jesus called a little child to His side ... Taking the child in His arms, He said, “Whoever welcomes one of these little children in My Name, welcome Me.” (Mark 9:36-37)

Jesus said, “Let the children come to Me, for the Kingdom of God belongs to such as these. Don't send them away!” ... Then He took the children in His arms and placed His hands upon them and blessed them.” (Mark 10:13-16)

**We are
building leaders and multiplying ministries.**

*We're multiplying our impact by equipping leaders,
transforming members into ministers,
and organizing an army of volunteers.*

The Holy Spirit gives special abilities to each one, as a means of helping the entire church." (1 Corinthians 12:7)

God called ... pastors and teachers to equip God's people for the work of ministry, so that the Body of Christ may be built up." (Ephesians 4:11-12)

I promise to celebrate weekly.

*Celebrate Weekly
In worship celebrations that challenge
and encourage me.*

Jesus said, "Whenever two or three are gathered in My Name, there I am among them." (Matthew 18:20)