

Vision Statements

Implementing Our Purpose through the Year 2025

Affirming that our purpose is to become a visible, viable, vital church by following the ministry example of our Lord Jesus Christ, the following statements represent our vision concerning how God is calling us to change our world.

- God is calling us to be a **“life-giving” church** as our members live a bold missionary lifestyle among our world.
- We are called to be a **“friendly” church** that impacts every home in our county with God’s love.
- We are called to be a **“simple” church** as we establish a clear sequence of “next steps” to engage every age group in God’s Kingdom agenda through personal discipleship, evangelism, worship, fellowship, and service.
- We are called to be a **“connected” church** whose primary people-reaching strategy will continue to be small Bible study groups organized into a Sunday School with intentionally integrated evangelism, fellowship, and ministry components.
- We are called to be a **“transforming” church** by establishing ministries that will change the hearts and lives of children, teenagers, adults, and families who fear or face failure among life’s challenges.
- We are called to be a **“leader” church** that will challenge, encourage, and equip other churches to fulfill the great commission.
- We are called to be a **“multiplying” church** by becoming catalysts for a church planting movement among our nearby Native American reservations.
- God is calling us to be a **“sending” church** by training and sending pastors, church leaders, and lay ministers to grow great commission churches across our area, nation, and world. (institute/school)
- We are called to be an **“encouraging” church** by developing ministries that encourage and equip pastors around the world to complete their call.

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