

Follow Jesus

People who follow Jesus exist for people to find and follow Jesus.

Announcements

COMMUNITY GROUP LAUNCH, Tuesday's, Wednesday's, & Thursday's
-Cinco de Mayo at the Grossi's/testify of Ricks & Curts group
COFFEE, READING & PRAYER Friday's @ 7-8 am at the Church
WOMEN'S MINISTRY BIBLE STUDY 5/8 @ 9:30 am
FAMILY MEETING, May 23 after service

Direct our attention to the reading of God's word, please turn to Matthew 28:19-20, page 835 in the pew bibles.

Invite Randy up to read and pray

Who we R.

Common Denominator. *(Point out art around the sanctuary)*

The purpose of this church shall be the fulfillment of the Great Commission of Christ to the Church, recorded in Matthew 28:19,20. It shall seek to attain this end through the public worship of God, the preaching of the Gospel at home and abroad, personal evangelism, Christian education, and consistent testimony of its members in word and deed. It shall stand without apology for the Bible as the word of God, and seek to proclaim its contents and to live its message. It shall exalt the Christ of the Bible as the Son of God, and the Savior of all who believe in Him.

Recalibrating to this vision to make it easy to remember and live.

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Who are we?

We are a family.

See what kind of love the Father has given to us, that we should be called **children of God**; and so we are. 1 John 3:1a

Sunday, May 2, 2021

"A new commandment I give to you, that you love one another: just as I have loved you, you also are to love one another. By this all people will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another." John 13:34-35

Reza's testimony

If one member suffers, all suffer together; if one member is honored, all rejoice together. 1 Corinthians 12:26

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1. We are a family that exists for people

Most people know what the church is against... What are we *for*?

"...in you all the families of the earth shall be blessed." Genesis 12:3b

But seek the welfare of the city where I have sent you into exile, and pray to the LORD on its behalf, for in its welfare you will find your welfare. Jeremiah 29:7

2. We are a family that exists for people to find Jesus

Look at Mat. 28:19, As you go, disciple

- "Disciple" means As you go. Dana's testimony-It's not an organized outreach facilitated by the church but a lifestyle.

- Evangelism is discipleship. Teaching people to believe and follow Jesus even before they are born again.

3. We are a family that exists for people to follow Jesus

Mat. 28:19- Teach,

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By this we may know that we are in him: whoever says he abides in him ought to walk in the same way in which he walked. 1 John 2:5b-6

4. We are a family that exists for people to follow Jesus

- Jesus' life and example

- Humbles testimony (Learn→ teach→ learn→ teach)

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-He is the solution! The problems of this world are not the problem... It's us.
Our hearts are broken! And Jesus is the ONLY solution.

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Who are we? We are a family

What do we do? We Exist *FOR* people to find and follow Jesus

Why do we do it? We exist *FOR* JESUS!

GOSPEL- Corporate communion