

We are a community of conquerors who exist to embody, express, and extend the message of the resurrected Christ in word and deed.

A COMMUNITY

The church is not an organization, it is an organism (Ephesians 4:. It is not a building, it is an intergenerational, cosmically connected habitation of the spirit (Ephesians 4:18-22), a group of people who "have been called out of darkness into His marvelous light. (1 Peter 2:9)" Since message of Christianity transcends every barrier (Galatians 3:28), we will deliberately foster an environment that dismantles the barriers that separate, divide, and exclude.

OF CONQUERORS

The note of victory rings through the early Christian writings. The first Christians neither saw themselves as victims nor as passive bystanders in the arena of history. The Greek word nikao, most often translated "overcometh," also means victory, and occurs frequently throughout the pages of the New Testament. Just as Jesus instructed his discples "be of good cheer, I have overcome the world (John 16:33); we believe that the death, burial and resurrection of Jesus Christ provides the pathway for victorious living. We will overcome the every enemy by our faith, (1 John 5:4), by the indwelling of the Holy Spirit, (1 John 4:4), and by our testimony (Rev 12:11).

WHO EXIST TO EMBOY EXPRESS AND EXTEND

We see ourselves living Resurrected lives. Our Father has no greater joy than to see his children walk in truth (1 John 5). Understanding that desire, we will equip our community for victory in every strategic dimension of existence, provide information and create and broker opportunities to place every enemy under our feet (Psalms 8:6, Ephesians 1:22). We will deliberately partner with other organizations and entities who have a demonstrated commitment to human transformation, learn from and build on the best ministry practices from current and previous leaders and movements, and "add "thereto." (1 Ch 22:14)

THE MESSAGE OF THE RESURRECTED CHRIST

The Resurrection is the pivot on which Christianity turns--it is the pulsing center, the throbbing core, the irreducible nucleus, and the fundamental reality of our faith. This is the fountain from which every victorious tributary flows. In 1 Corinthians 15:12-19, Paul outlines a series of devastating consequences that result without the resurrection: our preaching is useless; our faith is purposeless; our testimony is groundless; and there is no deliverance from sin and no motivation for Godly living. No truth of Christianity has been fought with greater resolve, because no truth in the universe is as potent. We live on tip-toe, waiting for God to do us what he did to Jesus.

IN WORD AND DEED

Our ministry will deliberately seek to model the example presented by our master, who was said to be "mighty in word and deed. (luke 24:19)" we will not only speak the truth of the gospel but we will translate the truth spoken into measurable actions with the intention of impacting our generation. We will not be satisfied by either word-less deeds or deed-less words. In both speech and action, we will endeavor to impact individuals, communities and nations.