

STUDENT MINISTRY PHILOSOPHY

Mission – The Purpose that Drives Daily Actions

My mission is to cultivate a Christ-centered community where students are **Transformed** through the power of the Word & discipleship, equipped to **Reach** others with the gospel, inspired to **Impact** the world through service, encouraged to **Belong** in authentic fellowship, and moved to **Elevate** God in worship.

Vision – The Long-Term Direction, the Desired Destination

My vision is to disciple and develop a bold, **Christ-centered** generation of students who passionately **follow Jesus** and become **life-long disciples** and **disciple-makers** all the while equipping and inspiring youth leaders and student leaders to take ownership of the ministry use their unique gifts, and partner with me in building a **thriving, transformational** student ministry.

Scripture	Belief	Value(s)
Romans 12:1-2 Galatians 2:20 2 Timothy 1:14	We are transformed into disciples of Jesus through submission (an act of Worship) to Him through the Bible (Discipleship). Indwelling Holy Spirit	Bible-Centered (renewal of the mind) Worship (more than just music), Transformation, Discernment, Dependence on the Holy Spirit
John 15:4-10 2 Timothy 3:16	Apart from Jesus we cannot bear fruit (Service & Evangelism). Abiding in Christ is a character trait of being a Disciple . All Scripture is God-breathed (Gospel Fluency)	Bible as Ultimate Authority. Abide, Be with Jesus, A follower of Jesus (disciple) bears fruit (service & evangelism) for the Kingdom!
Romans 2:3-10 1 Corinthians 12 Ephesians 5	We are designed to exist in community (Fellowship), We are designed with a function, a gifting, to Impact (service) the church and the world.	Unity (fellowship & community) does not mean uniformity ("gifts that differ"). Calling, Service, Purpose, Mission, Equipping
Matthew 28:10 Acts	Go therefore (command = obedience), Make disciples (evangelism & Discipleship) teaching them (fellowship & Centrality of the bible), for I am with you (Spirit-led & Spirit-empowered)	Obedience, evangelism, service, centrality of the bible. Reliance on The Holy Spirit.

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