

Tampa Bay 4 Christ

MISSION - *We are a network of churches partnering together*

- ***To mobilize and equip every Christ follower*** in Tampa Bay
as a multiplying disciplemaker
 so that every man, woman and child in our region
 has ***repeated opportunities***
 to see, hear and respond to ***the gospel of Jesus Christ***

<p>VALUES - <i>We believe in</i></p>	<p>STRATEGY - <i>We are committed to</i></p>	<p>VISION - <i>We long to see</i></p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jesus - He is the way, the truth and the life and no one comes to the Father except through Him 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pray - knowing that we desperately need God, we call on Him to move mightily in our region through us 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Revival - the Church of Tampa Bay awakened with a passion for the supremacy of Christ in all things
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Partnership - to complete the Great Commission we desperately need each other 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gather - bringing pastors together for regular prayer, fellowship and accountability in reaching their shared geography 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Unity - believers from all cultural backgrounds and Gospel traditions working side by side to love and reach our city
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Gospel - the clear and compassionate proclamation of the good news is central to God's work in the world 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mobilize and Equip - multiplying disciplmakers and churches to reach every part of Tampa Bay by the power of the Holy Spirit 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Transformation - hundreds, thousands and millions of lost sinners finding new life in Christ - bringing renewal to families, communities and the whole region

KEY SCRIPTURE

Then Jesus came to them and said, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age." Matt. 28:18-20

"I pray also for those who will believe in me through their message, that all of them may be one, Father, just as you are in me and I am in you. May they also be in us so that the world may believe that you have sent me." John 17:20-21

"For I am not ashamed of the gospel, because it is the power of God that brings salvation to everyone who believes: first to the Jew, then to the Gentile." Rom. 1:16

Our statement of Faith

1. **The Bible is the Word of God** - inspired, infallible and authoritative, Scripture is the foundation for all we believe, say and do.
2. **Jesus is the Son of God** - the fully divine Creator and sovereign Lord, eternally one with the Father and Holy Spirit, Jesus became fully human so he could give His perfectly righteous life as a sacrificial substitute for sinners like us.
3. **The Gospel is the way to God** - all people are sinners by nature and by choice but to all who personally commit to Jesus, trusting in His atoning death and victorious resurrection to save them, Jesus promises forgiveness, freedom and everlasting life with Him.
4. **The Church is the people of God** - made up of all believers in Jesus everywhere there is one church with one mission to make disciples of all nations, laboring together in cities and regions to glorify Jesus by proclaiming the gospel and demonstrating His love.