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PAUL'S 'ONE ANOTHER' FAITH

Dwelling Place Church Vision: Manifesting Christ in Many Ways to Many People

Romans 1:1 NIV – Paul, a servant of Christ Jesus, called to be an apostle and set apart for the gospel of God—

Who was Paul?

Religion can turn you into a really bad person.

Servant = Doulos. The gospel of grace produces in us a fundamentally different spirit than zealousness in religion does. Religion makes you proud and self-centered. The gospel makes you humble and generous.

"Set apart for the gospel of God"

In all three accounts of the Damascus Road experience, Jesus is clearly identified with the community: 'You are persecuting Me' (Acts 9:5, 22:8, 26:14).

1 John 4:16-18 NRSV – So we have known and believe the love that God has for us. God is love, and those who abide in love abide in God, and God abides in them. 17 Love has been perfected among us in this: that we may have boldness on the day of judgment, because as he is, so are we in this world. 18 There is no fear in love, but perfect love casts out fear; for fear has to do with punishment, and whoever fears has not reached perfection in love

I think everything depends on how we live together.

There is no relationship to God in Christ that does not look like a relationship with you.

John 15:1-8 NIV

If I abide in the Vine, I remain entangled in the branches.

1 Corinthians 13:1-3 NRSV – If I speak in the tongues of mortals and of angels, but do not have love, I am a noisy gong or a clanging cymbal. 2 And if I have prophetic powers, and understand all mysteries and all knowledge, and if I have all faith, so as to remove mountains, but do not have love, I am nothing. 3 If I give away all my possessions, and if I hand over my body so that I may boast, but do not have love, I gain nothing.

1 Corinthians 13:4-7 NRSV – Love is patient; love is kind; love is not envious or boastful or arrogant 5 or rude. It does not insist on its own way; it is not irritable or resentful; 6 it does not rejoice in wrongdoing, but rejoices in the truth. 7 It bears all things, believes all things, hopes all things, endures all things.

The most important part of your life with God is your life with other believers and other unbelievers.

1 John 4:7-11 NRSV

1 John 4:12 NRSV – No one has ever seen God; if we love one another, God lives in us, and his love is perfected in us.

The moment I realize that your salvation matters more than mine, I can never fear God again.

Acts 8:26-35 - NRSV

God always gives you less information than you need.

If you speak when you should be silent, even the truth can be destructive.

The eunuch is stubborn enough to keep showing up and humble enough to be taught.

The Christian life is about putting your body in a position of faithfulness over and over again for the sake of other people.

If I can't be vulnerable with you, I can't be vulnerable with Him.

When you see your enemy being forgiven when you don't want him to be forgiven, what happens in your heart?

WELCOME!

If you have questions, please stop by the NEXT STEPS table in the foyer or look for a team member. If we can help you in any way, please email us at dwellingplacemovement@gmail.com.

Our strategy at DPC: Gather (Gatherings), Group (Connect Groups), Grow (Growth Phases), Give (Giving/Gifting Teams), Go (Outreach)

GATHER Sundays in July-"Paul & The Road Ahead" 9:30a + 11:15a

This series on Paul, an apostle of Christ, reviews his extraordinary life. By examining Paul's life, we can be instructed and spurred to live our lives for the glory of God as well.

Wednesday, July 14, - 7p - 8:30p -DP Student Worship Gathering

If you are a middle or high school student join us at our monthly worship gathering for worship, fellowhip, and the Word!

Thursday, July 15, 7p-9p -A Conversation of Faith

This is an open and informal conversation about life, spirituality, and the person of Jesus without judgment or pressure. We want to hear your thoughts and questions as we explore these themes together without the pressured atmosphere that usually comes with these conversations. Each talk looks at a different question around faith and is designed to create conversation. Everyone is welcome.

GROW Thursday, September 2, 7p - 9p

Launch of our Fall Semester of Growth Phases

Get signed up today at the Next Steps table for our Fall Semester of Growth Phases!

GO

Saturday, July 24 - Back to School Bash at Ansley Park

Join us as we throw a back to school bash for the students at Ansley Park! Register now at the Next Steps Table to give donations for free backpacks or serve at this event!

GROUP Sunday, July 18 -Connect Group Night

Our connect groups will be meeting all over the area this evening.

Sunday, July 25, 2p - 5p - Picnic in the Park

Join us at Logan Park Farm in Acworth under the pavillion as we group together for an afternoon of fun. Bring lunch for your family; we will provide drinks and desserts. This is a great time to connect with other DP families, we hope to see you there!

GIVE

"His Blueprint" Capital Campaign - He Has Chosen Us!

We encourage each of you to continue to ask God what He would have you give to our capital campaign!

> Goal by June 2022 \$220,000

Commitment Levels: <u>One time Legacy Gifts</u> 20K - Gold Legacy Gift 10K - Silver Legacy Gift 1K - Precious Stone Legacy Gift

> <u>Monthly Pledges</u> \$500, \$250, \$150, \$50

Did you know you can give via text? Just text any dollar amount to 84321 to give. You will follow a quick, self-guided setup process to tie your mobile phone to our church, your donor account, and a payment source. After that, donating is as easy as sending a text.