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

Hebrews 10:35-37 NIV – So do not throw away your confidence; it will be richly rewarded. 36 You need to persevere so that when you have done the will of God, you will receive what he has promised. 37 For,"In just a little while, he who is coming will come and will not delay."

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Joshua 6:1-5 NLT – Now the gates of Jericho were tightly shut because the people were afraid of the Israelites. No one was allowed to go out or in. 2 But the Lord said to Joshua, "I have given you Jericho, its king, and all its strong warriors. 3 You and your fighting men should march around the town once a day for six days. 4 Seven priests will walk ahead of the Ark, each carrying a ram's horn. On the seventh day you are to march around the town seven times, with the priests blowing the horns. 5 When you hear the priests give one long blast on the rams' horns, have all the people shout as loud as they can. Then the walls of the town will collapse, and the people can charge straight into the town."

Why do we give up?

1) Our perspective is often limited.

God is the only one who can speak in the past tense before a present reality. He is the only one who can tell you what it, when what is isn't yet.

2) Our progress isn't always obvious.

Joshua 6:10-11, 14 NIV – "Do not shout; do not even talk," Joshua commanded. "Not a single word from any of you until I tell you to shout. Then shout!" 11 So the Ark of the Lord was carried around the town once that day, and then everyone returned to spend the night in the camp...14 On the second day they again marched around the town once and returned to the camp. They followed this pattern for six days.

"Do not raise your voices, don't say a word." Sometimes our mouth can be our worst enemy when we are seeding the clouds.

God often does something in you before He does something for you.

3) The process is open-ended.

Joshua 6:15-16 NIV – On the seventh day the Israelites got up at dawn and marched around the town as they had done before. But this time they went around the town seven times. 16 The seventh time around, as the priests sounded the long blast on their horns, Joshua commanded the people, "Shout! For the Lord has given you the town!

Joshua 6:20 NIV – When the people heard the sound of the rams' horns, they shouted as loud as they could. Suddenly, the walls of Jericho collapsed, and the Israelites charged straight into the town and captured it.

You may be closer than you think!

You need to persevere so that when you have done the will of God, you will receive what he has promised. – Hebrews 10:36

Let us not become weary in doing good, for at the proper time we will reap a harvest if we do not give up. – Galatians 6:9

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 June -"Seed the Clouds" 9:30a + 11:15a

Most of us get stuck spiritually because we are waiting for God to make a move while God is waiting for us to make a move. We must quit watching the clouds and start seeding them. Delayed obedience is still disobedience! We communicate to God that we are ready to co-labor with Him through consecration. That is an act of obedience and love towards God. Join us all month long as we seek to seed the clouds!

GROW

Thursday, June 24, 7p - 9p Eleventh Night of our Spring Semester of Growth Phases

Join us for our eleventh night of Growth Phases. We can't wait to see all that the Lord will do during this session!

2021 DP Bible Reading Plan

We have provided for you a 5-day Bible reading plan that gives you two extra days to catch up each week. Be sure to use #dpcbiblereading to interact with others in our community that are following the plan. Be sure to subscribe to our church podcast!

GROUP

Sunday, June 20 -Connect Group Night

Our connect groups will be meeting all over the area this evening. Get plugged in today.

GO

Monday, July 5 - City of Woodstock July 4th Spectacular We have the opportunity to serve the City of Woodstock in their July 4th Spectacular. We will have a float in the parade and a booth where we will be making crafts with the kids. Sign up to volunteer to walk in the parade and to man the booth. The parade is from 10a - 11a and the festival from 11a - 3p. Visit the Next Steps table for exact serving times and more details. We hope you and your whole family will join us for this fun event!

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:
One time Legacy Gifts
20K - Gold Legacy Gift
10K - Silver Legacy Gift
1K - Precious Stone Legacy Gift

Monthly Pledges \$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.