

JESUS

THE LOVED LOVER

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

Matthew 3:13-17 NKJV – Then Jesus came from Galilee to John at the Jordan to be baptized by him. 14 And John tried to prevent Him, saying, “I need to be baptized by You, and are You coming to me?” 15 But Jesus answered and said to him, “Permit it to be so now, for thus it is fitting for us to fulfill all righteousness.” Then he allowed Him. 16 When He had been baptized, Jesus came up immediately from the water; and behold, the heavens were opened to Him, and He saw the Spirit of God descending like a dove and alighting upon Him. 17 And suddenly a voice came from heaven, saying, “This is My beloved Son, in whom I am well pleased.”

Matthew 3:1-3 NIV – In those days John the Baptist came, preaching in the wilderness of Judea 2 and saying, “Repent, for the kingdom of heaven has come near.” 3 This is he who was spoken of through the prophet Isaiah: “A voice of one calling in the wilderness, ‘Prepare the way for the Lord, make straight paths for him.’”

John’s life is a life lived in the darkness – but He came to bear witness to the Light!

He must increase and I must decrease – the heart cry of John the Baptist!

What God is doing in the world is always fitted to the life of the God-Man Jesus Christ.

The Baptism of Jesus:

1) Jesus GOES OUT to John.

There is no length to which Jesus won’t go to reach who He wants to reach!

The dove rests on Him = the new creation is here!

Everything that is happening to Jesus is happening to us as well.

Jesus is destroying the evil that destroys us. He is robbing hell of all that hell has taken from us. He is claiming again what God has made in the beginning.

2) Jesus was loved.

Psalm 2:7 NLT – The king proclaims the Lord’s decree: “The Lord said to me, ‘You are my son. Today I have become your Father

Isaiah 42:1 NLT – “Look at my servant, whom I strengthen He is my chosen one, who pleases me. I have put my spirit upon him. He will bring justice to the nations.

John 17:24 NKJV – Father, I desire that they also whom You gave Me may be with Me where I am, that they may behold My glory which You have given Me; for You loved Me before the foundation of the world.

3) Jesus lived loved.

Just because you are loved doesn’t mean you live loved.

Jesus talked about His Father’s love for Him often.

Jesus never tested the boundaries of God’s love.

Psalm 107:1 NLT – Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good! His faithful love endures forever.

4) Jesus loves you.

Jesus loves you as much as the Father loves Him.

John 15:9 NLT – I have loved you even as the Father has loved me. Remain in my love

God loves you just as much as He loves Jesus.

5) Jesus submits to John to teach this truth: whatever the Father says of Him, the Father says of John.

When God fills you, you are most yourself.

You have to know that Jesus is radically devoted to you!

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 dwellingsmovement@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 10, 7p - 9p
Ninth Night of our Spring
Semester of Growth Phases***

Join us for our ninth 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 #dpcbible reading to interact with others in our community that are following the plan. Be sure to subscribe to our church podcast!

GROUP

***Sunday, June 6 + 20 -
Connect Group Night***

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

GO

***Monday, June 7- Saturday,
June 12, DP Students
Mission Trip***

This year, we are partnering with Atlanta Frontline Response who are on the frontlines everyday rescuing individuals trapped in darkness and preventing the most vulnerable in society (children) from falling victim to sex trafficking, homelessness, addiction, and more. If you are a Middle or High School student, visit the Next Steps table to find out how you can join us as we serve this summer!

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.