

Welcome to
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City Church

We are glad you are here!





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Personal Sacrifice



Towns of Dareth, Mylos
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So the churches were strengthened.

A photograph of three people in prayer, overlaid on a background of watercolor washes in shades of yellow and orange. The man on the left is looking down with his hands clasped. The woman in the middle is looking up with her mouth open in prayer. The woman on the right is looking down with her hands clasped. The text is overlaid on the left side of the image.

Becoming a Spirit-filled Disciple for the Unleashing Agenda

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Who is a Disciple?

A disciple is someone who intentionally follows a particular teaching, submits their life to be shaped by it, and actively lives it out. True discipleship goes beyond learning ideas; it involves imitation, obedience, and transformation. A disciple not only embraces the message personally but also participates in passing it on, modelling the teaching through their character, actions, and words, and helping others encounter and grow in the same truth.

“Discipleship is not an option; it is the very essence of Christianity.”

John Stott

A Spirit-filled Disciple

A Spirit-filled disciple is therefore someone who lives in active dependence on the Holy Spirit, allowing God's presence and power to shape their character, guide their decisions, and empower their obedience. Such a disciple does not rely on human strength or knowledge alone, but walks daily in surrender, bearing the fruit of the Spirit and exercising spiritual gifts for the building up of the Church and is consistently available for the unleashing agenda.



A large, ornate wooden sailing ship is shown on a body of water. The ship has a large white sail with a golden eagle emblem in the center. The ship is moving towards the right, leaving a wake. The background features a sunset over a lake with mountains in the distance. The sky is filled with golden light and clouds. The water is calm, reflecting the sunset. The overall scene is peaceful and majestic.

Some Ships of the Discipleship Journey

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Sonship/Daughtership (Identity in Christ)

Kind Reminder: God adopted you into His family to live from identity, not performance

- Secure identity as beloved child
- Freedom from shame, fear, and striving
- Intimacy with the Father through the Spirit

Romans 8:15

¹⁵ For you did not receive the spirit of bondage again to fear, but you received the Spirit of adoption by whom we cry out, “Abba,^[a] Father.”



Lordship (Surrender to Christ's Authority)

Kind Reminder: Jesus is Lord of every area of life

- Daily surrender of will, desires, and plans
- Obedience influenced by love, not obligation
- Submission to Christ as King, not just Savior

Luke 9:23

²³ Then He said to them all, "If anyone desires to come after Me, let him deny himself, and take up his cross ^[a]daily, and follow Me.

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Formationship (Inner Transformation)

Kind Reminder: God is forming Christ in you from the inside out

- Transformation of heart, mind, and desires
- Formation through the Holy Spirit over time
- Practices that shape character (habits, rhythms, disciplines)

Galatians 4:19

¹⁹ My little children, for whom I labour in birth again until Christ is formed in you,

Romans 12:2

² And do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind, that you may prove what is that good and acceptable and perfect will of God.





Wordship (Dwelling deeply on the Word)

Kind Reminder: God forms us through His Word

Learning to read, interpret, and live Scripture
Anchoring experiences and emotions in truth
Developing a biblical worldview

Colossians 3:16

¹⁶ Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly in all wisdom, teaching and admonishing one another in psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, singing with grace in your hearts to the Lord.

2 Timothy 3:16-17

¹⁶ All Scripture is given by inspiration of God, and is profitable for doctrine, for reproof, for correction, for ^[a]instruction in righteousness, ¹⁷ that the man of God may be complete, thoroughly equipped for every good work.

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Worship (Inner Transformation)

Kind Reminder: You were created for God's glory

- Worship as a lifestyle, not just music
- Reverence, gratitude, joy, and awe
- Offering everyday life as a living sacrifice

Romans 12:1

I beseech^[a] you therefore, brethren, by the mercies of God, that you present your bodies a living sacrifice, holy, acceptable to God, which is your^[b] reasonable service.



Fellowship

(A part of the local church)

Kind Reminder: You belong to God's family

- Deep, committed Christian community
- Accountability, encouragement, and love
- Practicing forgiveness, humility, and unity

Romans 8:15

⁵ so we, being many, are one body in Christ, and individually members of one another.

Hebrews 13:17

¹⁷ Obey your leaders and submit to them, for they are keeping watch over your souls, as those who will have to give an account. Let them do this with joy and not with groaning, for that would be of no advantage to you.

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Stewardship

(Everything you have is entrusted by God)

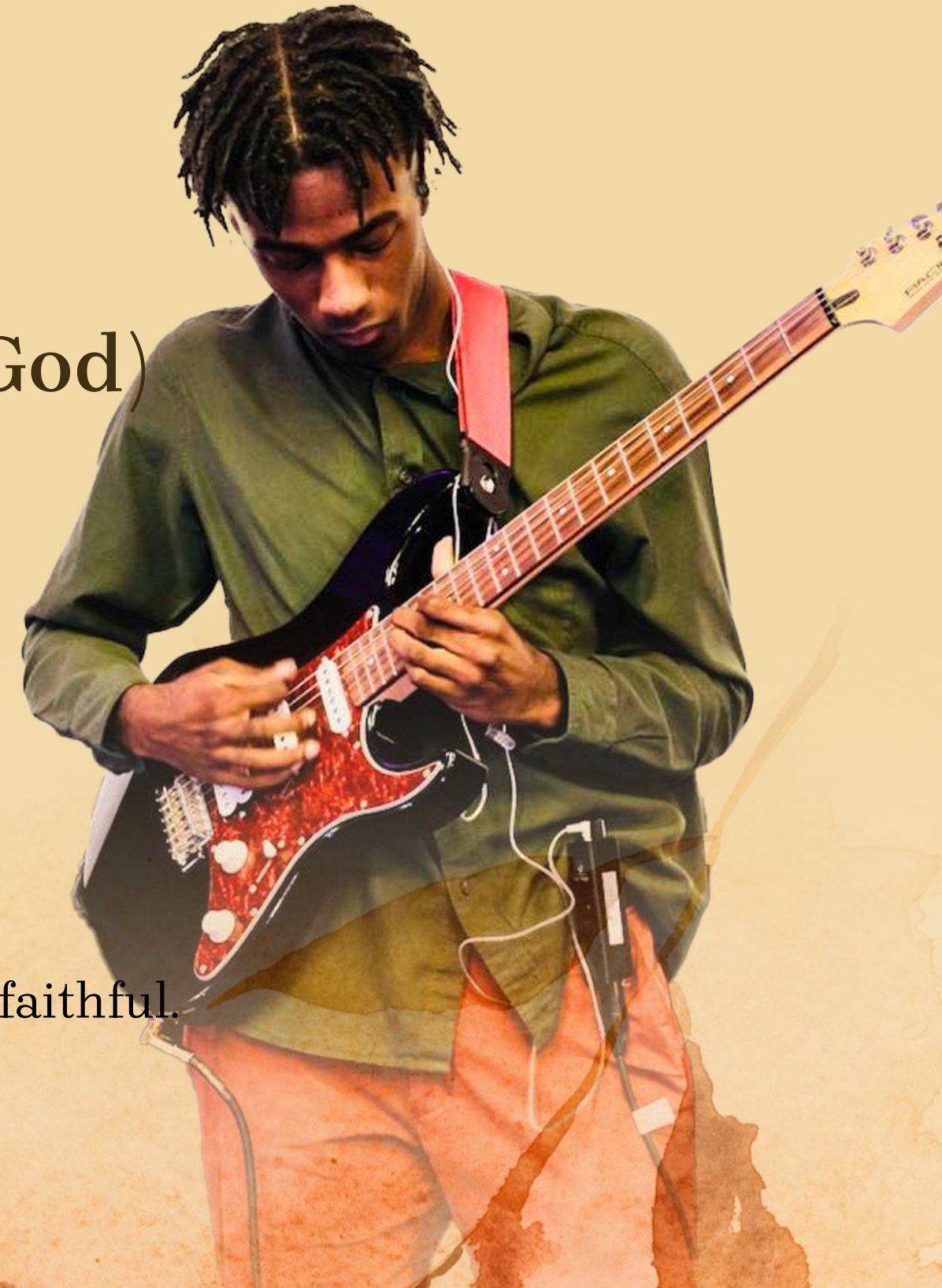
Kind Reminder: Everything you have is entrusted by God

1 Corinthians 4:2

- Stewardship of time, resources, gifts, and body
- Faithful use of finances and abilities
- Rest, simplicity, and responsibility

1 Corinthians 4:2

² Moreover, it is required of stewards that they be found faithful.





Servantship (Ministry/Serving Others)

Kind Reminder: God equips you to serve by grace

- Discovering and using spiritual gifts
- Serving from overflow, not burnout
- Meeting needs inside and outside the church

1 Peter 4:10

¹⁰ As each has received a gift, use it to serve one another, as good stewards of God's varied grace:

Ambassadorship (Evangelism)

Kind Reminder: You represent Christ to the world

- Witness through words, works, and character
- Living missionally in everyday life
- Sharing the gospel with love, wisdom, and courage

2 Corinthians 5:20

²⁰ Now then, we are ambassadors for Christ, as though God were pleading through us: we implore *you* on Christ's behalf, be reconciled to God.



*James 1:2–4;
2 My brethren, count it all
joy when you fall into
various trials, 3 knowing
that the testing of your faith
produces [a]patience. 4 But
let patience have its perfect
work, that you may
be [b]perfect and complete,
lacking nothing.*

Perseveranceship (Carrying your cross)

Kind Reminder: God matures us through trials and faithfulness

James 1:2–4; Philippians 3:10

Learning obedience in hardship

Endurance, patience, and hope

Following Christ in suffering as well as victory



A Spirit-filled disciple is someone who is

- **Rooted** in Sonship/Daughtership
- **Submitted** through Lordship
- **Formed** by the Spirit and the Word
- **Sustained** by Worship and Fellowship
- **Entrusted** with Stewardship
- **Unleashed** in Service and Evangelism
- **Refined** through Suffering and Perseverance

All under the ongoing work of the **Holy Spirit**.