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I. Purpose - THEMES for New Creation

a. Build on the Church Jesus Built ... “Culture!”

i. The Anatomy of - “Church Culture!”

b. Bad Church Cultures ... “Gospel-LITE!”

i. Their Anatomy - “DNA!”

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II. Objectives ... NCOM's INFOCUS Theme

a. Leading; Serving & Living ... **“AUDIT!”**

i. The Past Six Months - **“Report Card!”**

b. The Next Six Months ... **“CULTURE”**

i. Set Priorities & Energy - **“Build infocus!”**

On What Jesus Built!”



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Purpose - Church Audit/Evaluation!

- ☞ Church - Know/Understand Her “Mission!”
- ☞ Church - Needs to Know “On-Course!”
- ☞ Church - Needs to Know “Weaknesses & Strengths!” . . . Correction/Training!
- ☞ Learning & Growth Evolve from “Honest Criticism & Evaluation!”

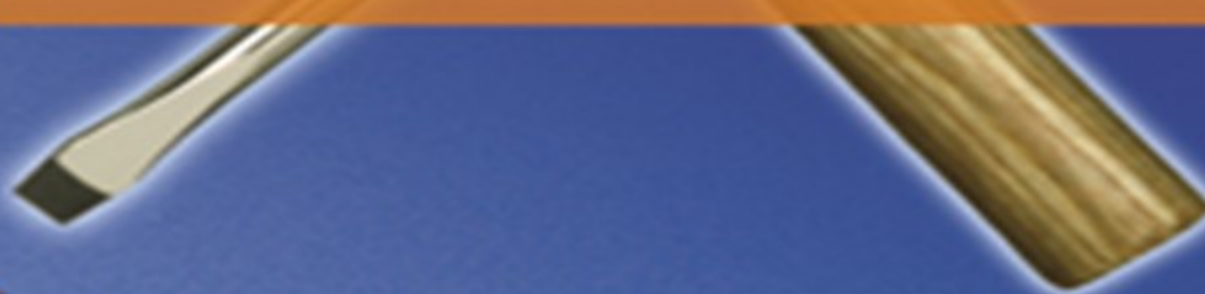
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2007 – 2008



Together
**WE BUILD
NEW CREATION
OUTREACH**





NEW CREATION

Outreach Ministries
A Multi-Cultural Community Church



"Moving Forward!"



Expanding
the **VISION**

**2009
Theme**



**2009
Theme**



NCOM



2010

CLOSER! CLOSER! CLOSER!

“SPIRITUALLY!”

ADVANCING IN MATURITY!

Hebrews 6: 1

IN 2011

IGNITING & MOBILIZING DISCIPLES!

Walking IN AGREEMENT &
IN-STEP *with* THE *Spirit*

BEARING FRUIT!

IN
2012

MORE MISSIONAL!

MORE RELATIONAL!

IN
2012

MORE CARING!

MAGNIFY THE LORD!

MORE GIVING!

REAL GOSPEL!



A PEOPLE SO COMMITTED TO GOD THAT HE CAN BUILD
OUT OF THEIR LIVES A "RIGHTEOUS COMMUNITY!"

2013

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a Church on a Quest!

A.M.A.Z.I.N.G.

church

2 Tim 2: 20 - 21; Col 4: 17



2014 – **A.M.A.Z.I.N.G!** (Unfinished Business)

Active – Involved, Connected & Investing!

Motivated – Personal Growth (Measurable/Tangible)!

Applying God's Word & Wisdom in all areas!

Zap – you've been Transformed - live Like it!

Impact & Influence! – FRUIT "In/Outside" the Walls of NCOM!

Necessary – everyone's needed! Essential! Indispensable for Success!

God-centered – Guided by the Holy Spirit!

A M A Z I N G C H U R C H



2015

2015

BUILDING A CULTURE OF DISCIPLES

(WHO JESUS WOULD BE IF HE WERE ME)



LEARN!

EQUIP!

DISCOVER!

SERVE!

DEVELOP!

TRANSFORM!

GROW!

DEEPEN!

KNOWLEDGE!

2015

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BUILDING A CULTURE OF DISCIPLES

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TRANSFORM!

GROW!

DEEPEN!

KNOWLEDGE!

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Outreach Ministries
A Multi-Ethnic Community Church

BUILDING A

CULTURE OF DISCIPLES II

(WHO JESUS WOULD BE IF HE WERE ME!)



DISCOVER!

LEARN!

SERVE!

EQUIP!

DEVELOP!

TRANSFORM!

GROW!

DEEPEN!

KNOWLEDGE!

Sharing the Gospel, Transforming Lives, & Serving!

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Anatomy of “Culture” in a Church

“**CULTURE** is a Combination of What an Organization or Church **CREATEs** ... & what that Organization or Church **ALLOWs** . . .

Whether **Excellence** or **Mediocrity!**”

Every Church has a **CULTURE!**



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Anatomy of “Culture” in a Church

“**CULTURE** isn’t Always **VISIBLE** – but a Bad Culture will always **UNDERMINE** the Health & Success of any Organization or Church!”

CULTURE Always Refers to
“**PEOPLE!**”



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Anatomy of a “Bad Church Culture” Gospel-LITE!

- ☞ Lack “Godly Shepherding” (Weak/Abusive)
- ☞ Lack “Clear Mission & Vision Path”
- ☞ Lack of “Conversions” (No One Getting Saved)
- ☞ SIN is “Minimized” (Comfortable Mbers)
- ☞ Lack of Equipping (Transformation)
- ☞ Lack - “Highly Effective Ministries”



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Anatomy of a “Bad Church Culture” Gospel-LITE!

- ☞ Lack - Clear Path for Theological Growth & Leadership Development (Not Equipping)
- ☞ Not Missions or Missional Focused
- ☞ Not Community Focused
- ☞ Members “Seat/Pew” Warmers
- ☞ Members - “LOW Morale”



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The Church Must
Meet God's "Great"
OBJECTIVEs!"

Our Mission In
2017:

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lead!

serve!

live!

infocus!



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21st Century Church!

“Nine out of Ten Churches in North America are Declining, or they are Growing Slower than the Community in Which they are Located. Nine out of Ten Churches Need Revitalization!”
Churches need to REFOCUS!”



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I. NCOM's Mission . . . "INFOCUS!"

a. Lead INFOCUS . . . "Set Our Face!"

i. Our Model - "Christ!"

b. Serve INFOCUS . . . "Set Our Ministry!"

i. Christian Service Requires -
"Consistency & Endurance!"

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I. NCOM's Mission . . . "INFOCUS!"

c. Live INFOCUS . . . "Set Our Holiness!"

i. Rid Blurred Lines - "Put-off/Put-on!"

d. Encourage You - "Set An Influencer List!"

i. Ask Holy Spirit - One or Two

"Influencers" in Your Life!"

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God's OBJECTIVEs!"

☛ Evangelistic & Missional!

☛ Equipping (Disciplining)!

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☛ Engaging (Moving Mbers)

Into Ministry!



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Jesus “Set His Face” To Jerusalem!

- ☞ Knew His PURPOSE!
- ☞ Set His Priorities & Energy! *infocus!*
- ☞ Resolved in His Passion!
- Steadfast & Determined!



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Jesus “Set His Face” To Jerusalem!

And Taking the 12, HE said
to them, “See, we are Going
up to Jerusalem, & Everything
that is Written About the Son
of Man by the Prophets Will
be Accomplished!

Luke 18: 31

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“Set Our Face!”

Right Priorities & Energy!

lead!

serve!

live!

infocus!

“And of Issachar, There
were 200 Leaders, Who
Had an Understanding of
the Times to Know What
Israel Ought to Do!”

1 Chron 12: 32



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“Set Our Face”

Work is Just Beginning!

Still Much to do!

“There Still Remains
Much Land to be
Possessed!”

Joshua 13: 1

lead!

serve!

live!

in focus!



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“Set Our Ministry”
Consistency & Endurance!

lead!

serve!

“No One will Stumble Because
of us, and No One will Find
Fault with Our Ministry. In
Everything we do, we Show
We are Servants of God!”

live!

infocus!

2 COR 6: 3-4



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“Set Our Ministry”
Consistency & Endurance!

lead!

serve!

“Sacrifice” is Something
You Give to Someone Else
Without Necessary
Benefit to YOU!

live!

infocus!

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“Set Our Ministry”

Consistency & Endurance!

- ☞ Same Sacrifice!
- ☞ Same Spirit!
- ☞ Same Purpose!

lead!

serve!

live!

in focus!

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“Set Our Holiness”

Put Off & Put On!

“PUT OFF your Old Self, Which Belongs to Your Former Manner of Life ... Corrupt Through Deceitful Desires; PUT ON the New Self, Created after the Likeness of God in True Righteousness & Holiness!”

Eph 4: 22-24

lead!

serve!

live!

in focus!



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“Set Our Holiness”

SIN Can Kill a Church!

- ✘ Destroy the Testimony!
- ✘ Destroys Unity (Divisions)
- ✘ Makes Members Unfit for God's Service & Use!
- ✘ Destroys Ministry Effectiveness!

lead!

serve!

live!

in focus!



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“Set Our Holiness”

SIN Poisons a Church!

"Clean out the Old Leaven
that You May be a New
Lump!" 1 COR 5: 7

God Doesn't Grade SIN
on a Curve! Holiness is
the Standard!

lead!

serve!

live!

infocus!



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“Pastor D’s Priorities”

“Set My Face!”

- (1) Teaching!
- (2) Culture of Excellence!
- (3) Leadership Development!
- (4) Confront SIN!
- (5) Love - Members! NOT
Be a People Pleaser!

lead!

serve!

live!

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NCOM SIX MONTH REPORT CARD
2017 Theme “INFOCUS”

LEADING

SERVING

LIVING

AUDIT Analysis

EXCEPTIONAL (Excellence - this Area)

E

AVERAGE (Adequate in this Area)

A

NEEDS ATTENTION (Concerned Area)

NA

NEEDS IMMEDIATE ATTENTION
(Needs Immediate Attention)

NIA

NCOM SIX MONTH REPORT CARD

2017 Theme “INFOCUS”

LEADING

SERVING

LIVING

Report Card		Report Card		Report Card	
Christ First	A	Christ First	A	Christ First	A
Set Priorities	E	Set Priorities	A	Set Priorities	NA
G. Character	A	Good Works	A	Changed Life	A
Ministries	A	Faithful/Act	NA	Living Sober	NA
Meet Needs	A	Support	NIA	Minded	NA
Advancing NCOM's Mission	NA	Bear Fruit	A	Maturing	NA
B. Mediocrity	NA	Make a Difference	NA	Relationship With Others	NIA
Leaders		Members		Members	

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Culture - New Creation
Teach & Apply the Bible!

God Didn't Give Us the Bible to
Increase Our Knowledge ... He Gave
Us His Son, the Holy Spirit & His
Word to "Change Our Nature &
Behavior!"



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Culture - New Creation
Battle & Expose Sin & Mediocrity!

“If we **JUDGE** Ourselves Properly, We
Would Not Come Under **JUDGMENT!**”

1 Cor 11: 31

“Take **No Part** in and Have **No Fellowship**
with the Fruitless Deeds of Darkness (**SIN**)
but Instead **Expose** Them!”

Eph 5: 11

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Culture - New Creation
Battle & Expose Sin & Mediocrity!

“It is God who **JUDGEs** those
OUTSIDE (not part of the Church).
It’s Your Responsibility to **JUDGE**
those **INSIDE** (part of the Church)
who are **SINNING!**”

1 Cor 5: 12



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