

Family Meeting

April 27, 2025

Vision:

Our vision is to create disciples who Love God, Love Others, and make Disciples.

Core Values:

Gospel Driven | Discipleship Centered | Community Focused | Missional Minded.

Mission:

Our mission is to saturate the lives of others with the gospel of Jesus Christ, teaching them to be new disciples of Jesus that are connected to Godly community and will live on mission.

Expectations of Family Members:

Being a part of this family means being unified in the vision, core values, and mission. As a family, we come together to seek first God's Kingdom and righteousness by serving his church and the community in which God has placed us. By committing ourselves as a family to this mission, there are expectations to help continue building upon what God is and has been doing at Imago Dei Church. Expectations are as follows:

- Discipleship We believe this to be a vital piece of our identity and purpose as a family who are faithfully following Christ. Jesus had many disciples who made and had disciples. This allows you to be equipped spiritually and emotionally to live out God's purpose in your life.
- Community This is a great opportunity for people to experience community through a variety of ways, including small groups, which play an important role in a disciple's life, not just on Sundays but throughout the week. This means actively being a part of a small group.
- Serving Jesus himself said he did not come to be served but to serve. In any family, each member has a responsibility to serve the family. We believe each person in our family is uniquely gifted to serve and advance the Great Commission, so we want you to use your gifts in this way.
- Tithing Contribute financially to the mission of God. We see the example of 10% given in the Bible as a tithe, but we also see the example of the widow giving a coin in her poverty. Ultimately, tithe what the Lord lays on your heart.

Being committed to this as a family member means being committed to the expectations that have been laid out in being a part of this family.

Responsibilities of Pastors:

- Parker Next Generation (College & Youth 5th grade & up), & Financial.
- Grayson Children's Ministry, Sunday Setup, Shepherding, & Media.
- Ricky Teaching, Ministry School, & Vision.
- Taylor Discipleship, Small Groups, Family Membership, & Shepherding.





Where We Are Going

We desire to fulfill the Great Commission. For the rest of 2025, we will be focusing on these specific areas to continue the mission God has set us on. Focusing on continuing to facilitate our discipleship structure to facilitate growth as we have experienced.

- Discipleship Trainings/Videos
- New Leader/Student Guide

Laying a foundation for our family ministries that will allow us to better equip families to disciple their children. Creating experiences where children and students will feel connected to the church, experiencing biblical teaching on their level.

- Improving our Children's space & ministries.
- Establishing a healthy student ministry.
- Continuing to equip our College Students.

Creating more fellowship opportunities.

- Family Lunches
- Men's & Women's Conference

Adding more people to our elder leadership to establish and reaffirm our leadership structure as we move forward.

- New Elders
- Ordination Track

Discerning God's will for the place that He is calling us to long term.

- Praying for a building & location

Things We Need:

Worship:

- Nord Stage 5 88 Key Piano \$3,000
- Two 70-inch TV's \$1,000
- TV stands & modular box

Setup:

- Trailer \$5,500

Children's:

- Pack' N Play \$100
- Playcade Feet (hold play panels up) \$50 for 2