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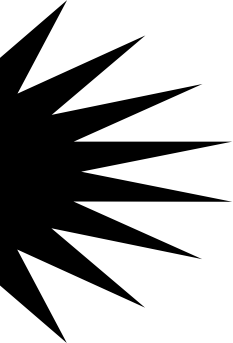
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Purpose of the Security Team



The Security Team exists to ensure a safe, protected, orderly worship environment for all members, guests, pastoral leadership, and children. The team provides discreet safety presence, rapid emergency response, and structured procedures to protect God's people and His house.

FUN FACT

Most people never notice good security—and that's exactly the goal.



What We Value

In order to serve at Red Bridge Omaha, you have to understand our **Mission** and **Vision**

MISSION

We form followers of Jesus who help others follow Him.

VISION

To see lives transformed into authentic believers who live like Jesus.

Our Culture

COLLABORATION

We Win Together!

At Red Bridge Omaha, we do ministry together. Just like the Body of Christ, every part matters, every gift plays a role, and every team wins when we work together. Collaboration is how we honor God and one another — combining our unique gifts toward one unified mission.

“For just as the body is one and has many members... so it is with Christ.” — 1 Corinthians 12:12 (ESV)

JOY-FILLED

Joy is Our Atmosphere

We show up joyfully, because serving Jesus is not a burden — it’s a gift. Joy fuels our attitude, our collaboration, and the atmosphere we create. We celebrate often, laugh easily, and carry a spirit that lifts every room we walk into.

“The joy of the LORD is your strength.” — Nehemiah 8:10 (ESV)

AUTHENTICITY

Real People, Real Transformation

We show up as real people transformed by a real God. Authenticity means we don’t pretend, we don’t perform, and we don’t hide. We lead from sincerity, serve from honesty, and let our lives reflect God’s ongoing work in us.

“Therefore, having put away falsehood, let each one of you speak the truth with his neighbor, for we are members one of another.” — Ephesians 4:25 (ESV)

HONEST

Truth in Every Word

We are people of integrity. We speak truth with love, keep our commitments, and do what’s right even when it’s difficult. Our words and actions align, and we represent Jesus with honesty in every situation — publicly and privately.

“Speak the truth in love.” — Ephesians 4:15 (ESV)

CONFIDENT HUMILITY

Secure, Teachable, & Dependent on God

We lead with confidence because God called us — and we serve with humility because we know we can’t do anything without Him. Confident humility means we bring our best, remain teachable, and give God all the glory for every win.

“God opposes the proud but gives grace to the humble.” — James 4:6 (ESV)

PURITY

Character Who Honors God

We pursue purity in heart, mind, and conduct. Purity is not perfection — it’s intentional alignment with God’s standards. We protect our character, set wise boundaries, and represent Christ well both publicly and privately.

“Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me.” — Psalm 51:10 (ESV)

GENEROSITY

Above and Beyond Living

Generosity is our posture. We go above and beyond with our time, energy, encouragement, and resources. We believe that giving is worship, serving is an honor, and abundance flows wherever generosity lives.

“Whoever sows bountifully will also reap bountifully.” — 2 Corinthians 9:6 (ESV)

OVER-COMMUNICATION

Clarity Builds Unity

We over-communicate for clarity. We communicate early, often, and proactively so no one is left guessing. We share the “why,” repeat what matters, and make sure everyone is aligned and equipped to move forward together. Clear communication strengthens our teams and keeps us unified in the mission.

“Write the vision; make it plain on tablet, so he may run who reads it.” — Habakkuk 2:2 (ESV)

KINDNESS

Compassion in Every Interaction

Kindness is our language. We choose compassion, patience, and honor in every interaction. Whether we’re interacting with guests, peers, or leaders, we intentionally display the heart of Jesus through the way we treat people.

“Be kind to one another, tenderhearted, forgiving one another, as God in Christ forgave you.” — Ephesians 4:32 (ESV)

FLEXIBLE

Ready for Anything

We stay ready to adjust, shift, and pivot without complaining. Ministry moves fast — and flexibility helps us move with grace. We embrace change, respond with a good attitude, and do whatever it takes to serve people well.

“I have become all things to all people, that by all means I might save some.” — 1 Corinthians 9:22 (ESV)

CREATIVITY

Heaven Driven Innovation

We imagine boldly, solve problems creatively, and innovate with excellence. Creativity is more than art — it’s a mindset that asks God for fresh ideas, new approaches, and heaven-driven solutions to impact people’s lives.

“Behold, I am doing a new thing...” — Isaiah 43:19 (ESV)

5 Building Security Procedures

Entrances & Exits

- Label and number all church entrances
- Lock all non-essential doors 15 minutes before service begins
- Ensure main sanctuary entrance remains monitored
- Maintain access awareness and traffic control

Sanctuary Security

- Monitor all three sanctuary doors
- One team member monitors internal sanctuary door after service begins
- One team member covers external sanctuary door until service begins
- Strategic rear seating for visibility and awareness

Key & Access Control

- Only designated leadership maintains keys
- Protect keys at all times
- Never share access without approval

Security Team Assignments

- Parking Lot Coverage
- Interior & Sanctuary Coverage
- Building & Exit Monitoring

6 Service Security Procedures

BEFORE SERVICE

- Arrive 30 minutes early
- Confirm cameras are functioning
- Parking lot monitoring begins 20 minutes before service
- Establish team security positions

DURING SERVICE

- Minimum of two security members inside sanctuary
- Maintain visibility without distraction
- Monitor exits and ensure clear walkways
- Maintain calm, observant posture

OFFERING PROTECTION

- Maintain guard formation
- Escort offering securely
- Place funds immediately in safe
- Ensure safe remains locked

AFTER SERVICE

- Escort offering to secure counting location
- Restrict access to authorized personnel only
- Escort deposit transportation
- Conduct full building sweep
- Ensure all entrances and exits are secured

Meetings & Gatherings

- Wednesday Prayer & Bible Study— **Strongly Encouraged**
- Bridge Builders Meetings –**Mandatory** (Communicate if Unable)
- Sunday Morning Prayer at **9:30AM** (When Scheduled to Serve)
- Ready to serve by **9:45AM** (When Scheduled to Serve)

Surveillance & Monitoring

- Sanctuary cameras active for all services & events
 - Exterior and parking lot cameras recommended
 - Retain footage a minimum of 30 days
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Emergency Preparedness & Response

- Medical emergency response (CPR / First Aid)
 - Fire evacuation procedures
 - Disruption control and de-escalation
 - Threat response / lockdown procedures
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Training & Development

- Monthly security team meetings
- Participation in safety and security training
- Quarterly emergency scenario drills

Red Bridge App

We have a church app that helps with scheduling, events, and group chats for each ministry team.

We **strongly** encourage you to utilize the app to your advantage. There, you can view your serving schedule, adjust your availability, and connect with your team.

If you have any questions, you can also reach out directly through the app.

This is a great way not only to serve but to connect and engage with our church family. One of our Pastors' missions is building community and connection, and this tool helps us do just that.

To find our app, **search "Red Bridge Omaha"** in your device's App Store!

