Project POAB Priesthood of All Believers

A priesthood of believers, reaching up to God, reaching inward to each other, and reaching out to our neighbors, both near and far.

Vision

Forest Hills Bible Chapel exists to proclaim the excellencies of God, who called us out of the darkness into His wonderful light.

Mission

- God We believe in the only true and living God Father, Son, and Holy Spirit our Creator, Redeemer, and Sustainer. Our hope, faith, and salvation are in Him alone.
- Church Family God calls people to belong to Jesus Christ, the head of the Church, and to join with one another as members of His household.
- **People** All people matter to God, and He is seeking to reconcile them to Himself. As people of God and ambassadors for Christ, God calls us to love our neighbors as ourselves.

- Scripture God has spoken and continues to speak in and through Scripture about Himself and His will for us. The Bible is our final authority for life and faith, teaching us the truth about God as Creator, our rebellion, His work to restore us, and our new life with Him now and forever.
- **Gospel** The Good News of Jesus His coming as Messiah; His death, burial and resurrection; and His return as Judge and Savior is the only door through which we can enter into a relationship with God. God calls all people to repent and believe in His Son Jesus.

- Worship God is worthy of our enthusiastic praise. As we come to know God, we are moved to display ever-increasing gratitude and love for Him by our words and our lives.
- **Prayer** God hears and acts when we pray. He invites us to approach Him as children approach their father: in dependence and faith and with persistence.

- **Priesthood of All Believers** God calls all Christians to intercede for each other, to serve one another with our gifts, and to be His witnesses in the world around us in word and life.
- **Maturity** God calls us to be fully devoted followers of Jesus. We seek to become people of Christlike integrity in our character and conduct.
- Unity and Diversity God calls believers to be united in their faith, in their pursuit of Christ, and in their acceptance of all those whom God has accepted. "In essentials, unity. In nonessentials, diversity. In all things, charity."