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To everything
there is a

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a time for every purpose
under heaven

Ecclesiastes 3:1

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MISSION DETERMINES VISION

Luke 9:2;



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- Given in 1995 as the mission statement for Carmel.
- (NKJV) He sent them to preach the Kingdom of God and heal the sick.
- (Passion) Then He commissioned them to preach God's Kingdom realm and to heal the sick to demonstrate that the kingdom had arrived.

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WHY WE NEED VISION

Proverbs 29:18;



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- **(NASB) Where there is no vision, the people are unrestrained, But happy is he who keeps the law.**
- **(Passion) When there is no clear prophetic vision, people quickly wander astray. But when you follow the revelation of the word, heaven's bliss fills your soul.**
- **(TLB) Where there is ignorance of God, crime runs wild; but what a wonderful thing it is for a nation to know and keep his laws.**

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VISION REVEALS THE PLAN OF GOD

Habakkuk 2:2-4; (NASB)



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- Then the Lord answered me and said, “Record the vision And inscribe it on tablets, That the one who reads it may run.”
- “For the vision is yet for the appointed time; It hastens toward the goal and it will not fail. Though it tarries, wait for it; For it will certainly come, it will not delay.”
- The vision for this church is about God’s intended purpose.

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VISION REVEALS THE PLAN OF GOD

Vision helps us see where we are going.



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- **Just as natural vision is important to see where we are going, and what we need to build, so is spiritual vision necessary to guide us into the plan of the Lord.**
- **Vision requires a two fold revelation;**
 - (i) the ability to see with the eye of faith the image of what God is showing you,**
 - (ii) the ability of the Holy Spirit to interpret the vision in a manner that enables you to do it.**

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VISION ACTIVATES INTEREST

Ephesians 4:13; (NASB)



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- The entire Bible is about God's vision. It was written to you, for you and about you. His purpose for creation was for all men, women and children of every age, race and culture in the entire world to KNOW Him.
- The PURPOSE of vision is that all of His creation to “attain the unity of the faith, and of the knowledge of the Son God, to a MATURE man, to the measure of the statute which belongs to the fullness of Christ.”

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VISION REQUIRES PARTICIPATION

Vision to progress must go from conceptual to practical



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- **There is a four step process to participation**
 - **1. Instructing - Making it easy to understand.**
 - **2. Delegating - Releasing people to run with it.**
 - **3. Empowering - Equipping those that want to run.**
 - **4. Establishing - Coaching them to succeed and excel.**

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OUR VISION - Has a Four Phase Plan



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THE PLAN - Has a Process



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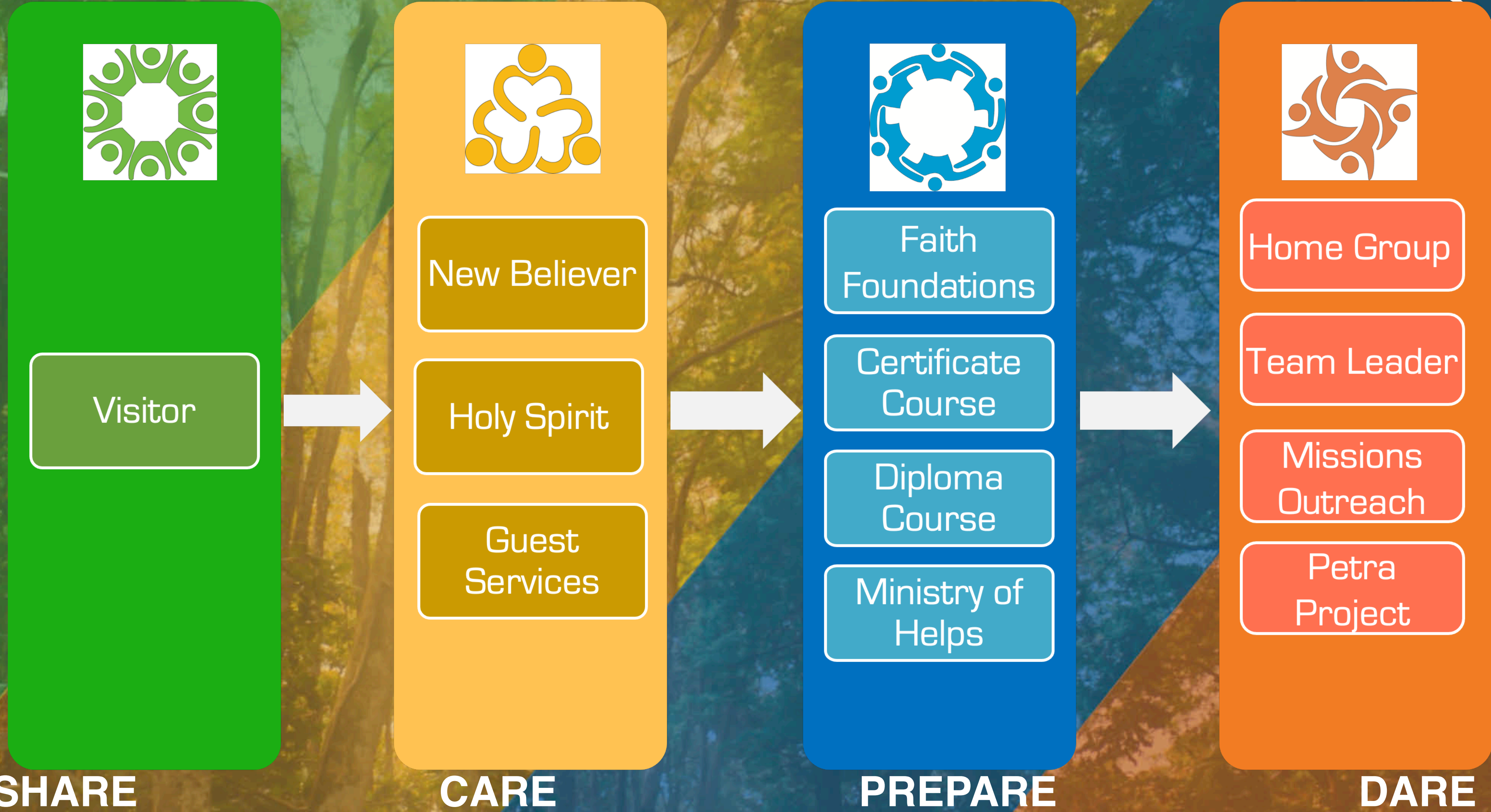
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THE PROCESS - Every Member a Minister



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THE GOVERNANCE OF THE MINISTRY



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Acts 15:3-4; They reported all that God had done....

- **The Church is a 501(c)3 registered with the IRS as a Charitable Organization with five board members.**
- **I serve as the president and a board member.**
 - Brother Charles Graham - board member**
 - Pastor Paul Brady - board member**
 - Pastor Craig Watson - board member**
 - Pastor Zack Ayers - board member**
 - Pastor Michelle Di Somma serves as secretary**
- **The board meets twice a year and more if needed, to discuss budgets, vision and any related ministry needs.**

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THE STRUCTURE OF THE CHURCH

1 Timothy 3:1-6; An overseer, then, must be above reproach...

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- The daily organizing and care of the church and its members is overseen by the following people.
- I serve as the Senior Pastor with Michelle, assisted by three Overseers and their Team Leaders; Pst Zack Ayers for Equipping, Pst Stan Rule for Pastoral and Mr Dennis Johnson for Assets.
- Jessica Sullivan assists with the administration in the church. Jessie Isom takes care of the children's ministry needs.

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LOOKING BACK OVER 2022

Many are the plans in a man's heart

- These were the main goals we set for 2022
- 1. Taking ownership of the church property. ✓
- 2. Build a center that best serves the community. ✓
- 3. Turn the Teaching Center into a full time College. ✓
- 4. Increase the visibility of our Home School Hub. ✓
- 5. Participate in Community Activities . ✓

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“TEAM UP”- WHAT WE ACCOMPLISHED



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Together Everyone Achieves More and Understands Purpose

January:

Started CBC - Pilot Program

February:

CMA Southeast TX Rally - Seasons of Refreshing

March:

Fresh Fire Conference with Turning Point Ministries Intl.

April:

NMA Sunrise Service @ Needville Harvest Fest Park

Needville Youth Fair Parade Entry - 1st place award

May

A Man Thing Conference with John George

July:

Needville Freedom Festival @ Needville Harvest Fest Park: NMA Vacation Bible School

August:

Signs, Wonders, & Miracles with Dr. Guy & Ilke Pey

September:

2022 CBC Pilot Program Graduation

A God Thing Conference with Pastors Paul & Karen Brady

November:

Exceptional Women's Conference with Pastor Heather Ardoin

December:

Needville Country Christmas (Downtown Needville)
Carmel Kids Christmas Production

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TOGETHER WE ARE STRONGER

Ecclesiastes 4:9-12 (TLB)



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We had about 5200 come through our doors for meetings, events and conferences during the year. There was a least 167 Salvations that was recorded 12 Believers got Baptized. 9 individuals completed the Faith Foundations course. 11.5 Graduated from Carmel Bible College. 20 Completed Prayer Helpers. Our Home School Hub Has 7 children now attending

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THE WORD FOR 2023

ECCLESIASTES 3:1; (NKJV)



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- **To everything there is a season, a time for every purpose under heaven:**
- **(MSG) There's an opportune time to do things, a right time for everything on the earth:**
- **(BBE) For everything there is a fixed time, and a time for every business under the sun.**

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THE WORD FOR 2023

THREE THINGS THE LORD SPOKE ABOUT THIS NEXT SEASON

- **Finding your Place.**

This means that when God wants to invade a territory He raises up a family to take over that place.

- **Flowing in your Grace.**

It is in the presence of God that the anointing flows that gives the strategy to change our environment and to prosper.

- **Staying in your Race.**

We need to be watchful not to get distracted or discouraged in the place where God has positioned us to prosper, spirit, soul and body.

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FINDING YOUR PLACE

1 Corinthians 12:18-20 (NASB)



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- But now God has placed the members, each one of them, in the body, just as He desired. If they were all one member, where would the body be? But now there are many members, but one body.
- We have a responsibility as individuals to find our place where we have been placed by God. So as to fulfill His purpose for our lives. The most natural place to start is to do what comes easy to you.

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FLOWING IN YOUR GRACE

Colossians 3:16-17; teaching and admonishing one another.



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- Your Grace is that which God has endowed you with, that does not come naturally but rather flows through the anointing of the Holy Spirit.
- When you are faithful with that which belongs to God, He will then entrust to you that which is your own.
- The Holy Spirit encounters you have in God's house will carry you into your future outside in the community.

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STAYING IN YOUR RACE

1 Corinthians 9:24; Run in such a way to win....



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- In every New Season there are challenges because where you are going you have not been there before.
- We draw strength from the knowledge that where we are going God has already been and He is showing us the way to navigate there.
- You cannot enter the door of the new if you are not willing to close the door of what has been.

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THE GOALS FOR 2023

Joshua 1:6; you shall give this people possession of the land....



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- The first goal for 2023 is to close on the property here before the end of February and take ownership of 12412 Highway 36, Needville.
- Next to begin to upgrade the Teaching Center with more classrooms and offices to accommodate the growth of the Bible College and Homeschool Hub.
- To build new rest rooms at the outside of the gymnasium to better facilitate the use of it.

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THE GOALS FOR 2023

Mark 16:15; Go into all the world to preach the Gospel....



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- **Most urgent is to initiate our R3 YOUTH and student program. Reaching out to students between the ages of 11-17 years with the gospel of Christ.**
- **Carmel: Young Adults is set to start up in the spring, this is from 18 years and upward to help them navigate the life skills needed to succeed in life.**
- **PETRA is a vital link between church and community that needs lots of support and participation. Training and support is on going. Every life matters for eternity.**

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THE GOALS FOR 2023

Deuteronomy 30:5; He will prosper you and multiply you....



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- **Bring a greater influence of God into the community, through teaching and training on practical issues. Like health, finance, relationship and personal development.**
- **Invite the community to explore ways to know and grow what others do in the community. Open markets for people to share their skills and merchandise with others.**
- **The church has always been the center of a community to assist and aid the community to be self sustaining.**

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FUTURE GOALS FOR 2023

Deuteronomy 6:7; You shall teach them diligently to your children..

- To investigate the possibility of opening a Preschool facility that is parent led to help feed into Carmel's Homeschool Hub.
- Explore growing vegetables to help meet the needs in the community of those who lack resources.
- Build student accommodation to house short term international students for ministry training.

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THE GOALS FOR 2023

Isaiah 45:3; I will give you the treasures of darkness....



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- **What God orders He pays for, it is our sincere desire to believe that what He spoke through His prophet will come to pass.**
- **God does not ask us to pay for it but to believe for it. We need to do our part in being diligent to carry out all that He has spoken.**
- **When Jesus sent out His disciples, He sent them without a purse, because in their going the resources they needed was in their obedience to carry out His directive.**
- **We will continue to carry out the directives that God has given.**

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UPCOMING CONFERENCES

Isaiah 45:3; I will give you the treasures of darkness....



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- **FEBRUARY - Fresh Fire Conference**
- **MAY - It's a Man Thing Conference**
- **JUNE - Signs, Wonders and Miracle**
- **SEPTEMBER - A God Thing Conference**
- **NOVEMBER - Exceptional Women's Conference**
- **Not to mention all the other events that are going on.**

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GRATEFUL FOR THOSE THAT SERVE

Hebrews 12:28;-29; Let us show gratitude.....



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- We have only come this far to date because of those who have caught the vision and run with it. We would not have achieved what we have without y'all's help.
- For those that are unsure about getting involved, we will work with what you are able to do and commit to, we do realize that people have a life and are busy.
- Let me encourage you to get involved this will help you develop your gifts and strengthen your character.

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HOW TO GET INVOLVED

Taking care of business



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- After the this morning's service please visit the different departments at their information tables in the gym.
- Success is where preparation meets opportunity. This is an opportunity to serve your family and community and bring about a spiritual change in our area.
- Our faithfulness to God's purpose always produces His blessings; spirit, soul and body.
- When you take care of God's business, God will take care of you.

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HOW TO GET INVOLVED

Find out more.....



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- This presentation will be posted on our website that can be found on www.carmelglobal.org.
- It will also be available on our church app, 'Carmel Global,' This will also have the full audio and visual presentation and a copy of the pdf.
- Don't forget to take the Vision Booklet with you as a reminder of who we are, what we believe, and what we are believing God for. Thank you for being here.

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