

Our ten cities church planting initiative.



CITIES CHURCHES

WHY PLANT CHURCHES?

JESUS COMMANDED us to make disciples - to lead people to follow Jesus together. *Matthew 28:20*

JESUS EMPOWERED us by His Holy Spirit to share the Gospel. "When the Holy Spirit comes upon you, you will receive power to be my witnesses." *Acts 1:8*

JESUS SPOKE to us with a specific assignment of 10 cities in Trumbull County. We believe in Jesus' promise in John 10 that He's our Good Shepherd and speaks to us personally through His Holy Spirit. Check out our video at transformtrumbull.com to hear the story of God confirming His call on our church to plant churches.

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When safety and prosperity become our passions, we can be sure we've abandoned the pursuit of our God-given destiny in favor of a sub-standard life.

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THE PILLAR OF TRUTH is the local church where pastors preach the Gospel giving the truth of Jesus Christ that sets people free from the bondage of sin and giving new life and hope for Heaven. The local church is also where believers are equipped to do the work of the ministry in reaching others [Eph. 4:11-2]. We believe people don't need more money or more stuff. We believe people need to know Jesus. That is where they will find why they are alive! That is where they will find true joy!

"The family of God is the church of the living God.

It is the pillar and foundation of the truth."

1 TIMOTHY 3:15, NIRV

GOD IS SPEAKING this same calling to our network leaders at the Ohio Ministry Network. January 1, 2020 marked the launch of a 10 year plan to see 250,000 new believers and 1,000 new churches! Visit transformtrumbull.com to learn more about what God is speaking to the entire state of Ohio. We aim to respond to God like Samuel.

"Speak, for your servant is listening."

1 SAMUEL 3:10, NIV

We believe God is raising up men and women with the calling to preach the truth and love found in Jesus Christ.

We believe God is raising up sons and daughters of this house who will move from disciple to disciple maker and we'll see a great harvest of people joining the family of God.

We believe that we are apart of a revival that has begun in Northeast Ohio. We believe that God's Spirit is awakening a sleeping giant, the church, a "gulliver" who has been asleep in apathy and fear for years.

We see Him rising in unity and grace. In faith, we join our hearts together with God's to see Trumbull County transformed by the love and power of Jesus Christ. We now realize that we get to play a part. Our faith matters. Jesus has called us. Empowered us. Anointed us. To preach the good news and set the prisoner free. We are a part of this move of God.

"The Spirit of the Lord is on me, because He has anointed me to proclaim good news to the poor.

He has sent me to proclaim freedom for the prisoners and recovery of sight for the blind, to set the oppressed free, to proclaim the year of the Lord's favor."

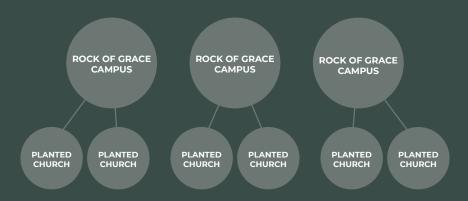
LUKE 4:18-19, NIV



HOW?

We are planting churches who will plant churches. This multiplication mindset moves Christians from being believer to disciples. We will see people move from believing to obeying the Great Commission by joining a Launch Team where they can serve others while using their gifts. In this, God will transform our region for His glory! We're leading people to follow Jesus together!

We began in 2018 by planting a campus in Cortland. In January 2022, we opened our next campus in Warren. We are now aiming to plant an autonomous church once per year. Each new church plant will receive what they need to get started and succeed: Coaching, Care and Cash. These churches will have their own name, leadership and governance. Each will share our desire to transform Trumbull County and cast the vision to give the resources for orphan care, addiction recovery and genuine life transformation through Jesus. While these new churches are unique and autonomous, they will be united with us through the Gospel and our 10 cities vision. Learn more at **transformtrumbull.com**.





VISION FOR OUR FUTURE

WHAT IF God is giving us a vision for future generations? What if our decision today impacts the faith of our grandkids? We believe that is exactly what we are doing. It's noble to leave behind a financial inheritance for your children, but what if you left behind places of worship where future gernerations can find hope in Jesus for years to come?

"Only be strong and very courageous, being careful to do according to all the law that Moses my servant commanded you. Do not turn from it to the right hand or to the left, that you may have good success wherever you go."

JOSHUA 1:7, ESV

A GENERATION OF WORSHIPERS will be raised up through DAVIDU, a training program to equip worship leaders and pastors who will create Kingdom culture with their giftings as they learn to surrender to the Holy Spirit and glorify Jesus in all things. We have the chance to give them that opportunity. We have the privilege of creating the future.

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Trumbull County will be changed by the power of Jesus!



OUR BOLD PRAYERS FOR 2030

- 140 waiting children placed in forever homes and loved
- Reduce violent crimes from 307 to 250 incidents or less annually
- Reduce overdose deaths from 140 to 100 individuals or less annually
- · Reduce the amount of single-parent households with children in Trumbull County from 35% to 25%

Jesus said, "I am the Way, the Truth and the Life!" John 14:6. A nation isn't changed for the better by better laws. It's changed when states are changed, when cities are changed, when individuals are changed from the inside out by the work of God's grace. As God makes someone born again, they are given a new nature, one that is not only able to do the right thing but desires to do the right thing. This is the transformation of a nation. This is the transformation of an entire county. By 2030, Trumbull County will be known for life!

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GLORIFYING GOD IN ALL THINGS
ADVANCING THE KINGDOM
AND ABOVE ALL ELSE, WE LOVE