



The Edge Foursquare Church Core Values

1. Presence: "I will be with you" is a promise made by God to all His kids! Those who discover the value of His presence enter realms of intimacy with God never previously considered possible. Out of this relationship arises a ministry of power that formerly was only a dream. The incomprehensible becomes possible because He is with us. (Ex. 3:12; Jn. 14:18, Acts 2:28)
2. Power of the Holy Spirit: The third person of the Trinity, the Holy Spirit, was sent to dwell in the hearts of believers. Through the power of the Spirit, we are drawn closer to Christ, taught all things pertaining to Him and empowered to live as Jesus lived. His power in and through us transforms lives, heals the sick, breaks down walls and reveals the love of the Father. It is with His gifts that we accomplish what God has set out for us. (Jn. 14, 16:1-15; Acts 1:4-8; 1 Cor. 12; Gal. 5:13-26)
3. The Word of God: God's word is living and active, bringing renewal to hearts and minds. The Word is also Jesus (John 1) and as His followers we value knowing Him and His ways, which is done through encountering the Holy Scriptures. We find our moral compass and our Father's heart by knowing and growing in His Word. (Jn. 1:1-15; Heb. 4:12; 2 Cor. 4:2)
4. Sonship: Those who believe in Jesus are given the right to become the children of God. As His sons and daughters we are no longer orphans and have great value. It is more important to know who we are in Christ than what we do FOR Him. We value being who He has called us to be and to be a place where orphans can become sons and daughters! (Jn. 14:18; Rom. 8:1-17)
5. Relationship: The government of heaven is built on family and relationship. Jesus ushered in this government, which we call the kingdom of God. This government is ruled by the two greatest commandments: love God and love others. We want to be a kingdom family that adds to our family daily. (Gen. 1:26-28; Mat. 22:33-40)
6. Church as a Team: We value Christ in YOU, the hope of glory! With that in mind, we know you have much to offer. Together we form Christ's body, which has many parts. As His body, we will do what He has asked us as a team, in unity and love, to do. (Jn. 13:35; Rom. 12:10; 2 Cor. 13:1)
7. Continual Growth: Becoming like Christ is a process, a journey. Therefore, we need to be continually growing in our relationship with God and others both spiritually and in character until we all come to the unity of faith and become like Him. (Jn. 15:1-16; Ps. 1:1-3; 92:12-15)