

# LIVING WATERS

## SMITHFIELD FOURSQUARE CHURCH

### Dear Living Waters Family,

There are many challenges in life that we must assume. As a ministry that God has raised and established in this time, we are getting prepared to receive the year 2019 to mark the beginning of a new stage in our history as Living Waters Church. This implies changes that will be necessary to reach the goal, changes that we must be willing to understand and accept, knowing that our trust is placed in God, who has in His hands the control of all things.

### The Best Is Yet To Come

We started the year 2018 with the theme "Renaissance", through which we have set out to evaluate and implement adjustments and necessary changes in the general work and direction of the church. Starting the year 2019, we will be reorganizing our programs and services with the objective of having a better community direction, evangelism and missions. Our message is not changing, nor our mission, but we do want to improve our strategy to spread the Gospel in a more effective way that has no limits.

### Re-imagine Living Waters

In recent years, "RE-IMAGINE" has been a key term in the development and effect of the Foursquare International Movement, through which, also God has been speaking to our hearts, so that we can re-imagine the church of today, and thus be able to consider and implement strategies that help us to fulfill our mission and reach the vision, at a higher level, of course, under the guidance of the Holy Spirit.

### Reinforce Your Stakes

In the book of Isaiah, there is a Word that we need to review because it is essential for what we are going to do during this new stage of the Church. "Enlarge the place of your tent, and let them stretch out the curtains of your dwellings; do not spare; lengthen your cords, and strengthen your stakes." ISA 54.2

### Five Important Functions of the Church

Using the standard of the Church in the New Testament as a basis, there are five key functions that we need, review, redefine, and also reapply in today's Church.

<sup>42</sup> And they continued steadfastly in the apostles' doctrine and fellowship, in the breaking of bread, and in prayers. <sup>43</sup> Then fear came upon every soul, and many wonders and signs were done through the apostles. <sup>44</sup> Now all who believed were together, and had all things in common, <sup>45</sup> and sold their possessions and goods, and divided them among all, as anyone had need. <sup>46</sup> So continuing daily with one accord in the temple, and breaking bread from house to house, they ate their food with gladness and simplicity of heart, <sup>47</sup> praising God and having favor with all the people. And the Lord added to the church daily those who were being saved. Acts 2.42-47

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DISCIPLESHIP

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FELLOWSHIP

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WORSHIP

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SERVICE

5

EVANGELISM

- 1** **DISCIPLESHIP ... *persevered in the doctrine of the apostles***  
The care and occupation in the Word, leads to permanence and brings edification, in the life of those who have prepared to serve God.
- 2** **FELLOWSHIP ... *persevered in communion with one another***  
Establishing an environment of friendship and communion is very important, for both believers and non-believers. Where the central topic of conversation should be Christ and His plan in the life of each person.
- 3** **WORSHIP ... *persevered in the worship of God***  
Exalting and blessing the Name of God individually and collectively, must be a lifestyle. As we understand and do this, God manifests himself by imparting His Power.
- 4** **SERVICE ... *they persevered in meeting the needs of each other***  
Just as Christ modeled a life of "SERVICE", we all have been called to "SERVE", and do it in a way that could have a supernatural effect.
- 5** **EVANGELISM ... *And the Lord added to the church every day those who were to be saved.***  
This is the most important occupation in terms of the "Great Commission," which the Lord gave to His church, to which we all have been called.

## **RE-IMAGINE IS OFFICIAL FROM JANUARY 6, 2019**

On November 3, 2018, we launched "The Gathering), on Sunday mornings, from 9:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. It is a general meeting for all, believers and non-believers, which provides elements of Worship, Word and Prayer.

Beginning January 6, 2019, every Sunday at "The Gathering", from 9:30 am to 10:30 am, we hope to include additional classes of Word study, with outstanding topics for different groups (youth, adults, marriages, and others).

Then, from 11:00 am, it will be the new schedule of a single Sunday Celebration service; Understanding that we are a multi-ethnic church, it is our commitment to provide what is necessary, so that everyone can participate in their respective language.

NOTE: There will be additional changes that will affect the different activities of the week, we hope to communicate as soon as they are defined.

Please update your contact information in our Church Administration Platform, Planning Center, by visiting our website; [www.livingwatersri.org](http://www.livingwatersri.org), click on "Get Connected"

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