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DISCIPLESHIP PATHWAY 2024

PRACTICING THE WAY OF JESUS

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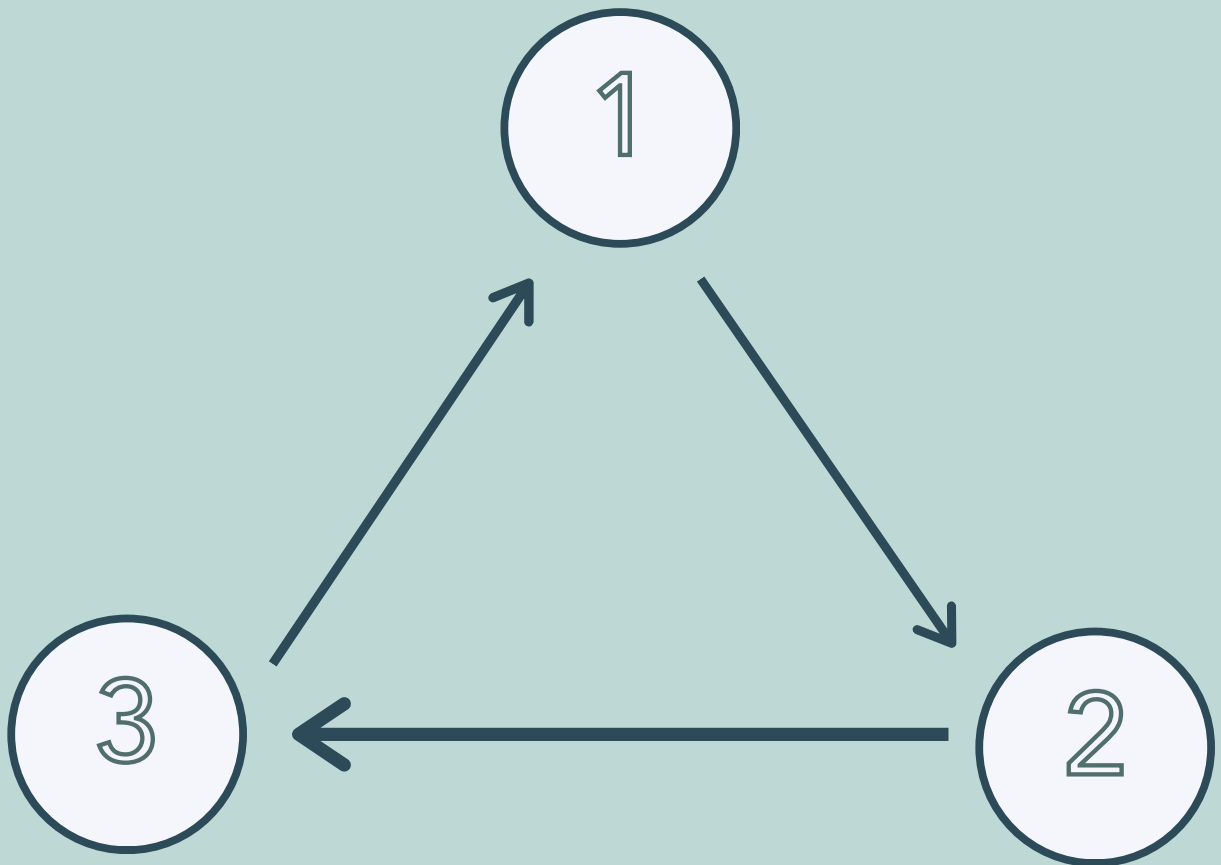
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BE WITH JESUS



DO WHAT JESUS DID

LEARN FROM JESUS



Ministry for Jesus flows from intimacy with Jesus. -Jeremy Treat



BE WITH JESUS

AND HE WENT UP ON THE MOUNTAIN AND CALLED TO HIM THOSE HE HIMSELF WANTED. AND THEY CAME TO HIM. THEN HE APPOINTED TWELVE, THAT THEY MIGHT BE WITH HIM AND THAT HE MIGHT SEND THEM OUT TO PREACH.

MARK 3:13-14

SUNDAY GATHERINGS
COMMUNITY GROUPS
CORE GROUPS
PRAYER & WORSHIP
GATHERINGS
RETREATS
SPIRITUAL FORMATION



Learning from Jesus is not about gaining information but allowing transformation.

LEARN FROM JESUS

COME TO ME, ALL YOU WHO LABOR AND ARE HEAVY LADEN, AND I WILL GIVE YOU REST. TAKE MY YOKE UPON YOU AND LEARN FROM ME, FOR I AM GENTLE AND LOWLY IN HEART, AND YOU WILL FIND REST FOR YOUR SOULS. FOR MY YOKE IS EASY AND MY BURDEN IS LIGHT.

MATTHEW 11:28-30

ALPHA
THE EXCHANGE 101
EMOTIONALLY HEALTHY
RELATIONSHIPS (EHR)
FINANCIAL PEACE
LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT
PREMARITAL COUNSELING
PARENTING CLASS
THE MISSIONAL LIFE COURSE



We become like Jesus as we do what He did.

DO WHAT JESUS DID

MOST ASSUREDLY, I SAY TO YOU, HE WHO BELIEVES IN ME, THE WORKS THAT I DO HE WILL DO ALSO; AND GREATER WORKS THAN THESE HE WILL DO, BECAUSE I GO TO MY FATHER.

JOHN 14:12

BAPTISM
SERVING
GIVING
LOCAL OUTREACH
MISSION TRIPS
DOING JUSTICE
LEADING
MISSIONAL LIVING

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DO WHAT JESUS DID



1

BE WITH JESUS

Sunday Gatherings

Our weekly collective gatherings happen every Sunday morning. You can expect authentic community, engaging worship, teaching from the Bible, and encountering God through worship, prayer, giving, & communion. You will be encouraged and lovingly challenged.

theexchangechurch.cc/Sundays

When:

Sunday
Mornings

Where:

In-person &
Online

Community Groups

Groups are small gatherings that meet weekly. Our goal is to experience life together and grow in our love for Jesus. We have three group seasons throughout the year.

theexchangechurch.cc/groups

When:

Groups pause
during the
months of
April, August,
& December

Where:

Throughout all
of South
Florida

Core Groups

Core Groups are organically organized with the goal to gather regularly with 3-5 people of the same gender, to press in together as disciples of Jesus, and practice the disciplines and practices of the Christian life.

theexchangechurch.cc/groups

When:
Groups pause during the months of April, August, & December)

Prayer & Worship Gatherings

Prayer is at the center of everything we do. We don't just want to be a church that prays but a praying church. Prayer is our identity. We pray in large groups, small groups, in person, or online. We meet in homes, engage in prayer walks throughout the city, and gather in prayer before our Sunday services. We pray for revival, healing, salvation, and the renewal of South Florida.

theexchangechurch.cc/prayer

When:
Visit the calendar for a list of events
Where:
In-person & Online

Retreats

Retreats are opportunities to get away from one's normal life for the purpose of reconnecting with Jesus and others. These will tend to be filled with community, worship, prayer, and relaxation.

Retreats are a time to connect with others at The Exchange and with God.

[**theexchangechurch.cc/calendar**](http://theexchangechurch.cc/calendar)

When:
Events occur throughout the year for adults & youth. See website for details.

Spiritual Formation

We all have the personal responsibility to develop our walk with the Lord. Spiritual formation is the practice of removing yourself from the day-to-day to enter the presence of God through prayer, study (reading the Bible and Biblical and Christian literature), and self-reflection.

[**theexchangechurch.cc/formation**](http://theexchangechurch.cc/formation)

How:
Sign up for the Exchange 101 to learn more about personal spiritual formation

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LEARN FROM JESUS

Alpha

Alpha is for anyone and everyone interested in exploring the deeper questions of life, faith, and God. Each meeting gives an individual the opportunity to explore life's tough questions, find answers, and explore the basics of the Christian Faith. Alpha is run all around the globe and everyone is welcome.

theexchangechurch.cc/alpha

When:
September &
October
Where:
Quiet Waters
Elementary
Cost:
Free

The Exchange 101

The Exchange 101 is a four-part course designed to introduce you to our story, vision, core values, next steps in a person's spiritual journey, and how to grow in community. Our hope is by the end of the course you will know Jesus better and take the next step by joining a community group or serving on a team.

theexchangechurch.cc/exchange101

When: Sundays for
4 weeks in
February and
October
Where:
Quiet Waters
Elementary
Cost:
Free

Premarital Counseling

Premarital counseling is offered throughout the year to dating and engaged couples who are pursuing a lifelong commitment to marriage together. Premarital topics include the marriage covenant, expectations in marriage, finances, parenting, romance, & friendship. For more information on premarital counseling, email josiah@theexchangechurch.cc

When:
Ongoing
throughout
the year
Where: In-
person &
online

Financial Peace

This 9-week life-changing program teaches us how to better steward all God has given us including our finances. You'll be empowered with practical skills based on biblical principles giving you the confidence needed to set and achieve your financial goals—resulting in true financial peace! Check out our calendar for the upcoming courses.
theexchangechurch.cc/calendar

When:
Summer
Where:
TBD
Cost:
\$99

The Missional Life Course

The Missional Life Course is a 10-week course on the basics of missional living, designed to help everyday followers of Jesus learn how to live and exercise a compelling faith in a secular age.

Learn more about the course: missionallife.co

When:
Wednesday
Evenings
Starting in June-
July
Cost: \$10

Parenting Course

Parents, join us as we go through the book "Raising Passionate Jesus Followers: The Power of Intentional Parenting" by Phil and Diane Comer. Raising Passionate Jesus Followers is a manual full of practical, biblically based, and time-tested guidelines that parents will be able to turn to through every stage of their children's development.

theexchangechurch.cc/groups

When: April -
May
Where: Quiet
Waters
Elementary
Price: \$30

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DO WHAT JESUS DID

Baptism

Baptism follows the example set by Christ publicly declaring your new life and commitment to Him. We practice baptism by immersion in water. We have several baptisms throughout the year. To learn more or register for our next baptism visit: theexchangechurch.cc/baptism

When:
See calendar
Where:
Deerfield
Beach Pier

Serving

We are called to serve our creator and one another. Through the privilege of serving others, we can make a difference in the lives of others. At the Exchange, there are many opportunities and needs, for your various gifts and talents. Explore opportunities from service oversight to the communications team to serving with next-gen. For a full list of teams and how to get involved visit: theexchangechurch.cc/serve

When:
Teams serve throughout the year depending on the individual's chosen rhythm.

Giving

Through Christ's example, we live generous lives by giving our money, time, and resources. Because of generosity, we have the opportunity to serve our community while spreading the message of Jesus.

For ways to give visit:
theexchangechurch.cc/give

How:

You can give online through Pushpay. By giving through your ACH, the expense fee is lessened which allows your gift to do more for ministry.

Local Outreach

We seek to be a purposeful presence in the community to share the love of Jesus by meeting needs and loving people. This can look like evangelism through sports groups, clubs, and events at FAU, etc. You can find more information about upcoming outreach opportunities online through our calendar and by connecting with your community group leader.

theexchangechurch.cc/outreach

When:

Visit the outreach page on the church's website for upcoming events and outreach groups.

Doing Justice

Our desire as a church is to seek justice locally and globally. We do this through giving and partnering with other justice-seeking organizations here in south Florida, nationally, and across the globe. We understand the importance of partnership, learning from others who are working on the front lines, and education. Our ministry partners include 4Kids of South Florida, Compassion International, Firewall Centers, & Lifesong for Orphans.

How:

You can give online through Pushpay. By giving through your ACH, the expense fee is lessened which allows your gift to do more for ministry.

Missions

God calls us to go and make disciples of all nations. One way we do this is through annual short-term missions. Typically in the spring or summer, The Exchange partners with organizations abroad to share the gospel, support economic and sustainable aid to an impoverished community, and provide relief and respite to missionaries on the field every day. To learn about upcoming mission trips visit: theexchangechurch.cc/missions

How:

Visit the mission page on our website for information about upcoming trips and opportunities.

Leading

We want to make disciples who make disciples. Our relationship with Jesus doesn't stop with us. Our hope is that as you grow in your walk with Christ you will be able to pour into others. Exchange leaders motivate, teach, and exhort other people to become more like Jesus. This looks like leading or co-leading a community or core group or leading a class or training, being an alpha group table leader, etc.

theexchangechurch.cc/lead

Missional Living

Live like a missionary. A disciple is sent into the world to proclaim the gospel in word and deed. We are ambassadors for Christ sent by God to reach our neighbors, coworkers, family, and the world in His name. We can do this through building relationships, sharing the gospel and our stories, praying, and having intentional spiritual conversations.



SUPPORT TO THE PATHWAY

TRAININGS

Equipping leaders to make disciples (team nights, team meeting, etc.)

EVENTS

Local events for the church body and the local community.

Resource List

Book Recommendations

Leadership

Emotionally Healthy Leadership
(Pete Scazzero)
Leadershift
(John C. Maxwell)
21 Irrefutable Laws of Leadership
(John C. Maxwell)
Developing the Leaders Around You
(John Maxwell)
On Being a Servant of God
(Warren W. Wiersbe)

Relationships

Emotional Healthy Relationships
(Peter Scazzero)
The Meaning of Marriage
(Timothy Keller)
Real Marriage
(Mark Driscoll)
The Five Love Languages
(Gary Chapman)

Discipleship

Celebration of Discipline
(Richard J. Foster)
The Life You've Always Wanted
(John Ortberg)
Beautiful Resistance
(Jon Tyson)
Crazy Love
(Francis Chan)
Hero Maker
(Dave Ferguson & Warren Bird)
The Emotionally Healthy Church
(Peter Scazzero)
Sacred Rhythms
(Ruth Haley Barton)
Follow Me
(Jeremy R. Treat)

Apologetics (Is there a God?)

The Reason for God
(Timothy Keller)
Can Science explain everything?
(John C. Lennox)
The Language of God
(Francis Collins)
Confronting Christianity
(Rebecca McLaughlin)

For a full list of book recommendations and resources visit
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