



Redemption Hill Church

Boston, MA

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The Team

Currently our team consists of five members from our sending church, Open Door Baptist Church in Raleigh, NC. Our church will be the fifth plant from Open Door since 2004. Tanner Turley will serve as the lead planter and pastor (M.Div., Ph.D., SEBTS, May 2010). He and his wife Marsha have one daughter, Parker. Josh Miller will serve as the Minister of Member Care and Administration (M.Div., SEBTS, December 2009). He and his wife Jessica have one daughter, Alana, one son, Matthew, and one on the way! Abbey Cook will also serve the church in various capacities (M.Div., SEBTS, May 2010). The team will move to Boston in June 2010.

Why Boston?

The Need: Tragically, only 2.5 percent of the 5.8 million people in greater Boston attend an evangelical church. There are only two Southern Baptist churches with more than 250 worshippers on Sunday.

The Nations: People from over 150 nations have gathered in Boston to study, work, and live.

The Influence: Boasting over 100 colleges and universities, Boston has been called the “Athens of America.” It is the cultural hub of New England and one of the most influential cities in our nation

Our Need: Strategic Partnerships

Most importantly, we need prayer. This mission will only thrive if God blesses our work. Secondly, we need financial resources. Astronomical real estate, taxes, and city living make planting a church in Boston immensely challenging. Thankfully, we serve a missionary God who overcomes challenges for his name’s sake. We need him to raise up churches and individuals to partner with us for the sake of the gospel in Boston. Perhaps God wants to use you in this way. Will you consider joining our team by praying and supporting this work financially?

Mission Statement

Redemption Hill Church exists to glorify God by living out his mission as a community transformed by the gospel of Jesus Christ.

Core Values

Gospel

The gospel is the good news that God is redeeming people for himself and restoring his good creation through the life, death, and resurrection of Jesus Christ. The gospel is the power of God to change lives and renew cultures. It will motivate everything we do as a church. We will seek to know and live the gospel by devoting ourselves to the Word of God which will enable us to glorify the Triune God in all things.

Community

The gospel creates a new community who covenant to live life together as the church. We will strive to be a diverse community welcoming those of all ethnicities, ages, and backgrounds. Moreover, we will seek to display the wisdom of God through loving and serving one another. Like the early church, we will gather for corporate worship and in small groups.

Mission

The gospel calls us to be a part of God’s mission. Just as God seeks to glorify himself through redeeming worshippers and restoring his good creation, we seek to glorify him by declaring and displaying the gospel in our neighborhoods, workplaces, and social networks. This means that every member of Redemption Hill is a missionary who will strive to make disciples of all nations. As missionaries we will labor sacrificially for the good of our city and the world by engaging in deeds of mercy. Ultimately, we desire to play our part in God’s mission of redemption by planting churches from Boston to the ends of the earth.

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