

# VICTORY BIBLE CHURCH



## **acts** 2:42-47

"They devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and to fellowship, to the breaking of bread and to prayer. Everyone was filled with awe at the many wonders and signs performed by the apostles. All the believers were together and had everything in common. They sold property and possessions to give to anyone who had need. Every day they continued to meet together in the temple courts. They broke bread in their homes and ate together with glad and sincere hearts, praising God and enjoying the favor of all the people. And the Lord added to their number daily those who were being saved."

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## ROM PASTOR JONATHAN DECUIR

In Acts 2:42-47, we see a beautiful picture of the early church—a community devoted to the apostles' teaching, to fellowship, to the breaking of bread, and to prayer. They shared everything they had, met together daily, and the Lord added to their number daily those who were being saved. This passage reminds us of the power of devotion—what it means to be truly committed to God, to one another, and HIs mission for our Church.

I've witnessed the devotion of our family to the vision God has given us. I have seen the miraculous and have personally experienced the abundance of our generous and sharing community. We have feasted on His word and simply feasted, fellowship and laughed together. When I think about Victory, I see a reflection of the first church and my heart is filled with gratitude. This campaign is about more than just physical upgrades; it's about preparing a space where that same spirit of devotion can thrive in our time. It's about creating a legacy—a place where future generations will discover their purpose, be transformed by the power of the Gospel, and experience the victorious life that Christ guarantees. We are building not just for today but for tomorrow, ensuring that our church remains a beacon of hope, love, and truth in Pasadena and beyond.

As we look to the future, I believe God is calling each of us to play a part in this legacy. Whether through your prayers, your service, or your financial support, you have an opportunity to make a lasting impact. Let's step forward in faith, devoted to the vision God has entrusted us with.

In His Service,

Jonathan DeCnia

VICTORY WILL NOT REST UNTIL EVERYONE KNOWS GOD IS FOR THEM AND HE HAS PURPOSE FOR THEIR LIFE. Over the last 41 years, Victory Bible Church has stood on the shoulders of those who have paved the way for us. Full of faith, God's Spirit, and deep conviction in God's Word, Victory has always been a place of transformation, Christian education, and outreach faithfully serving Pasadena and beyond.

We have seen and will continue to expect the miraculous. From the vision of Bishop James E. Henry to the heart of Bishop Milton White Sr., we have dedicated ourselves to reaching souls and empowering the next generation. As we know, the legacy doesn't stop there, this ministy and this dedication is the catylst that accelerated our new momentum.

Under the leadership and vision of our pastor Jonathan DeCuir, we will not rest until everyone knows that God is for them and He has a purpose for their life. Our mission is to equip all people to be disciples of Jesus Christ, discover their purpose, and conquer life's challenges knowing they've already won. **B** CHURCH

#### transformational

We create space for ALL people to deepen their faith, discover their purpose, and be discipled.



#### transitional

We create space for ALL people to develop and share their gifts. We prepare the way for the next generation to learn and lead.

#### transcending

We create space for ALL people to ask hard questions, have necessary conversations, and be equipped with the Truth in order to transcend culture. VICTORY EXISTS TO EQUIP ALL PEOPLE TO BE DISCIPLES OF JESUS CHRIST, TO DISCOVER THEIR PURPOSE, AND CONQUER THE CHALLENGES OF LIFE.

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#### DEVOTED TO GOD 🙏

We will live prayerful, spirit-filled lives devoted to worship, growing in God's Word, and serving others. We will faithfully gather as believers, express our gratitude through our generosity, and seek to fulfill Matthew 28 making disciples in Pasadena and to the ends of the earth.

#### DEVOTED TO THIS HOUSE 🐴

We will create a house of worship that reflects the excellence and passion with which we serve our God. With state-of-the-art technology and thoughtfully designed spaces, we aim to maximize our reach and engage our audience both in-person and digitally. **DEVOTED TO EACH OTHER** We will foster a community where every person can discover their purpose, be transformed by God's love, and experience the victorious life that Christ guarantees us. Like the first church we will be unified, sincere, and a community without lack.

#### DEVOTED TO LEGACY 🖍

We will create a lasting legacy that will transform our city and impact generations to come. We want our children and grandchildren to inherit a church that is strong in faith, rich in love, and fully prepared to continue the work that God has called us to do. We will bring light to every corner of Pasadena seeing to it that the thorns are removed from the City of Roses. IMAGINE THE FUTURE OF VICTORY WHEN WE LIVE LIKE WE'VE ALREADY WON; WHEN WE LIVE DEVOTED TO GOD, THIS HOUSE, AND TO EACH OTHER; WHEN WE SEE THE POWERFUL WORK HE DOES THROUGH US IN THIS CITY AND THE WORLD.

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## what will it take?

To pursue the vision God has given us, build a space that honors our legacy and propels us into a future where our reach and impact are limitless, we are asking you to join us in prayer as we launch the Devoted Campaign. Over the next 24 months, full of faith and expectation, we will diligently raise 2,500,000 dollars for the following 3 phases:

#### **PHASE 1: Devoted to this House**

**\$550,000** will be allocated to refurbish our church's interior to create an environment where people can encounter God and community in fresh, meaningful ways. This includes new carpet, walls, a stage, lighting, and advanced audio-visual technology.

#### **PHASE 2: Devoted to Each Other**

**\$750,000** will be allocated to additional upgrades to the exterior of our church to ensure the safety of everyone and present a welcome fresh look to the community. It will also include upgrades to Henry Hall and other spaces for enhanced discipleship, training, and fellowship.

#### **PHASE 3: Devoted to Legacy**

**\$1,200,000** will be allocated to our most ambitious phase, the development of the Bishop Milton White Sr. Children's Center. This will be a dedicated space for education, spiritual growth, and discipleship for the next generation fully equipped to serve ALL children and youth.



### partner with us in building a lasting legacy

Your generous support is key to making our vision a reality.Will you prayerfully consider financially contributing above your monthly tithes and offerings to the Devoted Campaign? Consider the options below:

 MAKE A ONE TIME GIFT Give a substantial gift of \$10,000 or more.

#### • **PLEDGE YOUR SUPPORT OVER TIME** Commit to a monthly gift over the next 24 months as an individuals, families, or ministry.

#### • IN KIND DONATIONS

Offer your skills, services, materials, or other resources to support the campaign.

#### BECOME A LEGACY BUILDER

Leave a lasting mark with a commemorative legacy builder brick. Bricks will be laid at the front of the church leading into the building.

### next steps

**COMMIT** to praying for the campaign and future of Victory.

**EXPECT** the miraculous. God can do above and beyond what we imagine.

**PREPARE** to sacrifice. How is God calling you to contribute to the campaign?

#### BRING your pledges and an initial offering on

### devoted sunday 9.29

Gifts and pledges for the campaign will be received anytime after.

### WAYS TO GIVE







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