



Welcome to Starting Point,

We are super excited that you are taking your next step in creating a deeper connection with the church family. This is a place to belong and to become all that God has destined us to be. It's a place where we can impact the culture for God's Kingdom. We believe that, together, we can change generations with the love and message of Jesus Christ.

We love you and we are praying for you all daily.

Blessings,

Pastor Barry & Mrs. Kathy Smith



I. Our Story

II. The Mission

**Generation Changers Church exists to Change Generations
with the Love and Message of Jesus Christ.**

III. The Vision

Reaching the region - 5 Campuses throughout Middle Tennessee (Jn. 5)

Reach the lost. Make Disciples. Meet Needs.

Serve Teams

Life Groups

Outreach and Missions

IV. Our Culture

GC Core Values

1. The Jesus _____ - Jesus puts us first; so we put Him first.
2. Greater _____ - God's ability to be good to us is greater than our ability to be bad.
3. One _____ - Nobody's perfect; everybody's welcome.
4. Generational _____ - It didn't start with us; it doesn't stop with us.
5. Better _____ - I can do good; we can do better.
6. Radical _____ - We can't out-give God, but we try.
7. Unlimited _____ - God is bigger than anything, so we dream bigger than anyone.



STATEMENT OF FAITH

God - We believe that there is only one true and living God who reveals Himself as Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

Jesus Christ - We believe that Jesus Christ was born of the Virgin Mary and that He is the Son of God and Son of man, that He came to save humanity from the condemnation of sin by offering himself as the acceptable sacrifice on the cross, and that He rose again victorious over death, and that He has made grace available to all who will believe in Him.

The Holy Spirit - We believe that the Holy Spirit is the active agent of God in the world and in the life of the believer. We are not only Spirit indwelt but we can be Spirit filled. This Holy Spirit fullness will produce the fruit of the Spirit (Gal. 5:22), and empower us to operate in the gifts of the Spirit for the benefit of the whole body of Christ (I Cor. 12, 14).

The Bible - We believe the Bible is God's infallible Word given by the inspiration of the Holy Spirit and serves as the guide for spiritual, moral, and personal development.

The Cross - We believe that the sacrificial work of Jesus Christ on the cross is payment for all our sin and provision for our every need. The shed blood of Christ is for the forgiveness of our sins and our cleansing from all unrighteousness. We believe the Body of Christ was injured and bruised and His back bore stripes for both our spiritual and physical healing in answer to the prayer of faith.

The Return of Christ - We believe in the real and imminent return of Jesus Christ.

The Resurrection - We believe in the bodily resurrection of both believers and non-believers; the believer to everlasting life in the presence of God and the unbeliever to eternal judgment.

The Church - We believe that the Church, the body of Christ, is made up of all believers in Jesus Christ. We also believe every Christian should be connected to a local church thereby declaring their connection to the greater Body of Christ around the world. This local connection also serves as a spiritual family from which we draw strength, instruction, and encouragement in our relationship with God as we actively participate.

Creation - We believe that the universe, as well as its inhabitants are the product of the intelligent design of God our Creator. We believe that mankind is specifically created in His image for the purpose of having relationship with Him.

Sin and Salvation - We believe it is by God's grace accessed by personal faith in the Lordship and resurrection of Jesus Christ that we are saved. We were all born into sin and therefore sinners by our nature. However, we are reborn of the Spirit when we accept Christ as our Lord and Savior. God's grace is deeper than the bottomless pit of human failure.



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