



New Beginnings Christian Fellowship

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Vision Statement

It is our God-given intention/vision to proclaim the Son of God who is Jesus, the Christ, as Head of the Church [the Body of Christ] and the manifested Word of God in Whom all the fullness of the Deity [Father, Son and Holy Spirit] lives. Thus, our goal is to bring the lost to a Salvation knowledge of Christ and His *full* Gospel [Good News]; to bring revelation understanding to the Body through God's Spirit—the Holy Spirit of Wisdom, Revelation and Truth that we *are* the righteousness of Christ; and because Christ is in us and His Spirit fills us, we as His Body, *can* and *should* walk in all the *fullness that His Salvation has provided*. Therefore, we are to exemplify the power and authority that Jesus Christ walked in and provided for all those who believe and trust in Him as Savior and LORD.

Further, it is to teach and demonstrate this vision through the Word of God and action with simplicity and understanding so that it may be applied to our everyday lives in a practical and effective manner; challenging and moving us in to all the fullness of Christ; thereby changing our lives and all those with whom we come into contact.

Vision Scripture

"For in Christ all the fullness of the Deity lives in bodily form, and you have been given fullness in Christ, who is the head over every power and authority." Colossians 2:9-10 NIV

Vision Motto

"... You [I] have been given fullness in Christ. . ."

The *Fullness* is . . .

Fullness refers to *completeness, wholeness*.

Dictionary definitions: *Fullness*—Containing all that is normal or possible; complete in every particular; to complete extent—entirely. *Complete*—to make whole; total; finish.

Strong's (4138) definition of FULLNESS: *In the NT, the Body of Believers, as that which is filled with the presence, power, agency, riches of God and of Christ; completeness, abundance.*

Strong's (4138 comes from 4137) *to make full, to fill up, i.e. to fill to the full; to cause to abound, to furnish or supply liberally; I abound, I am liberally supplied; to render full, i.e. to complete; to fill to the top: so that nothing shall be wanting to full measure, fill to the brim; to make complete in every particular, to render perfect; to carry through to the end, to accomplish, carry out, (some undertaking); to carry into effect, bring to realization, realize; to fulfill, i.e. to cause God's will (as made known in the law) to be obeyed as it should be, and God's promises (given through the prophets) to receive fulfillment.*



Vision Attainment: Attaining to the Fullness in Christ

It is important to know and remember that this life on earth is only a *portion or part* of our life. Our life continues on into eternity. Thus, while on this earth we experience obvious limitations due to our earthly bodies. But, God through the Salvation power of His Son Jesus Christ and the demonstration of His Holy Spirit has provided a certain “fullness” that we are indeed to attain to and it is to . . .

- **Live in Complete and Full Reconciliation [establishing a close relationship between; bringing together] with God/Father through the Salvation of Jesus Christ and the ministry of His Holy Spirit:** Romans 5:11; 1 Corinthians 1:9; 2 Corinthians 5:17-19; Colossians 1:22
- **Understand and Accept ALL the Work of the Cross in Salvation:** Ephesians 1:3; Isaiah 61:1-3; Luke 4:17-19; 1 Peter 2:24; 2 Corinthians 8:9
- **Experience the Indwelling Presence of God [Father, Son and Holy Spirit]—Him being in us—but also to Experience a Manifestation of the Presence of God in our lives:** Psalm 140:13; 2 Chronicles 5:13-14; John 11:40; John 15:4-5; Romans 5:1-2; Hebrews 4:16
- **Be Full of the Grace and Truth Manifested in Christ:** John 1:16; John 14:14-17; 25-26
- **Have All of Christ’s Virtues (i.e., qualities of holiness, righteousness, etc.) and Excellencies [not just qualities, but that status of royalty which we inherit making us “heirs” (or making us high officials or ambassadors—see below) of His power and authority:** Ephesians 4:13; 2 Peter 1:3; 1 Peter 2:9; Romans 8:17; Galatians 3:29; Matthew 28:18; Luke 10:19
- **Experience the Blessings of Christ:** Romans 10:12; 15:29; Galatians 3:9-14; Ephesians 1:3
- **Experience the Power of Christ:** Ephesians 3:20; Romans 15:19; 1 Corinthians 2:4; 2 Corinthians 10:4
- **Become A Part of the Body of Christ, which is the Church as the Complement and Ambassadors of Christ:** Ephesians 1:23; 2 Corinthians 5:20

How the *Vision* Will Be Accomplished

It is our conviction that the *vision* of *New Beginnings Christian Fellowship* will be accomplished through:

- Teaching and Preaching of God’s Word of Truth (which is the Bible) and the Work [power and presence] of the Holy Spirit
- Prayer and Intercession
- Prophecy
- Seeking the Presence and Power of the Holy Spirit
- Fasting
- Praise and Worship



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- Healing and Deliverance
- Membership—Partnership
- Discipleship: Developing a mature relationship with and in Christ
- Raising up Leadership
- Equipping the Saints for the work/service of the ministry (both inside and outside the church fellowship)
- All the Gifts in Operation (5-fold Ministry, Motivational and Manifestation)
- Small Groups
- Evangelism/Outreach
- Ministries—various—inside and outside the church
- Marketplace Ministry

Each of these practical/physical implementations of the Vision are more thoroughly explained in Parts 2 and 3.

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An Illustration of the FULLNESS OF CHRIST

We believe that God wants His children to have and walk in ALL His fullness. The following illustration does *not* contain *all* of the fullness of Christ; however, it does begin to show us some of what the fullness of Christ contains through His great and sufficient Salvation.

The *fullness of Christ* is revealed, imparted, comes through the Holy Spirit of God Who is God's presence on earth and in us and the power of the Godhead:

