Annual Meeting Celebration

Where we've been

Where we are

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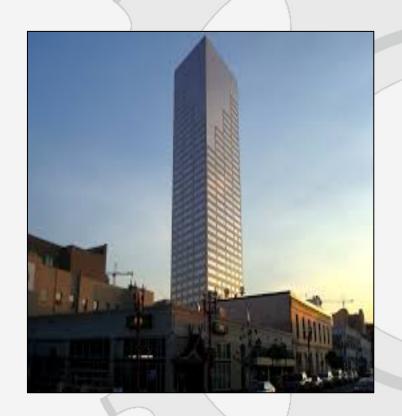
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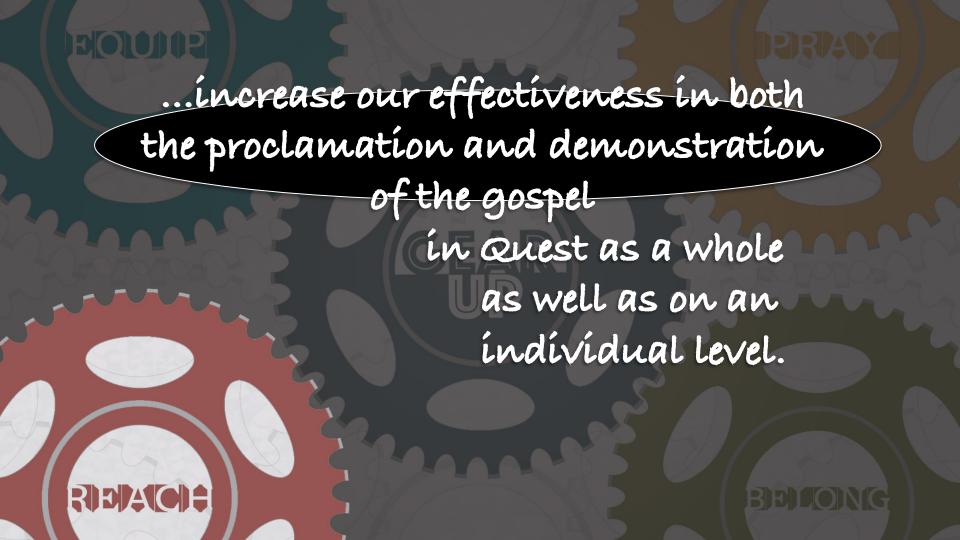














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 - Thrive: advancing healthy choices for life
 - New City Fellowship: touching the inner city
 - <u>Serve St. Louis</u>: joining other churches to make a difference
 - 'Christmas Compassion': seasonal focus of love



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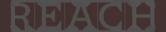


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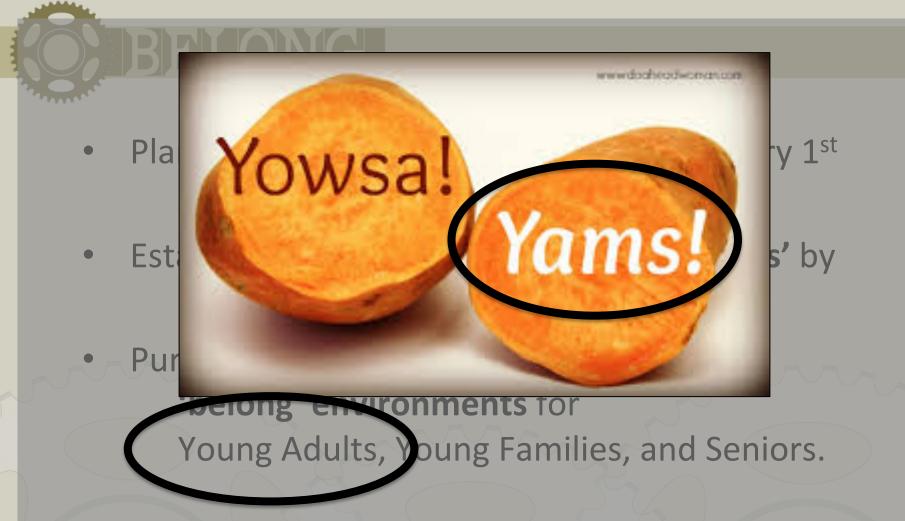
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 when the circumstances require such an
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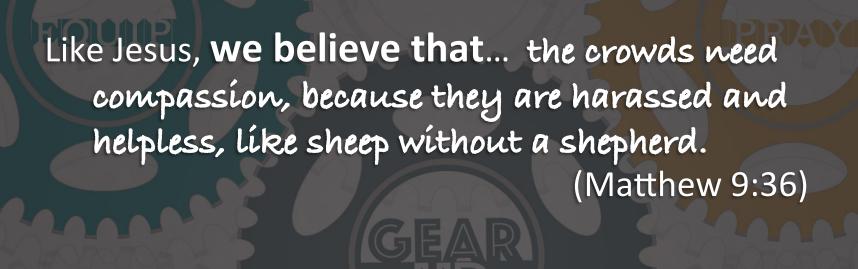
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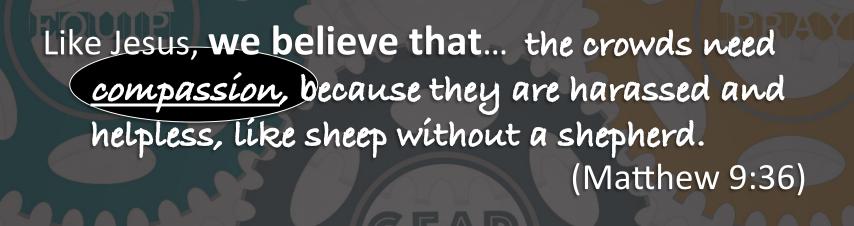


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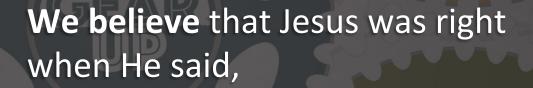






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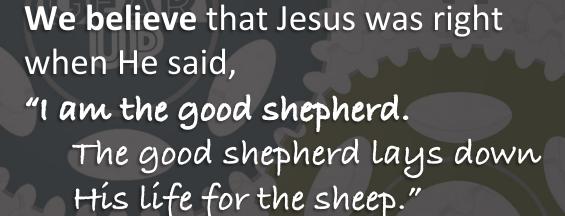




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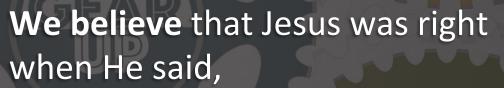
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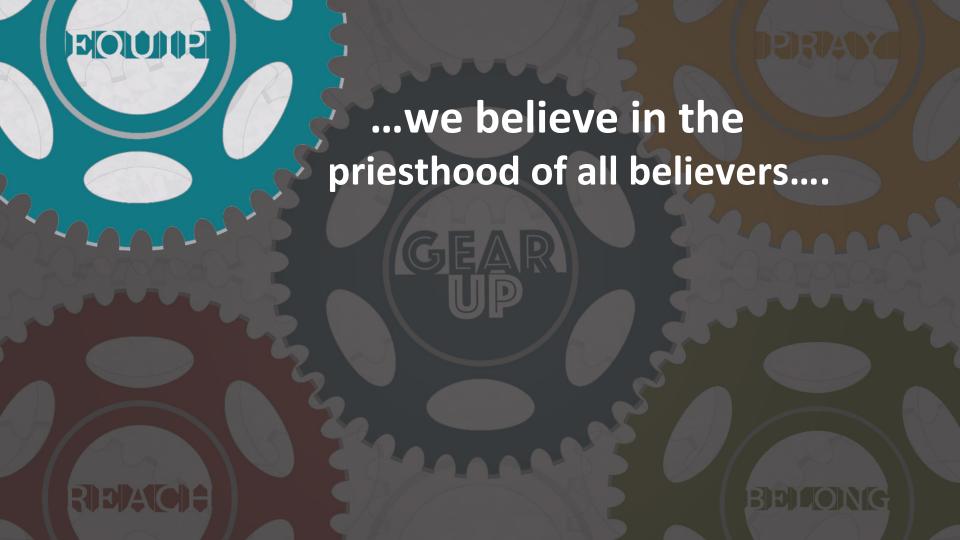
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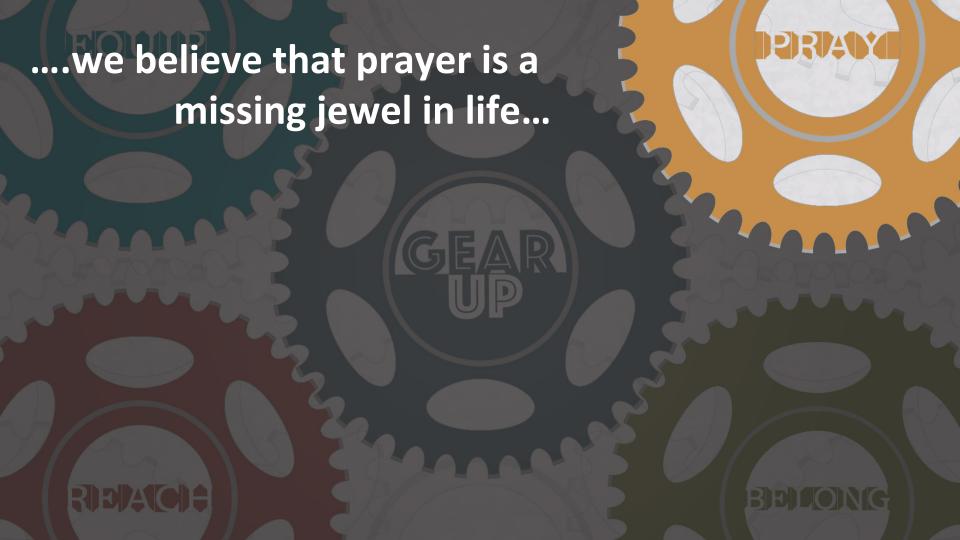
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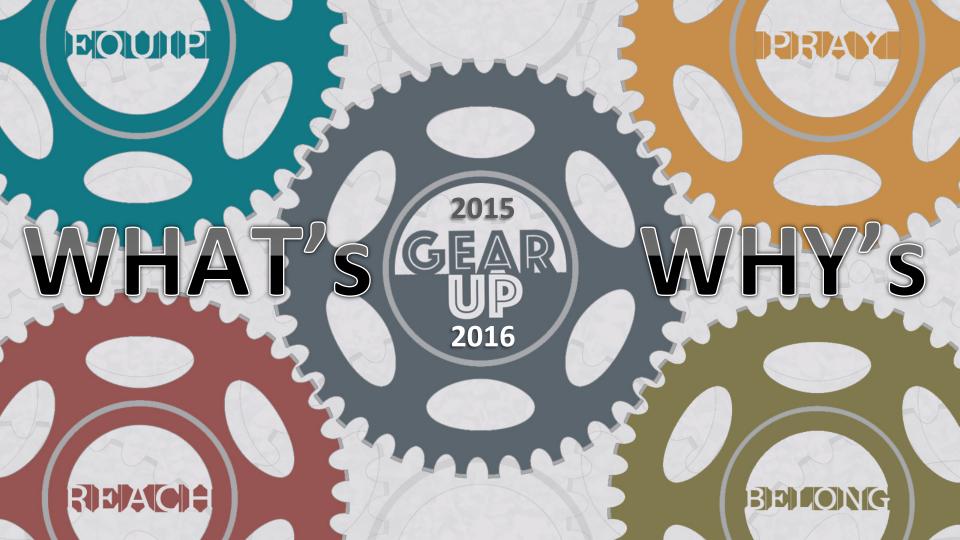
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