



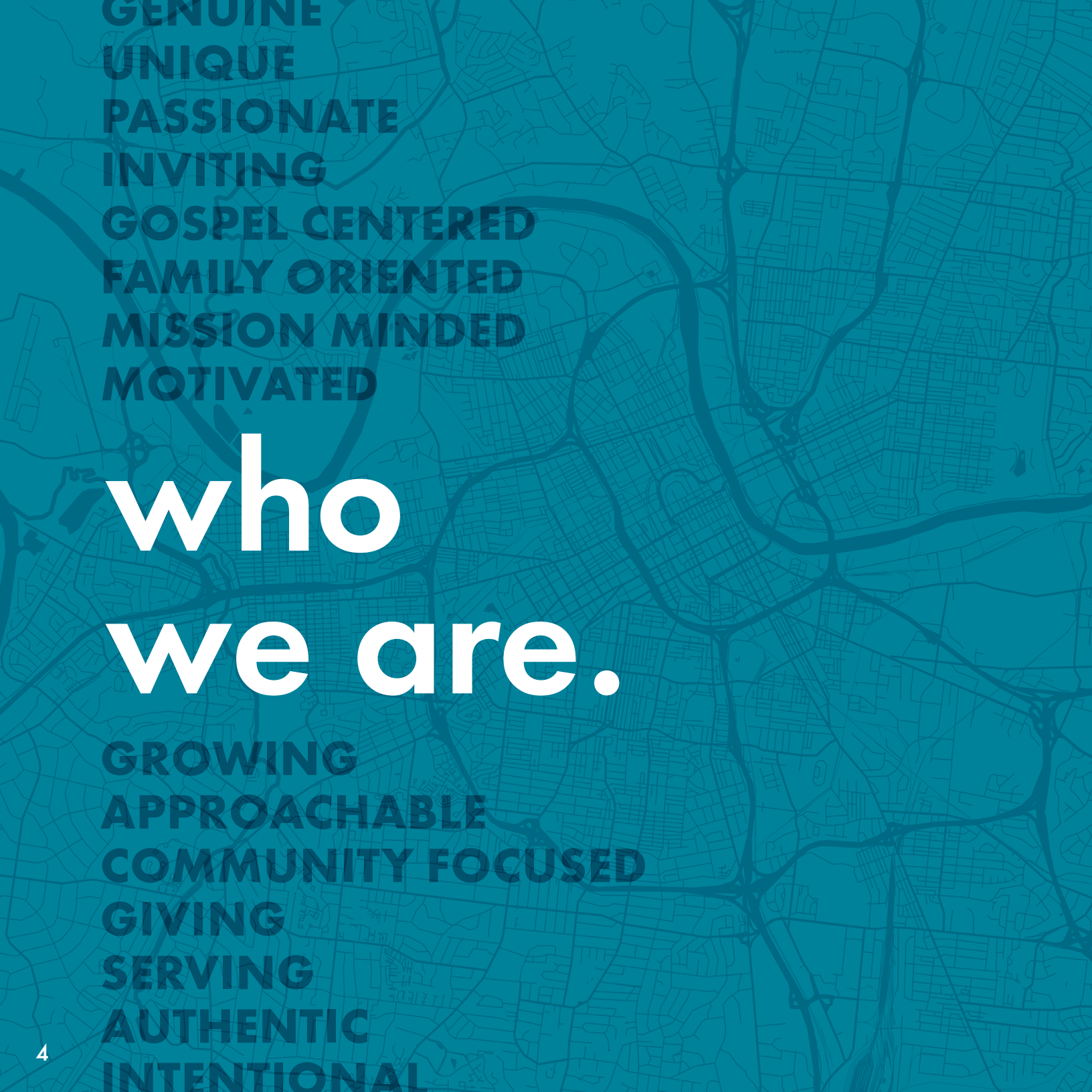
skyline church tennessee

vision and mission book

“But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes upon you. And you will be my witnesses, *telling people about me everywhere*—in Jerusalem, throughout Judea, in Samaria, and to the ends of the earth.”

ACTS 1:8

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GENUINE
UNIQUE
PASSIONATE
INVITING
GOSPEL CENTERED
FAMILY ORIENTED
MISSION MINDED
MOTIVATED

who
we are.

GROWING
APPROACHABLE
COMMUNITY FOCUSED
GIVING
SERVING
AUTHENTIC
INTENTIONAL

Skyline TN is genuinely unique. Skyline TN wasn't started by a charismatic leader, or born from a church with significant influence in the Nashville area. But instead, Skyline TN was birthed from a grass-roots movement that emerged as God stirred in the hearts of several families who recently transplanted to the Nashville area. This stirring has led to these families sharing the singular desire to share with others what they have experienced:

A LIFE LIVED WITH JESUS IS THE BEST POSSIBLE LIFE.

At Skyline TN, we are a group of people who believe in the simple but powerful message of the gospel of Jesus: that no one person is ever too far gone from God's love, and all it takes is one encounter with Him to change their life today but also their eternity. We are a church family that is passionate about seeing the love of God transform the community around us. And although some of us may be new to TN, we all live by the mission that has motivated us no matter what place we call home - *to help people find and follow Jesus, seven days a week!*

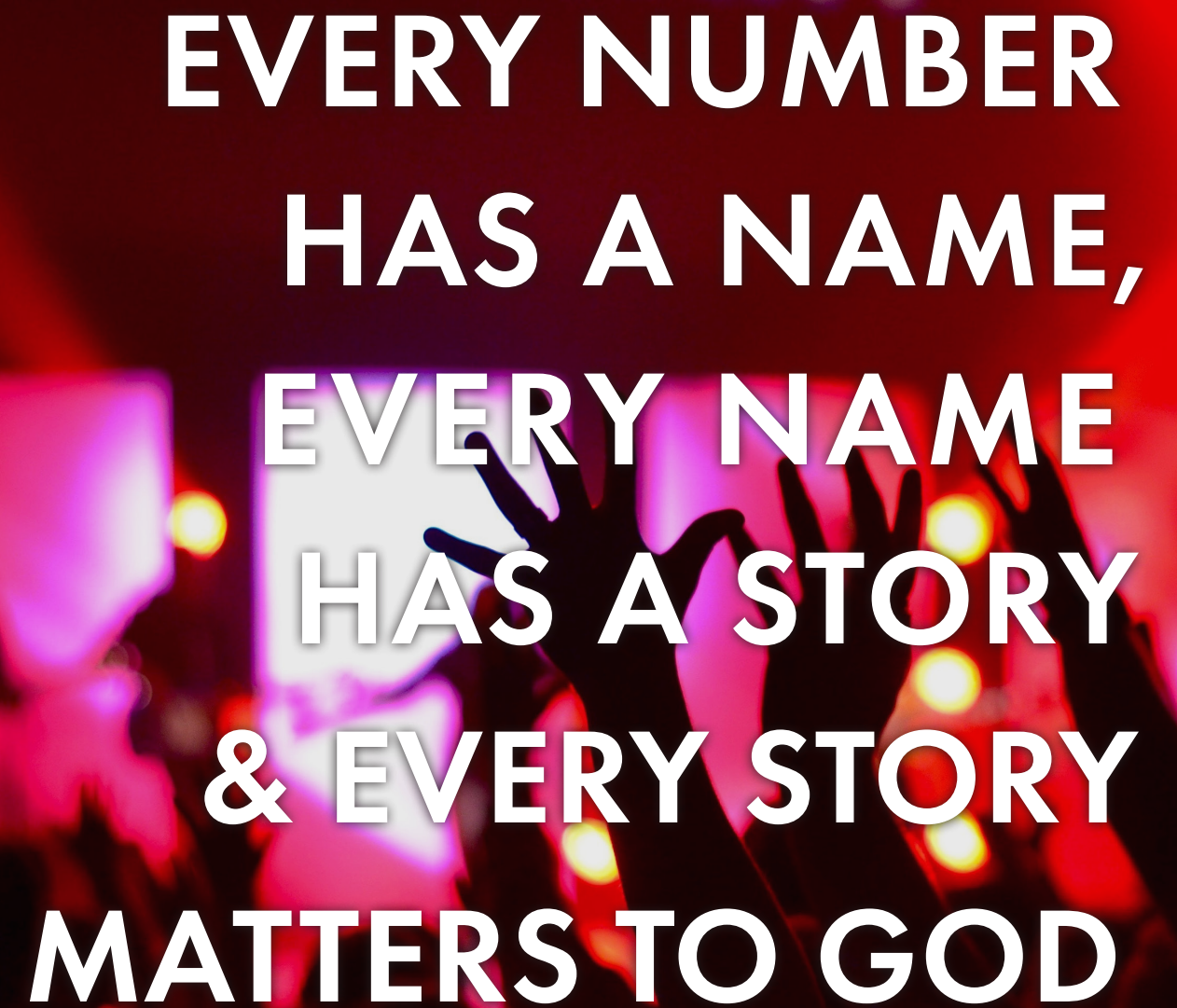
who is sending us.

Skyline Church launched in San Diego in 1954. Over the last half-century, God has used it incredible ways to grow His family and share with the San Diego community his great love for every person. Under the leadership of Jeremy McGarity, Skyline had multiplied and launched more churches in the last five years than at any other time in the church's history. In the last five years, Skyline Church has invested in and helped launch a total of nine other church locations in six different states! This incredible growth was birthed out of the greater vision that started in 2021, known as 10-10-10. Skyline Church's vision is to launch 10 churches, reaching 10,000 new people over the next 10 years.

AT SKYLINE CHURCH, WE TRULY BELIEVE THAT EVERY NUMBER HAS A NAME, EVERY NAME HAS A STORY, & EVERY STORY MATTERS TO GOD.

We believe God is in control of the growth but it is our responsibility to create a framework and culture that makes reaching 10,000 new people possible. To some, this may seem audacious, but to us at Skyline, we call it our God-sized vision. As we pursue this vision, a vision that requires great faith, we know that when it is all said and done, only God will get the credit!

Skyline TN is our next step in changing the lives of 10,000 new people by helping them walk in the life that God has made them for, a life that Jesus describes as full and abundant!



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why tennessee?

**"I HAVE COME THAT THEY MAY
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HAVE IT MORE ABUNDANTLY."**

- JESUS

JOHN 10:10 (NKJV)

We fully believe every word of Jesus. He has come to not just change your eternity, but your life right now as you live in relationship with Him. We desire to be a community of believers that engages, encourages, and empowers others to live in relationship with Jesus. As we help more people do this, we believe God can change lives and change our community.

We want people to experience what we have experienced God do for us! Skyline TN exists to show people the life they have been made for: the abundant life as they say yes to following Him!

strategy: to welcome people into God's family here and in heaven.



1. SMALL GROUPS

Jesus started his ministry with just twelve disciples. He poured into and changed the lives of these 12 men through smaller and more intimate gatherings. These same men would not only become Jesus' best friends, but they would carry his ministry and go on to change the world.

As we start this church, we desire to follow Jesus' example. Community and deep relationships will be the heart of our church. And like the first 12 disciples, small groups and deep friendships will be the avenue through which God changes us so that we can shape the world around us.



4. TEAM BUILDING NIGHTS

Speed without direction is meaningless. To ensure we are heading in the right direction as a team, we will host monthly Team Building Nights to continue growing and prepare ourselves for the launch of Skyline TN in the fall. On these nights, we will focus on biblical and practical ways we believe God wants us to grow as a team to reach more people and invite them into His family!



2. MONTHLY POP-UP LAUNCH PARTIES

One-hour, pop-up, mini-vision events where we intend to bless & connect with the local community, share from our hearts why we know God has called us to start Skyline TN, & invite others to join us in this calling! Our pop-up launch parties will be happening at different local venues in the Nashville area. They serve as an excellent opportunity to invite your Oikos out for a free meal & to share more about what God has called you to be a part of!



5. PREVIEW & PRACTICE SERVICES

God doesn't expect us to be perfect, but He desires for us to progress in everything we do. And as we all know, progress is best made through practice! Starting a few months before our launch date, we will hold monthly preview and practice services.

The reality is we only get one opportunity to launch Skyline TN. And the quality of our launch can determine the trajectory of the church for the next decade. Our practice and preview services will serve as an opportunity for us to prepare as a team to launch with the most significant momentum, but also invite others to see if Skyline TN might be the home church they have been looking for!



3. LOVE OUR CITY EVENTS

"We love each other because he loved us first."

- 1 John 4:19 (NLT)

Although love has a feeling, we believe it's rooted in action. Jesus tells us the most important thing any of us can do in this life is to love Him with all that we have and to love those around us. And the actions of love mirrors the creator of it: Jesus. As a church, we believe our God wants to bring healing to the challenges we face together as a community, and He does this one person at a time as we intentionally share with those around us the same love He has shown us. Love Our City Events will be monthly events where we partner with existing community outreaches/non-profits to be a tangible example of God's love to our community.



6. LAUNCH

The day God brings it all together! The launch of Skyline TN will be the start of our regular weekly gatherings. Our target month is September 2023.

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how to partner with God & us.

Leading up to the launch, here are three simple ways you can partner with Skyline Church TN.

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Pray
for us

We fully believe prayer changes everything. Will you commit to praying for us regularly? Please join us as we pray that God continues to go before us, that He provides the people and resources needed, and that His will be done for our church and the community we serve!

02

Join
the
team

Contrary to what many people think, a church is not a building. The church is not a service or programs or preaching or even worship. But the church is people. And with the right people who have the right heart, the church becomes the most influential place in a community. With the right people, God uses the church to introduce people to the life we all have been made for: a life lived in a relationship with him. So like us, if you simply desire for God to use your faith in a meaningful and impactful way, we'd love for you to join our launch team!

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Give

All investments come at a cost. Launching Skyline TN will be no different. Finances are a key component to not only launching well but also being able to expand and multiply the church's reach in the local community. You partner with us by supporting Skyline TN financially by scanning the qr code below.

Next Steps

Scan the QR code to join the team or get more information on Skyline TN.





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