



## VISION STATEMENT

The **Connection Church of Sherwood** will be...

- A united, family of followers of Christ committed to making disciples out of believers
- A church sent by Christ as missionaries to engage the lost world with the Gospel of Christ with genuine love, compassion, and urgency
- A church that believes in the truth and authority of scripture, therefore committed to growing the Kingdom by being the example of Christ to the community
- A church with passion for the people of our community like...
  - Young families
  - Mixed families
  - Military families
  - Hispanic families
  - Single parents
  - Disengaged/Disenchanted people
  - Disabled people
  - Incarcerated people
- Active in ministry with...
  - Benevolence for community families
  - Regularly hanging door hangers in our neighborhoods & engaging in conversation
  - Quarterly block parties engaging community
  - Annual VBS
  - "Adventure" groups
    - Trail Life USA for boys and men
    - American Heritage Girls for girls and women
    - Connection F.I.R.S.T. Ladies Ministry (Faithfully Investing, Reaching, Serving, Teaching)
    - Mighty Men Ministry
  - Bus ministry on Sunday and Wednesday for adults, children, (soon disabled vets)
  - Community Bible studies
- A church connecting to...
  - People
  - Connecting to God's Word
  - Connecting to Community, Arkansas, North American, and International missions
- A church on an adventure in Christ, a perilous journey, engaging the lost world one person at a time.
- A church where a person can be part of a "family", experience salvation through Christ, worship Christ, and grow to be more like Christ through serving the Lord