Christ Our Redenser AME Church

## **Six Pillars of Our Church**

**Discipleship** – refers to students of Jesus and is found in the New Testament only in the Gospels and Acts. The New Testament records many followers of Jesus during his ministry, but only some became disciples.

Then Jesus said to the Jews who had believed in him, 'If you continue in my word, you are truly my disciples; and you will know the truth, and the truth will make you free.'

**Evangelism** – is the preaching of the Christian Gospel or the practice of relaying information about a particular set of beliefs to others with the object of conversion.

And he said to them, 'Go into all the world and proclaim the good news to the whole creation. The one who believes and is baptized will be saved; but the one who does not believe will be condemned. (Mark 16:15-16)

**Fellowship** – is used frequently in the New Testament of the Bible to describe the relationship within the Early Christian church as well as the act of breaking bread in the manner which Christ prescribed during the Passover meal [John 6:48-69, Matthew 26:26-28, 1 Corinthians 10:16, 1 Corinthians 11:24].

For I am longing to see you so that I may share with you some spiritual gift to strengthen you - or rather so that we may be mutually encouraged by each other's faith, both yours and mine. (Romans 1:11-12)

**Outreach** – is an activity of providing services to populations who might not otherwise have access to those services. A key component of outreach is that the groups providing it are not stationary, but mobile; in other words they are meeting those in need of outreach services at the locations where those in need are.

'The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he has anointed me to bring good news to the poor. He has sent me to proclaim release to the captives and recovery of sight to the blind, to let the oppressed go free. (Luke 4:18)

**Stewardship** – is committed responsible use of God's gifts to uplift the work of Christ's church to save the lost and care for the needy.

Each of you should use whatever gift you have received to serve others, as faithful stewards of God's grace in its various forms. (1 Peter 4:10)

**Worship** – is the heartfelt acknowledgment of God as well as all His power, glory, and love for humankind. Worship can include singing, praying, dancing, engaging in sacraments, serving others, and reading God's Word with an open heart.

But the hour is coming, and is now here, when the true worshippers will worship the Father in spirit and truth, for the Father seeks such as these to worship him. God is spirit, and those who worship him must worship in spirit and truth. (John 4:23-24)

## **Our Mission**

The mission of Christ Our Redeemer A.M.E. Church is to minister to the spiritual, intellectual, physical, emotional and environmental needs of all people by spreading Christ's liberating gospel through witnessing and service. At every level of our church, we shall engage in carrying out our mission and purpose.



## **Our Ministries**

Bereavement **Boy & Girl Scouts Children's Church Church School** Class Leaders Flowers & Cheer Food Pantry Health Ministry Heavenly Host Ministry Jewels Lay Organization Marriage Ministry Media Ministry Men's Ministry Music Ministry Scholarship Ministry **Stewards Ministry Steppers Ministry Stewardess & Deaconess Trustee Ministry Usher Ministry** Women's Missionary Society Worship Without Words Young People's Division

Discipleship Evangelism Fellowship Outreach Stewarship Worship



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