

DNA H³ LIST



SUBMITTED TO CHRIST

Under His Lordship.

(Christ is) far above all rule and authority, power and dominion, and every title that can be given, not only in the present age but also in the one to come.

Ephesians 1:21

H ³ ELEMENTS	Head	<p>Creed: I believe that I should be in submission to Jesus Christ as the final authority over creation, principalities and powers, humankind, the church and my personal life</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> I understand that Jesus Christ is Lord of all <input type="checkbox"/> I understand that the fall of humankind resulted from rebellion against God's authority <input type="checkbox"/> I understand that Jesus' redemptive work allows Christians to be seated with Christ, over satanic forces <input type="checkbox"/> I understand that God has put in place various types of earthly authorities that I am to be in submission to <input type="checkbox"/> I understand the difference between obedience and submission
	Heart	<p>Creed: I yield my will in submission to that of Jesus Christ</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> I possess a humility that yields in submission to God's will <input type="checkbox"/> I have a willingness to exercise godly self-control <input type="checkbox"/> I am able to experience life without judging others <input type="checkbox"/> I possess a willingness to follow God's rules for life <input type="checkbox"/> I depend on God as the source of life
	Hands	<p>Creed: I submit to God's direct and delegated authority</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> I exercise appropriate submission to authorities <input type="checkbox"/> I have surrendered the Lordship of my life to Jesus Christ



GROWING IN CHRIST-LIKENESS

Committed to grow in Christ-likeness in all areas of their life.

Grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ.

2 Peter 3:18

H ³ ELEMENTS	 Head	<p>Creed: I believe God calls and equips us to continually grow to become more like Jesus Christ.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> I understand that God calls me to proactively participate in growing more like Christ <input type="checkbox"/> I am aware of the contributors to spiritual GROWTH
	 Heart	<p>Creed: I have faith and commitment to grow more Christ-like throughout my life.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> I humbly admit my need for growth <input type="checkbox"/> I exhibit patience in the growth process for myself and others
	 Hands	<p>Creed: I implement the ingredients of GROWTH consistently throughout my life.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> I exercise appropriate submission to authorities <input type="checkbox"/> I have surrendered the Lordship of my life to Jesus Christ






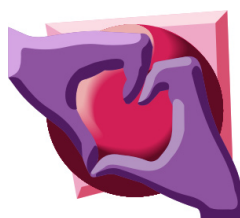
WORSHIPFULLY LIVING

Living out a lifestyle of worship personally and corporately by celebrating God's goodness and amazing creation.

Ascribe to the LORD the glory due his name; worship the LORD in the splendour of His holiness.

Psalm 29:2

H3 ELEMENTS	 Head	<p>Creed: I believe that personal faith in God is reflected in spontaneous and intentional celebration of who He is and what He has done, through worship, obedience and service.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> I understand the importance of regular corporate worship <input type="checkbox"/> I understand that God deserves our worship on the basis of "worth" <input type="checkbox"/> I understand that worship incorporates multiple streams including verbal praise, obedience and service <input type="checkbox"/> I understand the underlying principles and meaning of baptism and the Lord's Supper
	 Heart	<p>Creed: My love for God is the centre of my passions and activities.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> My love for God is my greatest joy <input type="checkbox"/> I possess a deep peace with God despite circumstances <input type="checkbox"/> My lifestyle choices are congruent with my love for God
	 Hands	<p>Creed: I live out a lifestyle of worship personally and corporately by responding to God's goodness and amazing creation.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> I attend worship services each week <input type="checkbox"/> I celebrate the Lord's Supper regularly <input type="checkbox"/> I have publicly identified myself with the death and resurrection of Jesus Christ through baptism <input type="checkbox"/> I regularly proclaim God's goodness through speech and behaviour <input type="checkbox"/> I obey God's Word through love, and not through fear






COMPASSIONATELY CARING

Seeing others through the eyes and heart of God and responding with His compassion to meet needs.

Defend the cause of the weak and fatherless; maintain the rights of the poor and oppressed. Rescue the weak and needy; deliver them from the hand of the wicked.

Psalm 82:3-4

H3 ELEMENTS	 Head	<p>Creed: I believe that God calls me to reflect His compassion for the welfare of all humankind.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> I understand that people matter greatly to God and should therefore matter to me <input type="checkbox"/> I understand that true compassion must be followed up with action <input type="checkbox"/> I believe that God's love should be demonstrated at every level of society
	 Heart	<p>Creed: I place a high value on the needs of other people.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> I genuinely care about the welfare of others
	 Hands	<p>Creed: I respond compassionately to the needs of others.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> I seek to respond as Jesus would to the needs of those around me <input type="checkbox"/> I sacrifice for the needs of others



INTENTIONAL STEWARDS

Cheerfully giving as directed by the Holy Spirit, of time, talent, treasure and testimony, to resource the work of our church, all in response to God's amazing love and provision for them. Committed to excellence.

As each one has received a gift, minister it to one another, as good stewards of the manifold grace of God.

1 Peter 4:10

H3 ELEMENTS	 Head	<p>Creed: I believe everything I am and own belongs to God and I am to be a responsible steward of it.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> I understand the principals of tithing and giving <input type="checkbox"/> I understand that my time, talent, treasure and testimony belongs to God <input type="checkbox"/> I understand that I am called to be faithful and accountable steward of what I am and have <input type="checkbox"/> I understand that excellence honours God and motivates people
	 Heart	<p>Creed: I am faithful and generous in stewarding God's resources.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> I possess a high degree of faithfulness in giving <input type="checkbox"/> I am generous in contributing to the needs of the church and people <input type="checkbox"/> I have faith that God will meet all of my needs
	 Hands	<p>Creed: I cheerfully and excellently give to honour the work of God.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> I give of my time, talent, treasure and testimony to the work of building the kingdom, primarily through the local church <input type="checkbox"/> I try to exhibit excellence in giving and service






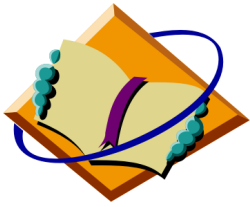
PASSIONATELY SEEKING GOD

Seeking the permanent manifest presence of God is his or her life, family, ministry, church and community. Committed to corporate and private prayer.

Draw near to God and he will draw near to you.

James 4:8

H3 ELEMENTS	 Head	<p>Creed: I believe that God's empowering and positive influence increases in my life as I draw near to Him.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> I understand that communing with God must be both spiritual and mental <input type="checkbox"/> I understand that I must take the initiative in drawing near to God <input type="checkbox"/> I understand the difference between the "rhema" and "logos" word of God
	 Heart	<p>Creed: I value a deepening relationship with God.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> God is my greatest passion <input type="checkbox"/> I can perceive spiritually when God is speaking to me <input type="checkbox"/> I have faith to allow revelation to overcome reason
	 Hands	<p>Creed: I intentionally and draw near to God in faith for His wisdom and guidance.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> I spend time with God each day in prayer and in His word <input type="checkbox"/> I acknowledge the awesomeness of God in everything around me <input type="checkbox"/> I can discern the Spirit's voice in giving guidance and wisdom



BIBLE CENTRED

By faith believing in, and living by the principles and promises contained in the Bible.

All Scripture is God-breathed and is useful for teaching, rebuking, correcting and training in righteousness, so that the man of God may be thoroughly equipped for every good work.

2 Timothy 3:16-17

H³ ELEMENTS	 Head	<p>Creed: I believe that the Bible is God's written revelation of His will for us and is the basis of our values, beliefs and practices.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> I understand that the scriptures are the final authority for truth relating to Christian beliefs and living <input type="checkbox"/> I understand the Pathways Statements of Faith <input type="checkbox"/> I understand the purpose and meaning of the various sections of the canon of scripture
	 Heart	<p>Creed: I value the Bible as the trustworthy guide for my life and apply it to all areas of my life.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> I place faith in the truths of the Bible for guidance, encouragement and beliefs <input type="checkbox"/> I trust in God's words over the arguments and philosophies of man
	 Hands	<p>Creed: I live by the commands, principles and promises contained in the Bible.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> I adopt the truths, ordinances, principles and values of scripture into everyday life <input type="checkbox"/> I read the Bible regularly, adopting proper interpretive techniques



RELATIONALLY CONNECTING

Reaching out to others and relationally connecting, especially through small groups, in order to build a community of authentic love, unity, acceptance and forgiveness.

In Christ we who are many form one body, and each member belongs to all the others.

Romans 12: 5

H³ ELEMENTS	 Head	<p>Creed: I believe that connecting in healthy relationships is God's way of building His body.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> I understand that human beings are created to exist in healthy relationship with others <input type="checkbox"/> I can identify indicators of both healthy and unhealthy relationships <input type="checkbox"/> I understand the concepts of relational boundaries and appropriateness
	 Heart	<p>Creed: I value other people and the contribution they make to my life.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> I greatly value the people around me <input type="checkbox"/> When my friends and family laugh, I laugh. When they cry, I cry
	 Hands	<p>Creed: I take opportunities to reach out to and receive from others.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> I make an effort to build and maintain relationships <input type="checkbox"/> I apply healthy boundaries and appropriate levels of intimacy with those around me <input type="checkbox"/> I am willing to sacrifice for my friends and family






FULLY PARTICIPATING

Actively involved in, and enthusiastically promoting, the life of the church through committed partnership. Committed to serving others through a ministry compatible with their SHAPE, regardless of cost.

The whole body, joined and held together by every supporting ligament, grows and builds itself up in love, as each part does its work.

Ephesians 4:16

H3 ELEMENTS	 Head	<p>Creed: I believe that the Bible is God’s written revelation of His will for us and is the basis of our values, beliefs and practices.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> I understand that each person is called and equipped to make a unique contribution to the church. <input type="checkbox"/> I understand that each “part of the body” works together with the other parts to bring about God’s purposes <input type="checkbox"/> I know my spiritual gift mix
	 Heart	<p>Creed: I am committed to serving God in and through his local church.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> I value the church as the Bride of Christ <input type="checkbox"/> I prioritise my life around serving God <input type="checkbox"/> I can define my area of passion in serving God
	 Hands	<p>Creed: I make myself available to sacrificially contribute and participate in the work of the local church.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> I am committed to attendance at my local church <input type="checkbox"/> I am a participating member of the local Church <input type="checkbox"/> I contribute to the work of the church in a sustainable ministry




SPIRIT EMPOWERED

Living a Spirit filled life that displays the fruit and gifts of the Spirit, and a supernatural leading and empowering for ministry and mission.

Since we live by the Spirit, let us keep in step with the Spirit.

Galatians 5:25

H3 ELEMENTS	 Head	<p>Creed: I believe the Holy Spirit resides within me, equipping me to fulfil God’s purposes in my life.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> I understand that the Holy Spirit is the third person of the trinity <input type="checkbox"/> I understand that the Spirit resides in every believer to glorify Christ <input type="checkbox"/> I believe that the Holy Spirit encourages, empowers and equips me to fulfil God’s will in my life <input type="checkbox"/> I understand that God calls me to be filled with the Spirit constantly
	 Heart	<p>Creed: I seek after and rely on the filling and enabling of the Holy Spirit in my daily life.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> I rely on the Spirit’s enabling to live in obedience to Christ <input type="checkbox"/> I exhibit a heart that is fully surrendered <input type="checkbox"/> I have faith in the Spirit to grow my character and give me power for supernatural ministry
	 Hands	<p>Creed: I seek to display the fruit of the Spirit, and utilise the gifts of the Spirit constantly.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> I have a sense of God’s empowering for ministry and mission <input type="checkbox"/> I am seeking constantly for the Spirit’s filling



MISSIONS ENGAGED

On mission for Jesus Christ, demonstrated by prayer, giving, and as appropriate, going to those beyond our immediate church with the view of sharing God's love.

Go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you.

Mark 16: 15-16

H³ ELEMENTS	 Head	<p>Creed: I believe God calls me to play a part in having the gospel reach into unbelieving cultures.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> I have an understanding that God calls all Christians to play a part in bringing the kingdom into un-reached cultures <input type="checkbox"/> I understand the various non-Christian cultures and sub-cultures, and how they can be impacted through Christ
	 Heart	<p>Creed: I have a passion to ensure people from every walk of life are given the opportunity to respond to the gospel.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> I desire and am committed to play a part in spreading the kingdom of God <input type="checkbox"/> I genuinely care for the eternal well-being of essentially lost cultures.
	 Hands	<p>Creed: I contribute to the work of spreading the gospel to un-reached people groups.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> I am active with ongoing participation in bringing the Kingdom to non-Christian cultures






EVANGELISTICALLY OUTREACHING

Reaching out in word and action to those who do not know Jesus Christ, so as to win them to faith and disciple them.

I have become all things to all men so that by all possible means I might save some.

1 Corinthians 9:22

H³ ELEMENTS	 Head	<p>Creed: I believe God calls me to share the gospel of salvation at every opportunity, and with the guidance of the Holy Spirit.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> I understand the Christian's mandate to reach out to unbelievers in a way that leads them closer to receiving Christ as Saviour and Lord <input type="checkbox"/> I understand that salvation is a journey as well as a decision <input type="checkbox"/> I can share accurately the full salvation message of: sin, righteousness, judgement, Jesus as Saviour, Jesus as Lord
	 Heart	<p>Creed: I share God's passion to see lost people find salvation.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> I am faithful in looking for opportunities to assist people along their faith journey <input type="checkbox"/> I share God's burden to see lost people get found
	 Hands	<p>Creed: I present the gospel of salvation through both words and demonstration, at every opportunity.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> I seek the Spirit's help in how to best reveal Christ to unbelievers <input type="checkbox"/> I share Christ under the guidance of the Spirit wherever possible