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# Vision 2016

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Identity – Who?

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Identity – Who?  
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When?

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‘What are you  
doing on  
earth?’

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*He is no fool who gives  
what he cannot keep to  
gain that which he  
cannot lose.*

*Jim Elliott*

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*There is nothing worth  
living for, unless it is  
worth dying for.*

*Elisabeth Elliott*

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*A clam glorifies God better  
than we do, because the  
clam is being everything it  
was created to be, whereas  
we are not.*

*Elisabeth Elliott*



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Christ Church is a great place to be – we're a very diverse group of people who have one thing in common: we've met an extravagantly generous God who loves us unconditionally.

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In Jesus, he's welcomed and accepted us, made us part of his world-wide family, is healing our brokenness and restoring in us what it means to be truly human.

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He calls us to be as generous to one another and to our world as he has been to us. The bible calls this culture of generous welcome and unconditional love 'The Kingdom of God.'

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This Kingdom is a place where earth begins to look like heaven, and we want to play our part in seeing it grow in our own lives, in Clifton, Bristol and beyond.

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We know it's impossible to achieve this ourselves and so we seek partnership with others who also look for the coming of God's Kingdom.

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Above all, we continually pursue a deeper love for, intimacy with, and understanding of Jesus – believing that this is the key to unlocking what is impossible for us.

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## Mission – Why?

... growing the  
Kingdom in Clifton,  
Bristol and beyond ...

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## Vision – What?

... to see the  
transformation of  
individuals & culture

...

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This happens as people are ...

...**welcomed** into a family of believers where people are allowed to be real, and encouraged to honour & care for one another

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This happens as people are ...

...**restored** in their identity as children of our loving Father God in encounter with Jesus through his Holy Spirit

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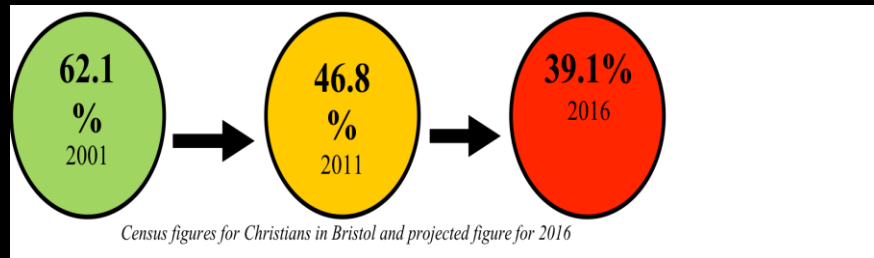
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This happens as people are ...

... **empowered** to reproduce the character, life and works of Jesus and so bring Kingdom culture, influence and transformation into every sphere of life, and especially our 'frontlines' where God has placed us day by day.

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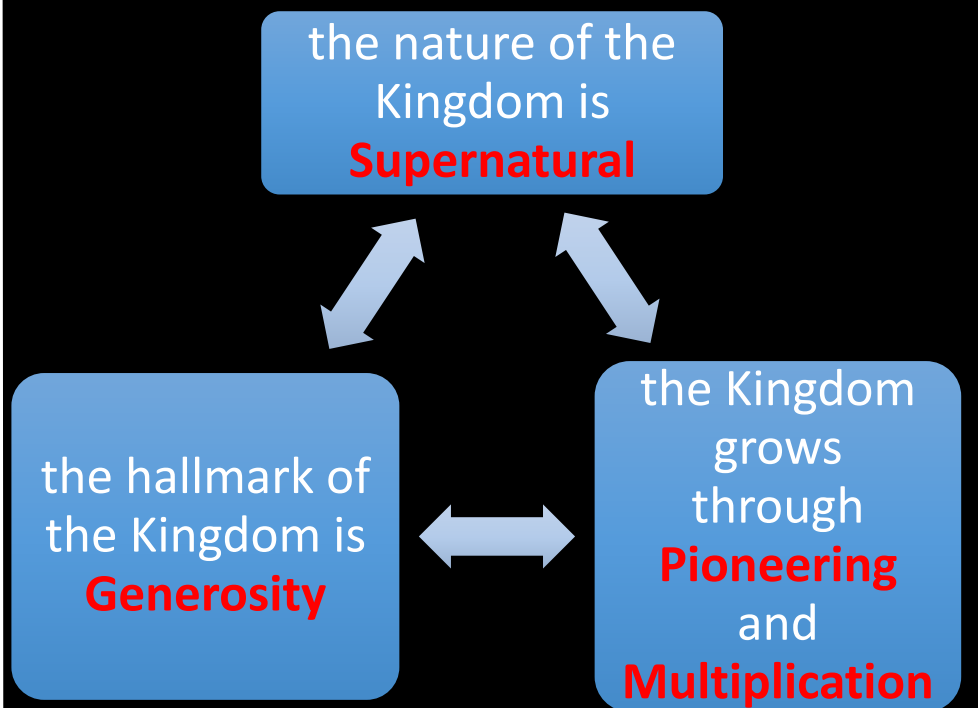
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## Values – **How?**

We group our core values  
under the following  
'Kingdom' convictions

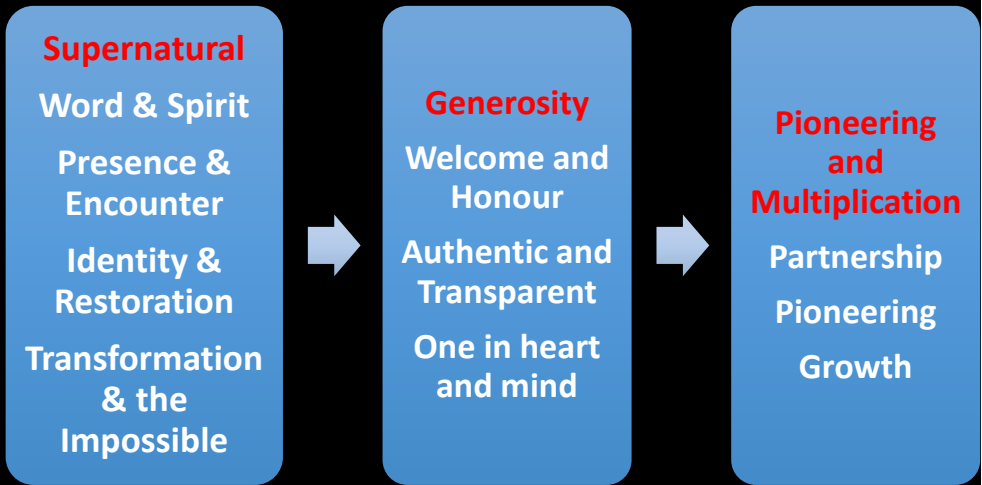
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a house **for the nations**

a house **of prayer**