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How Do You Build Something That Endures?

Hurricane Michael - Mexico Beach, FL - 2018





It's All About Clarity

Colossians 1:28-29, ESV

We Proclaim

to announce, to speak out

We Warn

to advise of negative
consequences

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We Teach

cause people to learn,
to know



With Wisdom

knowing what to say,
what to do and when

So That...

- we are in community
- we are in Christ

Through Spirit Empowerment

Start With The Foundation

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- what do you do?

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- what do you do?
- what are your non-negotiables?

What Is Your Why?



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Create Strong Supports



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- what are the pillars to build
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- 3-5 key pillars that reflect your mission, values and why

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David's Pillars



Cold Springs Church's Pillars

We create
environments for
family-centered
connection

We reach out to families
and children in need
through relationships
and programs of
transformation

We are Spirit-led and
Spirit-empowered to
influence our
community through
prayer

We equip people of
influence (leaders) -
parents, youth,
community.

Finding Your Pillars



“The best time to plant a tree was twenty years ago. The second best time is today.”

- Chinese Proverb

Look At Your Past

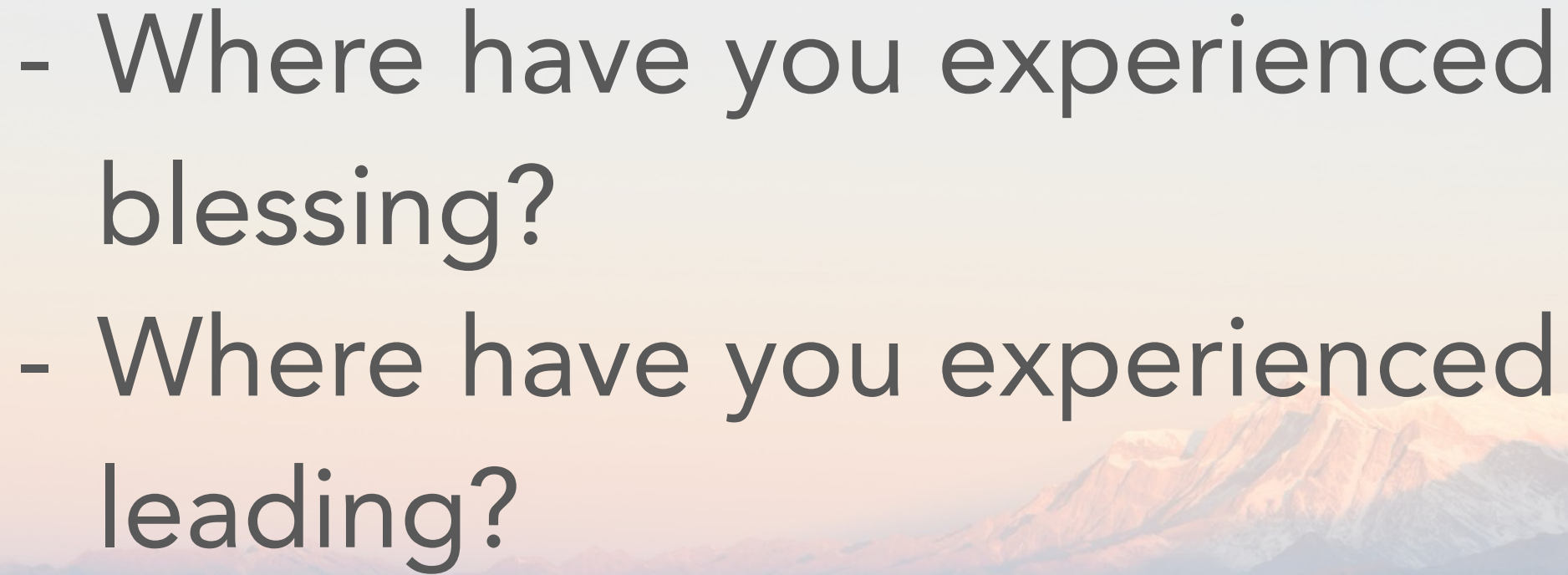


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- Where have you experienced blessing?



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- Where have you experienced blessing?
 - Where have you experienced leading?

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- Where have you experienced leading?
- Where have you experienced struggle?

Build The Floors To Walk On

Questions To Consider

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What is something
you have observed
that has endured?
What contributed to it
doing so?

What are the 3-5
Pillars you are
building on? Are they
the right pillars?

If you could start over today, what would be the pillars you would choose? Remember, you can plant a tree today.

Talk to someone whom
you admire about how
they have endured. Ask
them what has made the
difference in their life.

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