

WELCOME HOME



THE EDGE
CHURCH



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GAINESVILLE, GA
MYEDGECHURCH.ORG

WHO WE ARE



HELLO! Let me be one of the first to say WELCOME HOME! I cannot tell you how excited we all are to have you considering officially joining our Church Family. TEC is many things, but ultimately, it is a place for you and your entire family to connect with other believers, worship the Lord, grow in your relationship with Jesus, and fulfill your God-given purpose. We want to be a local Church that doesn't see its people as numbers but as wanted, valued, and loved people. We are in this together! That's why we do not have traditional church "members." Saying that we are members of a church sounds like we are an exclusive club. Instead, we have KINGDOM PARTNERS! That means we want to partner with you to accomplish our Mission and Vision of being KINGDOM FOCUSED. I hope you will partner with us and that you and your family feel welcomed and loved!

For His glory,
Pastor Ryan Roberts

OUR CREEDO: WE ARE KINGDOM FOCUSED

Being a KINGDOM FOCUSED Church means that we desire to do our part in fulfilling God's Great Commission found in Matthew 28:16-20 and Mark 16:14-18.

Jesus told us to seek the Kingdom First in Matthew 6:31-34.

Being Kingdom Focused means that we are focused and centered on Jesus Christ.

OUR CULTURE MUST BE "COUNTERCULTURE" TO THAT WHICH IS AROUND US (THE WORLD AT LARGE) AND THE ONLY WAY TO DO THAT IS TO EMBRACE THE KINGDOM OF GOD

OUR MISSION:

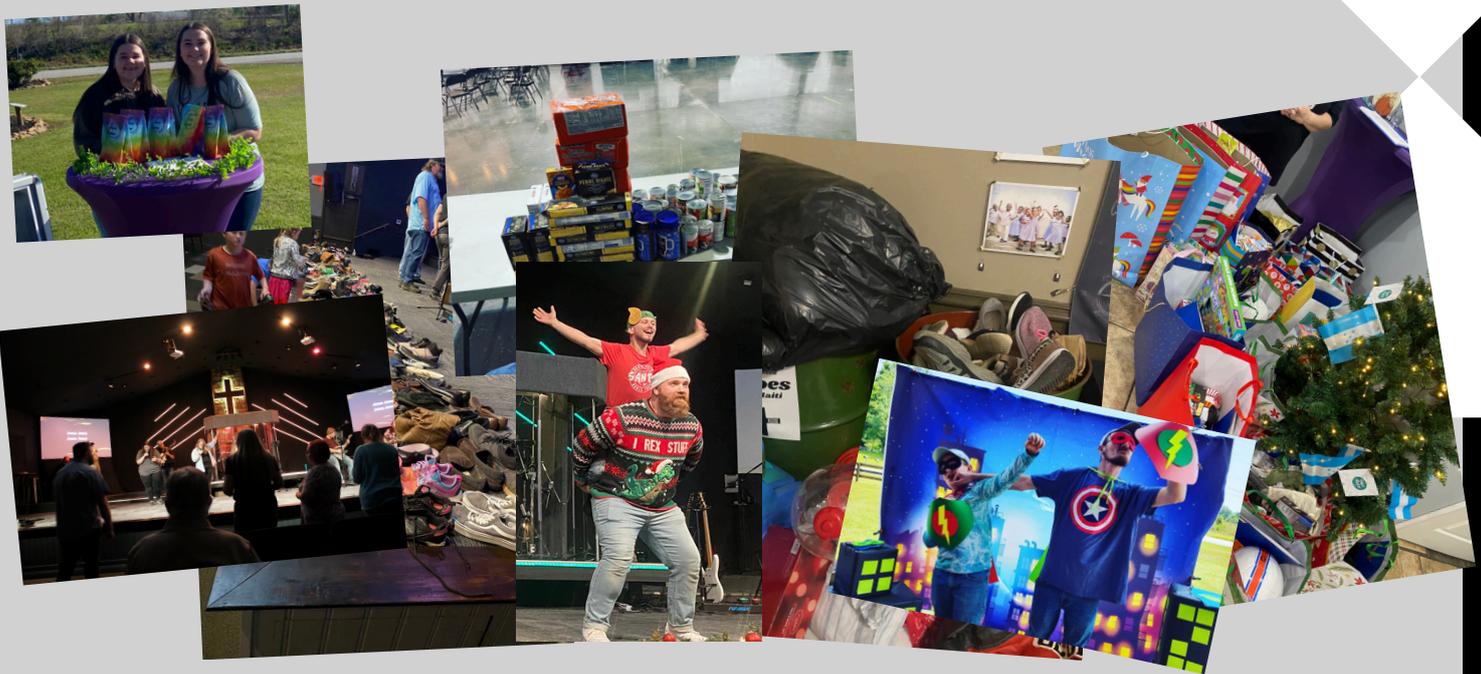
We hope to inspire people to experience Christ and help them grow, building the kingdom today.

OUR VISION STATEMENT:

THE EDGE CHURCH SEEKS TO BE: A Bible based community, that is Kingdom Focused, Spirit Empowered, Authentic in worship, Effective in service and one that Impacts our world for Christ.



OUR DNA



OUR CORE BELIEFS & STATEMENT OF FAITH

WE ARE A NON-DENOMINATIONAL, PENTECOSTAL CHURCH, MEANING THAT WE BELIEVE IN THE ENTIRE BIBLE, THE BAPTISM OF THE HOLY SPIRIT, CHARISMATIC EXPRESSION, OPERATION OF THE SPIRITUAL GIFTS, THE FIVE-FOLD MINISTRY OFFICES AND DIVINE HEALING. THE CORE BELIEF OF THE EDGE IS TO SPREAD THE GOSPEL OF JESUS. THE CHURCH ACCEPTS THE SCRIPTURES AS THE REVEALED WILL OF GOD, THE ALL-SUFFICIENT RULE OF FAITH AND PRACTICE, AND FOR THE PURPOSE OF MAINTAINING UNITY, WE HAVE ADOPTED SEVERAL BASIC STATEMENTS OF FAITH AND DOCTRINE. (PLEASE SEE ATTACHED)

OUR CORE VALUES ARE SIMPLE:

We are passionate about bringing real revival to Gainesville/Hall County.

We believe the gospel of Jesus can transform anyone's life.

We want you to know you matter to God and He has a purpose for you.

We joyfully give, passionately pray and worship as a lifestyle.

We seek to be a "kingdom Focused" fellowship, that is an active culture in life as individuals and as a community.

OUR LOGO



The Church is described in Acts as a community of believers who "turned the world upside down". Jesus describes His Kingdom as a lifestyle different than the world. One that is inhabited by the meek, the merciful, the peacemakers, and the pure of heart. He taught that we should "seek first" the Kingdom & that the Kingdom is "at hand".

Our logo is an inverted house, representing the way of Christ. It's on fire with the flame of The Holy Spirit. The crown in the middle symbolizes the Kingdom of God, His Church and everlasting glory!

Acts 17:6; Mark 1:15; Matthew 4:17, 5:1-10, 6:33



WAYS TO BE INVOLVED & PLUG IN

- JOIN A SMALL GROUP!
- JOIN A TEAM TO SERVE!
- JOIN OUR FACEBOOK GROUP!
- SUPPORT MISSIONS!
- ENROLL IN KINEO MTC!

AFTER BECOMING A KINGDOM PARTNER, WE INVITE YOU TO CHECK OUT ALL OF OUR MINISTRY TEAMS AND LET US HELP YOU PLUG IN!



WHAT IS A KINGDOM PARTNER

In place of traditional "membership" we have KINGDOM PARTNERSHIP! We like to say that we are partnered together for the Gospel's cause and to work together to spread Jesus throughout our community.

Similar to traditional membership there are expectations as well as benefits to begin a KINGDOM PARTNER. (KP)

KPs attend 75% of Sunday services, they give their tithe to TEC, & they partner with our entire Church family in prayer & service.

Occasionally the Lead Pastor may meet with KPs to discuss important Church business. KPs may also request to receive a yearly financial breakdown.

Good standing KPs receive free or reduced costs grave plots (see Mrs. Theresa for details, limited plots available.)

OUR LEADERSHIP STRUCTURE

CHURCH BOARD

OUR BOARD CONSIST OF OUR LEAD PASTOR, ELECTED DEACONS AND OUR SECRETARY. THE BOARD SERVES AS THE ACCOUNTABILITY AND ADVISORY COUNCIL TOWARDS THE LEAD PASTOR. THE BOARD MAKES ALL MAJOR FINANCIAL DECISIONS, WORKS TOGETHER TO ENSURE THE CHURCH BYLAWS AND BELIEFS ARE UPHELD. THEY SUPPORT THE VISION, MISSION & CULTURE OF TEC.

EXECUTIVE STAFF

OUR EXECUTIVE TEAM IS ASSEMBLED BY OUR LEAD PASTOR. THEY OVERSEE AND LEAD THE VARIOUS MINISTRIES AND TEAMS AT TEC. THIS TEAM MEETS ON A REGULAR BASIS & WORKS CLOSELY TOGETHER TO EXECUTE OUR MISSION, DEVELOP AND PROMOTE CULTURE, MAINTAINING UNITY AND SPIRITUAL DISCIPLESHIP.

SUPPORT STAFF

SUPPORT STAFF ARE APPOINTED LEADERS THAT WORK CLOSELY WITH THE EXECUTIVE STAFF TO ACCOMPLISH THE VISION AMONGST OUR VARIOUS TEAMS, PROVIDING STRUCTURE AND SUPPORT.

MEET OUR LEADERS

CHURCH BOARD

Mr. Jimmy Motes , Mrs. Theresa Motes, Mr. Jake Lumpkin, Mr. Junior Pittman, Mr. Brad Helton,
Pastor Ryan

EXEC. STAFF

P. Ryan Roberts, Lead Pastor
P. Wanda Atkins, Associate Pastor
P. Jenny Paitsel, Worship Pastor
Ashley Helon, Ministry Assistant
Jacob Lumpkin, Media Director
Theresa Motes, Secretary/Treasurer

SUPPORT STAFF

Sharon Ferguson, Local Missions Director
P. Jon Payne, Auxiliary Pastor
Maggie Finlay, Children's Director

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BECOME A KINGDOM PARTNER

WE ARE SO VERY EXCITED YOU HAVE
DECIDED TO PARTNER WITH US!
WELCOME HOME!

NAME: _____ DOB: _____

PHONE #: _____ EMAIL: _____

ADDRESS: _____

BY SIGNING YOU ARE AGREEING THAT YOU ARE: AT LEAST THE AGE OF 12. THAT YOU HAVE ACCEPTED JESUS CHRIST AS YOUR LORD & SAVIOR, AND HAVE REPENTED OF YOUR SINS, MEANING YOU ARE A BORN AGAIN CHRISTIAN. THAT YOU AGREE WITH OUR STATEMENT OF FAITH, AND YOU WOULD LIKE TO OFFICIALLY PARTNER WITH US AT THE EDGE CHURCH TO ACCOMPLISH OUR KINGDOM FOCUSED VISION, AND TO FULFILL THE GREAT COMMISSION (MATT 28:16-20 & MARK 16:14-18)

SIGNATURE: _____ DATE: _____