

VISION SUNDAY: READY FOR THE UNUSUAL

HAPPY NEW YEAR

JESUS' UNUSUAL WAYS

JOHN 2:1-11 - Wedding at Canaan

JOHN 9:5-7 - Spit on face

LUKE 17:12-14 - Go show yourself

HOW TO BE READY

MATTHEW 25:1-13 - 10 virgins' oil in lamp

- Key: obedience and faith

Be ready for the unusual

- Darkness is coming - churches are becoming more secular and in bed with the world.
- Expect heightened spiritual warfare
 - Testing who you say you are.
 - Challenging your calling to frustrate you.
- Expect God to show out in unusual ways - be ready the best you can, and with obedience and faith expect the supernatural.
 - Specifically, keep that one desire of yours for this year - keep it before God.

Darkness is coming but the Light is already here. No fear.

DIRECTIONS FOR FAST

- January 6-26. 12am -12pm
- Fast social media 6am-6pm
- Prayer: every 6 hours. 12, 6, 12, 6
- The Lord will Help Us
- Don't pursue material breakthroughs, pursue spiritual breakthroughs. God gets excited when we pursue Him / spiritual things

2025 VISION. WRITE OUT QUESTIONS AND I'LL ANSWER RAPID FIRE.

2025: OUR YEAR OF READINESS

1. Share the gospel

- Opportunities to go out

2024: OUR YEAR OF THE MANIFESTED HAND OF GOD

- Create an evangelism opportunity and we'll help you implement it.

2. Readiness to Grow in your calling

- Through service: time, money, heart.
- Through study
- Through submission

3. Portsmouth Church Plant

- Setting things in motion
- Making sure all factors are good to go

RESOURCES:

- Welcome Center
- Church app/ website - access to calendar
- Texting system- join (Easier through people connections: growth groups or ministries).
- Introduce Ministry Leaders – Organizational Chart

GOALS: BY THE END OF 2025

- Have led and discipled at least 3 people: examine yourself, skill set, and time commitment and get whatever help you need to make that happen. Male to male...
- Clearer vision and documentation of what God is calling you to do.
- Be in a Growth Group or be active in a ministry.

Q&A