

LAST WEEK RECAP:

The Antioch Church - Check your DNA

Be an Apache for Jesus

- The values are the organisation
- Volunteer based
- All have added responsibility
- Everyone becomes a guardian
- All responsible for our neighbour
- Strategic and Organic

You will reproduce who you are !



Our Every Nation DNA



To honour God by planting
Christ-centered, Spirit-empowered,
disciple-making, socially-responsible
churches and campus ministries in
EVERY NATION

Our DNA

To reach and bless Johannesburg through a multicultural church in which every member is:

- Loving and Worshipping God under the Lordship of Christ
- Living as a disciple and making disciples
- Labouring as the fields are white unto harvest
- Building family both natural and spiritual
- Influencing their community, campus and workplace, being salt and light
- Serving together within 'Every Nation' to advance the Kingdom in Africa and the world

Specific Steps

- Congregation in the North 2011/2012
- Additional Wits morning service 2010
- Still will bus from Braamfontein
- Additional UJ Bilingual service 2010
- Normal UJ bussing continues
- AM1 - Iain & Lisa & team
- AM2 – Andrew & Carol & team
- Roger & Nicola continue as lead elders

True Sonship

The Impact of Fatherlessness on Children

- **5x more likely to be poor, 10x more likely to be extremely poor**
- **Fatherless homes: 70% of youth in reform and long term prison inmates**
- **2x more likely as high school dropout**
- **More emotional & behavioral problems**
- **Girls- 3x likely to be unwed teenage mothers**
- **Boys-more unemployed, incarcerated & uninvolved with own children**

True Sonship



Fatherlessness is absence....

- **Physical**
- **Emotional**
- **Psychological**
- **Spiritual**

True Sonship

Romans 8 v 13-14

13 For if you live according to the sinful nature, you will die; but if by the Spirit you put to death the misdeeds of the body, you will live, 14 because those who are led by the Spirit of God are sons of God.

True Sonship

Romans 8v 15

15 For you did not receive a spirit that makes you a slave again to fear, but you received the Spirit of sonship. And by him we cry, "Abba, Father." 16 The Spirit himself testifies with our spirit that we are God's children. 17 Now if we are children, then we are heirs—heirs of God and co-heirs with Christ, if indeed we share in his sufferings in order that we may also share in his glory.

True Sonship

See God as Master

IMAGE OF GOD

See God as a
loving Father

Independent /
Paralysed

DEPENDENCY

Interdependent

Insecure & Lack
peace

SECURITY

Rest and Peace

True Sonship

Live by the Love
of Law

THEOLOGY

Live by the Law of
Love

Desire to impress
or none at all

**MOTIVE FOR
SERVICE**

Deep gratitude for
being loved

Self-rejection

SELF-IMAGE

Positive and
affirmed

True Sonship

Distrustful

**VIEW OF
AUTHORITY**

**Respectful,
honouring**

Rivalry & jealousy

**PEER
RELATIONSHIPS**

Humility and unity

**Accusation and
exposure**

**HANDLING
OTHERS'
FAULTS**

Love covers

Bondage

CONDITION

Liberty

True Sonship

Feel like a
Servant/Slave

POSITION

Feel like a
Son/Daughter

Ambition; a desire
to be seen
and counted
among the 'mature'

VISION

To experience the
Father's
love and
acceptance
and be sent as a
representative
of His love to family
and others.

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