

A Spiritual *WELL*ness Plan for 2018

Acts 2:42-47

*Pickens FBC exists to be a Worshiping,
Evangelizing, Learning, and Loving
family of faith to the glory of God.*

Purpose/Priorities/Objectives of the Church Identified by Respected Pastors of Healthy Churches

<i>Rick Warren</i>	Charles Swindoll	James E. White	Greg Laurie	Harry Reeder
<i>Purpose Driven Church</i>	<i>The Church: Purpose, Profile, Priorities</i>	<i>Rethinking the Church</i>	<i>The Upside Down Church</i>	<i>From Embers to A Flame</i>
<i>Saddleback Community Church,</i>	Stonebriar Community Church	Mecklenburg Community Church	Harvest Christian Fellowship	Briarwood Presbyterian Church,
California	Texas	North Carolina	California	Alabama
SBC	Non Denom.	SBC	Non Denom.	PCA
Worship	Worship	Worship	Worshipping	Worship
Evangelism	Evangelism	Evangelism	Evangelizing	Evangelism
Discipleship	Instruction	Discipleship	Learning	Learn
Fellowship	Fellowship	Community	Loving	Love
Ministry		Ministry		

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Through the power of the Holy Spirit and prayer, we will seek to accomplish our purpose through a vital:

- Worship encounter with the living God;
- Evangelistic outreach to the unsaved;
- Learning experience with the Word of God; and
- Loving involvement with both our family of faith and the world.

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A new commandment I give to you, that you love one another: just as I have loved you, you also are to love one another. By this all people will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another. (John 13:34-35)

Now concerning brotherly love you have no need for anyone to write to you, for you yourselves have been taught by God to love one another, for that indeed is what you are doing But we urge you, brothers, to do this more and more (1 Thess.4:9-10).

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*And the Lord added to their number day by day
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