
Lakewood Missions

Convictions

- Conviction 1: The chief end of man is to glorify God and to enjoy Him forever.
(Is. 43:6-8, Ps.66:1-3, Ps. 67:3-5, 1 Cor. 6:20, 10:31; Rom. 11:36; Eph. 1:11-12; 1 Pet. 4:11; Rev. 4:11, 5:12-13, 7:12)
- Conviction 2: Our God is a missional God who desires to save and be glorified among every tribe, tongue, people and nation.
(Gen. 3:15, 12:1-3, Ps. 67:2, Matt. 28:18-20, Luke 19:10, 24:47, Jn.3:16, 1 Tim. 2:4, Rev. 7:9-10)
- Conviction 3: The primary aim of missions is the fulfillment of the Great Commission.
(Matt. 28:18-20, Mark 16:15-16, Luke 24:46-47, Acts 1:8)
- Conviction 4: The priority of our international efforts should be given to people groups and places who are unreached or least reached with the gospel of Jesus Christ.
(Rom. 10:13-15, Matt. 24:14, Rom. 15:20, Rev. 5:9, Rev. 7:9-10)
- Conviction 5: As the local church we are called to be active participants in the Great Commission; praying, going, and sending that the Gospel of Christ might be preached in all creation.
(Matt. 28:18-20, John 20:21, Luke 10:2, 3 John 5-8, Acts 13:2-3)
- Conviction 6: The Bible tells us all we need to know to faithfully fulfill God's mission.
(Gen.1:1-Rev. 22:21)
- Conviction 7: Dependence upon the Holy Spirit is essential for the completion of the Great Commission.
(Luke 24:48-49, Acts 1:8, Jn. 16:7-15, Mk. 13:10-11, Jn. 14:26-27, Acts 4:31, Acts 9:31, Acts 13:4)