






Annual Report

SRCF
SALT RIVER CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP

2025

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Forward



Ivan Spencer

"Several years ago, I wasn't certain where the Salt River Christian Fellowship was headed. We were faithful, but we were still trying to understand our direction, our role, and what God desired this fellowship to become. There were moments of uncertainty, times of waiting, and seasons of prayer and planning. "

But today, I can say with confidence that God has been shaping something meaningful and lasting among us. Our fellowship is not only finding its footing—it is **making a real difference**. We are encouraging leaders, strengthening regional churches, and providing support and guidance to those who are planting and serving in new ministries. Slowly, faithfully, and steadily, the fruit of this fellowship is becoming visible.

What was once unclear has grown into a clear sense of identity: to be a fellowship marked by unity, mutual support, and shared purpose. We are becoming a lifeline to leaders who need encouragement, a place where churches can find connection, and a source of practical and spiritual help for those stepping out in faith to establish new works.

To all of our financial partners, prayer warriors, and those who labor beside us to advance this fellowship in unity and purpose—**thank you**. Your generosity, your belief in this mission, and your willingness to stand with us are helping build something that is impacting lives and strengthening the Body of Christ. We are deeply grateful.

Strategic Plan

In 2024, our strategic PLUS Plan officially launched, marking a significant new chapter for the Salt River Christian Fellowship. Since that moment, we have moved forward with renewed focus, intentionality, and prayerful dependence on God. What began as a bold vision has now matured into a coordinated and Spirit-led effort to equip, encourage, and unify the Body of Christ across the Salt River region and beyond.

From the very beginning, the goal of the PLUS Plan has been clear: to strengthen Christian churches so they can fulfill the mission God has entrusted to them. Over this past year, we have taken meaningful steps in that direction. We have invested in relationships, provided practical tools, and walked alongside leaders and congregations that desire to grow in faithfulness and impact. The fruit of these efforts—though still unfolding—has already been deeply encouraging.

We remain firmly committed to planting new churches, strengthening existing congregations, developing leaders at every level, and building genuine unity among believers. These priorities are not simply strategic initiatives; they are convictions rooted in Scripture and essential to the health of Christ's Church. We long to see congregations strengthened spiritually through discipleship, relationally through genuine fellowship, and missionally through a clear sense of calling and purpose.

Week by week, we are witnessing signs of God's favor. Doors are opening in unexpected places. Partnerships between churches, ministries, and leaders are forming with greater intentionality. New opportunities are emerging for training, collaboration, and outreach. These moments remind us that the PLUS Plan is far more than a document—it is a catalyst for renewal, momentum, and multiplied Kingdom impact.

Our prayer is simple: that God would use this fellowship to bring lasting Kingdom impact—one church, one leader, and one community at a time. And as we move ahead, we do so with gratitude for what He has already done and great anticipation for all He will continue to do in the years ahead.

“SRCF meetings have offered opportunities to better learn church functions and meet contacts from Christian churches around the area and outside our local area. The talks I've had with others have benefited us greatly with how to look for a new minister and names of fill in ministers which helped keep us going.”

-Jeff Drury, Member & Leader with Fairview Christian Church-

Looking Back

The Salt River Christian Fellowship church plant in Morehead, KY is now **in full swing**, thriving as it reaches out to the community with energy and purpose. Meanwhile, the Foothills Christian Church, led by Dylan Bjorklund, continues to make a **significant impact**, equipping believers, strengthening the congregation, and extending the reach of the Gospel in meaningful ways.



Church Planting



Bobby Harrington

February 2025

Bobby Harrington led an inspiring seminar, bringing his passion and experience to the forefront. He serves as the point leader for **RENEW.org** and **Discipleship.org**, two collaborative organizations dedicated to making disciples and strengthening the Church. His seminar provided practical guidance and encouragement for anyone seeking to live out their faith with intentionality and purpose.

Andrew Jit inspired and encouraged us with practical and heartfelt teaching on **family discipleship**, reminding us of the vital role families play in nurturing faith and passing on God's truth to the next generation. His insights challenged and equipped attendees to live out discipleship intentionally within their own homes.



Andrew Jitt

April 2025

"Through shared resources, practical training, and genuine encouragement, the SRCF is fostering a spirit of unity and collaboration that is helping churches and leaders of churches thrive!"

-Ashton Stewart, Lead Minister with Spencer Christian Church-



Phil LaMaster

August 2025

Phil LaMaster shared an encouraging message focused on the importance of being **unified in our faith**. His words inspired attendees to come together, strengthen relationships within the Body of Christ, and remain steadfastly focused on the mission God has entrusted to His Church. The message served as a powerful reminder that unity and shared purpose are essential for spiritual growth and Kingdom impact.

We are thrilled to welcome **Greg Pruett** from **Pioneer Bible Translators** to lead us in an inspiring session on **BOLD PRAYERS**. Greg will challenge us to go beyond ordinary, routine prayers and step into a life of courageous, faith-filled prayer that trusts God to move in powerful and unexpected ways.



Greg Pruett

December 2025

“We’re so thankful for our partnership with the SRCF. Their financial support has allowed me to give full-time attention to the demanding work of planting a disciple-making church, while also providing resources to serve and reach both our community and the campus!”

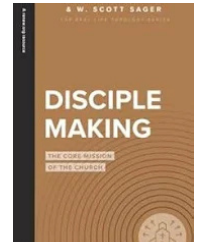
-Dylan Bjorklund, Church Planter with Foothills Christian Church-

Sharing Knowledge

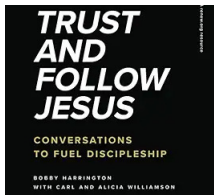
Throughout the year, SRCF provided several resources and reading materials to better equip and strengthen the fellowship. These resources were deliberately selected to encourage growth within the fellowship. In addition to these below, more will be given out at the December seminar.

Disciple Making- Core Mission of the Church

Bobby Harrington and Scott Sager encourages us to take hold of the churches mission and make the scriptural case for disciple making as the church's core mission. They define what it means to be a disciple and articulate the results among churches who shift toward cultivating a disciple making culture.



Disciple Making



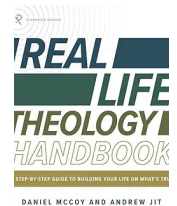
Trust and Follow Jesus

Bobby Harrington's comprehensive leader's guide that teaches church leaders how to implement the "Trust and Follow Jesus" discipleship model, covering essential Christian doctrines and practical applications.

Trust and Follow

Real Life Theology Handbook

Andrew Jitt, Daniel McCoy, and Jayson French's handbook takes Renew.org's *Real Life Theology* series and condenses it into a step-by-step training manual. Each chapter walks you through how to build your convictions on what is true—and then live them out in the real world.



Theology Handbook

“The SRCF seminar style meetings that I have attended have helped me to be a better man and leader. Full of Biblically based and backed information, often with great application as well!”

-Jacob Hill, Member with Antioch Christian Church-

Looking Ahead

As we look ahead, our core objectives remain steady: church **P**lanting, **L**eadership development, **U**nity, and **S**trengthening local congregations. We will continue refining our strategic plan to achieve the best possible outcomes.

In 2026, we will host quarterly seminars to equip our fellowship in sharing the Gospel, making disciples, and raising strong leaders. A comprehensive church-planting guide will also be in place, helping us establish a new church every five years.

We will refine our strategic financial plan to ensure efficient stewardship and launch a grant process for Salt River churches, strengthening leadership, disciple-making, and community impact.

As we close out this year, we do so with gratitude for all that God has accomplished and optimism for what lies ahead. To Him be the glory for richly blessing our fellowship!

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