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SOUTH HOLLY CHURCH



2025  
ANNUAL  
REPORT

BY YOUR BLOOD YOU RANSOMED PEOPLE FOR GOD  
FROM EVERY TRIBE AND LANGUAGE AND PEOPLE AND NATION,  
AND YOU HAVE MADE THEM A KINGDOM AND PRIESTS TO OUR GOD,  
AND THEY SHALL REIGN ON THE EARTH.

REV 5:9-10

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**BE WITH JESUS  
BECOME LIKE JESUS  
DO WHAT JESUS DID**

**VISION**

To become a healthy church that helps other churches become healthy

**MISSION**

To make disciples who make disciple-makers and raise leaders who multiply leaders

**VALUES**

Pray first  
Live mission  
Elevate God's Word  
Do it like it eternally matters  
Give generously  
Empower others  
Strengthen family

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## SOUTH HOLLY CHURCH



Dear South Holly Family,

I am grateful as I reflect on what God is doing in and through His church at South Holly. What we are experiencing is not the result of strategy, talent, or effort alone, but the clear and kind grace of God at work among His people.

Over the past year, we have seen God grow His church. We have welcomed new faces, heard new stories of faith, and watched hearts come alive to the Good News of Jesus. Growth is not something we pursue for its own sake; but a byproduct of the gospel taking root. When Jesus and His Word are elevated, He faithfully draws people to Himself.

I am thankful for the Kingdom-minded spirit of South Holly. Rather than holding tightly to what God has entrusted to us, we are joyfully sharing in it. We have supported other churches, partnered in gospel work beyond our walls, and celebrated wins that were not “ours”, but God’s. This posture reflects the heart of Jesus and reminds us that the Kingdom of God is bigger than any single local expression.

God is also forming us into disciples who make disciple makers. Men and women are taking intentional steps of obedience, opening their Bibles, homes, and lives to others. The gospel is moving from information to transformation, from belief to practice, and from individual faith to shared mission. By God’s grace, leaders are being raised up who are multiplying leaders. People are stepping into responsibility, serving with humility, and investing in others. This kind of multiplication ensures that the mission continues far beyond any one person or season. It is slow, faithful work, but it is the work that Jesus promised would bear lasting fruit.

Church, thank you for your faithfulness, your generosity, and your trust in the Lord. Let us continue to depend on His grace, remain rooted in the Gospel, and move forward together with expectancy. What God has begun among us, He is faithful to complete.

With gratitude and hope,  
Your Pastor,  
Shannon Popp

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EXCITING THINGS  
HAPPENED THIS YEAR

WE CELEBRATED **50** YEARS  
OF GOD WORKING THROUGH  
THIS CHURCH

WE HIRED **QUINN SWIM**  
AS OUR KIDS MINISTRY  
DIRECTOR.

WE SENT **2** TEAMS  
TO SUPPORT THE  
UNDERGROUND CHURCH  
IN ASIA

WE LAUNCHED A **SPECIAL-  
NEEDS SERVICE** TO ENSURE  
THAT NO ONE MISSES THE  
OPPORTUNITY TO GROW  
WITH JESUS

WE HOSTED A RECORD  
BREAKING **173** WOMEN  
FOR CHRISTMAS BY  
CANDLELIGHT

WE PARTNERED WITH LOVE  
INC FOR A DIAPER DRIVE  
COLLECTING MORE  
THAN **6800** DIAPERS  
AND WIPES

THE **SOHO CAFE** WAS OPEN  
FOR ITS FIRST FULL YEAR,  
FOSTERING A SENSE OF  
COMMUNITY AND FAMILY.

WE FINISHED CONSTRUCTION  
ON THE **PLAYGROUND**

SOUTH HOLLY WAS AWARDED  
A **\$150,000** SECURITY  
GRANT

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WE SAW THE FAMILY  
GROW

AVERAGE  
ATTENDANCE

124

THATS *20%* GROWTH FROM 2024!

BAPTISMS

10

CHRISTMAS EVE WAS OUR HIGHEST ATTENDED SERVICE IN  
SOUTH HOLLY'S HISTORY WITH *220* WORSHIPERS

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# WE HELPED OTHER CHURCHES BECOME HEALTHY

WE PARTNERED WITH 8 PASTORS TO JOIN GOD IN  
THE REINVIGORATION OF THEIR CHURCH: WHICH  
ALWAYS STARTS WITH PRAYER.

## REDEEMER BAPTIST CHURCH AURORA, CO

“WE’RE ABOUT TO LAUNCH 21 DAYS OF PRAYER AND FASTING FOR  
THE FIRST TIME IN OUR CHURCH’S HISTORY.”

## BELMAR CHURCH, LAKEWOOD, CO

“WE HAVE SEEN INCREASED PRAYER IN OUR CONNECTION GROUPS,  
BIBLE STUDIES, WEEKLY PRAYER MEETINGS AND THROUGHOUT THE  
CHURCH.”

## FELLOWSHIP BAPTIST CHURCH, DES MOINES, IOWA

“IT IS SO VALUABLE TO DEVOTE TIME IN OUR GATHERINGS TO SHARED  
PRAYER. IT IS BUILDING OUR UNITY!”

## TRINITY BAPTIST CHURCH, ADRIAN, MI

“IN OUR CHURCH, WE HAVE SEEN THE FRUITFULNESS OF MAINTAINING  
STRONG PRAYER. WE HAVE SEEN SALVATIONS. WE HAVE SEEN  
SURGERIES POSTPONED. WE HAVE SEEN UNBELIEVERS ASK TO PRAY  
WITH US. WE HAVE HAD GUESTS ATTEND CHURCH THAT SAID THEY  
WOULD NEVER STEP INTO A CHURCH. WE HAVE EXPERIENCED LIVE  
CHANGE AND SPIRITUAL GROWTH BECAUSE WE PRIORITIZE PRAYER IN  
OUR CHURCH.”

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# DISCIPLES BECAME DISCIPLE MAKERS

*67* PEOPLE FOUND COMMUNITY WITHIN A HOME GROUP

*18* PEOPLE JOINED A HOME GROUP FOR THE VERY FIRST TIME.

*25* DISCIPLES HAVE COMPLETED THE TABLE FOR TWO  
DISCIPLESHIP PATHWAY

SOUTH HOLLY SERVANTS TOOK *8* VISITS TO THE MORNINGSTAR  
ASSISTED LIVING FACILITY

*7* DISCIPLES TRAVELED ACROSS THE GLOBE TO SUPPORT  
DISCIPLE MAKERS IN ASIA

DISCIPLES ARE BECOMING DISCIPLE MAKERS IN MEN'S GROUP,  
WOMEN'S GROUP, MIDDLE SCHOOL GROUP, AND HIGH SCHOOL  
GROUP.

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**WE ARE NOT JUST  
A CHURCH THAT PRAYS  
BUT BECOMING  
A PRAYING CHURCH**

OUR CHURCH IS PRAYING FOR ONE ANOTHER THROUGH THE  
**SUNDAY MORNING PRAYER TEAM**

**71** PEOPLE GATHERED FOR OUR HIGHEST ATTENDED FIRST  
WEDNESDAY PRAYER AND WORSHIP NIGHT

STAFF SPENT **3120** MINUTES TOGETHER IN PRAYER FOR  
SPECIFIC PRAYERS AND PRAISES OF THE SOUTH HOLLY  
FAMILY.

**110** PEOPLE RECEIVE PRAYER REQUEST TEXTS EVERY MONDAY  
MORNING

WANT TO JOIN THE WEEKLY PRAYER REQUEST LIST?  
SCAN HERE!



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DISCIPLES GAVE  
CHEERFULLY

GIVING \$582,781

SPENDING \$417,524

FIRST TIME  
GIVERS 58

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# LEADERS MULTIPLIED

TOTAL  
SERVANTS

87

THATS *70%* OF OUR  
AVERAGE ATTENDANCE!

FIRST TIME  
SERVANTS IN  
2025

20

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# SO WHAT ABOUT NEXT YEAR?

OUR **SERVE TEAMS ARE GROWING** TO MEET THE NEEDS OF OUR CHURCH. WE ARE SEEKING ADDITIONAL SERVANTS IN KIDS MINISTRY, ON THE WORSHIP TEAM, AV TEAM, CONNECT TEAM, AND PRAYER TEAM.

WE ARE LAUNCHING A **NEXT STEPS CLASS** FOR ALL WHO WISH TO CALL SOUTH HOLLY HOME

WE ARE **SENDING TWO TEAMS TO ASIA**: SPRING AND FALL

WE WILL CONTINUE TO MAKE ROOM AND PREPARE FOR WHAT GOD IS GOING TO DO IN **2026!**

## JOIN US!



IN SMALL GROUPS  
ON SERVE TEAMS  
ON A MISSION TRIP

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