

Redeemer East Side Vision, Mission, Values

Our Vision: Why do we exist?

Redeemer East Side exists to see Manhattan's East Side--and the entire city--renewed spiritually, socially, and culturally through a movement of the gospel of Jesus Christ for the glory of God.

Our Mission: What do we do?

We are building a **movement** of everyday New Yorkers who are transformed by the **gospel**, rooted in cross-cultural gospel **community**, and mobilized for Christ's **mission** where they live, work, and love.

Our Core Values

1. **The Gospel:** The Good News of Jesus Christ (Romans 1:16)
 - a. The gospel is the unmerited gift of God in Jesus that brings both peace with God and one another across human divisions
 - b. The gospel changes lives through personal conversion and brings renewal through formative spiritual practices
2. **Cross-Cultural Gospel Community:** The Reconciling Family of the Father (Ephesians 2:11-22) We strive to be:
 - a. A counter-culture marked by the distinct holiness of those reconciled to God
 - b. A community of cross-cultural love: solidarity, justice, and forgiveness.
 - c. A community on mission with Jesus everywhere he sends us
3. **Missional Callings:** The Renewing Mission of the Spirit (Jeremiah 29:4-7)
We form disciples of Jesus who bear witness to the gospel and seek:
 - a. Cultural renewal through our work
 - b. Flourishing in our relationships
 - c. Mercy and justice in our neighborhoods
4. **Gospel Movement:** The Dynamics of the Kingdom (Matthew 28:28-20)
 - a. We mobilize disciples who can cross cultures and make more disciples
 - b. We plant churches that can cross cultures and plant more churches