



“Re:Thinking Church”

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The POWER OF YOUR STORY

**1. THE WAY YOU ENDURE _____
CAN STIMULATE _____**

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God has good news even in our bad news

And we know that for those who love God all things work together for good, for those who are called according to his purpose.—Romans 8:28

Our faith in Christ makes a difference.

**2. THE WAY YOU REMAIN _____ AUTHENTICATES
YOUR _____**

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**3. THE WAY YOU _____ CAN ENCOURAGE OTHERS
FOR _____**

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“Courage is contagious. When a brave man takes a stand, the spines of others are often stiffened.” - Billy Graham

Every Christian needs a church family because growing and maturing is community activity. When adversity comes, we need to lean on each other.

*Don’t be afraid of what you are about to suffer. The devil will throw some of you into prison to test you. You will suffer for ten days. But if you remain faithful even when facing death, I will give you the crown of life.
- Revelation 2:10*

(Suffering, Interest, True, Witness, Live, Christ)

Memory verse: *And we know that for those who love God all things work together for good, for those who are called according to his purpose.—Romans 8:28*

My Next Step Today is...

- Memorize Romans 8:28
- How is your faith challenged today?
- What can God use in your life to encourage others?
- I want to talk to someone about receiving Christ as my Savior.

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