



**PART 4**

# **SURE FOUNDATIONS**





## BVBC Core Values

**Bible-Centered, Generously Orthodox  
Meaningful Membership & Community**

**Unity in Diversity**

**The Pursuit of Excellence, Relevance &  
Innovation**

**Thriving Families**

**Authenticity and Restoration**

**Discipleship Driven**

**Gospel Partnerships for our City & World**





## Discipleship Driven

We are fully committed to making disciples of all ages according to the great commission: introducing people to Jesus and helping them follow Him. Every ministry at BVBC must be committed to the discipleship pathway of Know, Grow, Go.

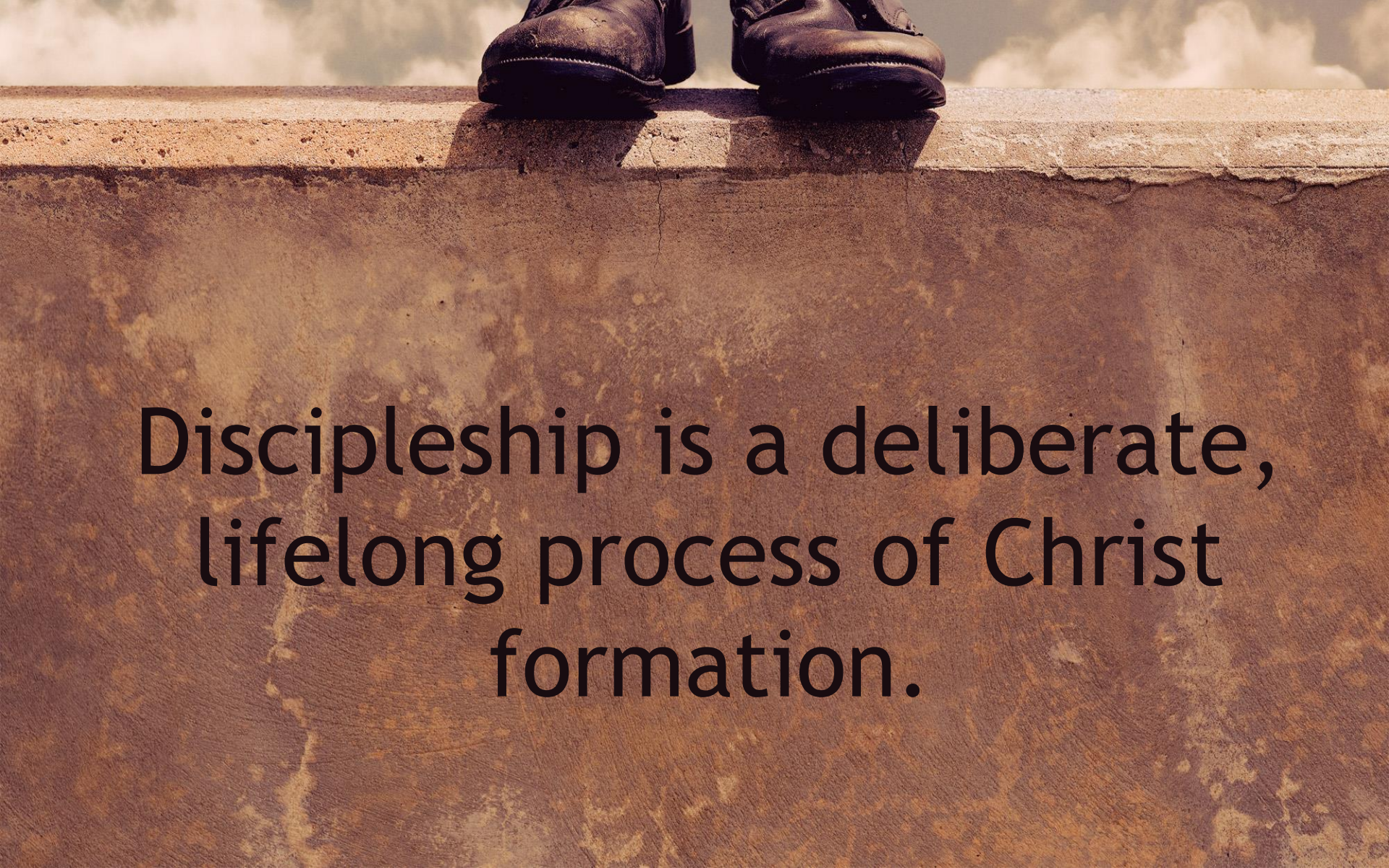




## Matthew 28:18-20

*18 Then Jesus came to them and said, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. 19 Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, 20 and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age."*



A pair of worn, brown leather shoes stands on a concrete ledge. The shoes are positioned at the top of the frame, with their soles facing the viewer. The concrete ledge is a light tan color and shows some texture and wear. Below the ledge is a large, textured surface in shades of brown and tan, resembling a wall or a large piece of stone. The background is a bright, cloudy sky. The overall composition is simple and evocative, suggesting a journey or a path.

Discipleship is a deliberate,  
lifelong process of Christ  
formation.





# Discipleship Pathway in the Great Commission

**KNOW Christ**  
“Make disciples”  
“Baptizing”





# **Discipleship Pathway in the Great Commission**

**GROW in Christ**  
**“Teaching them to obey”**





# Discipleship Pathway in the Great Commission

**GO with Christ**

**“Go and make disciples of all nations”**

**“I am with you always”**





*The church exists for nothing else but to draw men into Christ, to make them little Christs. If they are not doing that, all the cathedrals, clergy, missions, sermons, even the Bible itself, are simply a waste of time. God became Man for no other purpose.*

**-C.S. Lewis, Mere Christianity**









*“The biggest threat to the church today is fans who call themselves Christians but aren’t actually interested in following Christ. They want to be close enough to Jesus to get all the benefits, but not so close that it requires anything from them.”*

**— Kyle Idleman, Not a Fan**





## **Gospel Partnerships for our City & World**

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## Romans 1:16

*For I am not ashamed of the Gospel, for it is  
the power of God for salvation to everyone  
who believes, to the Jew first and also to the  
Gentile.*





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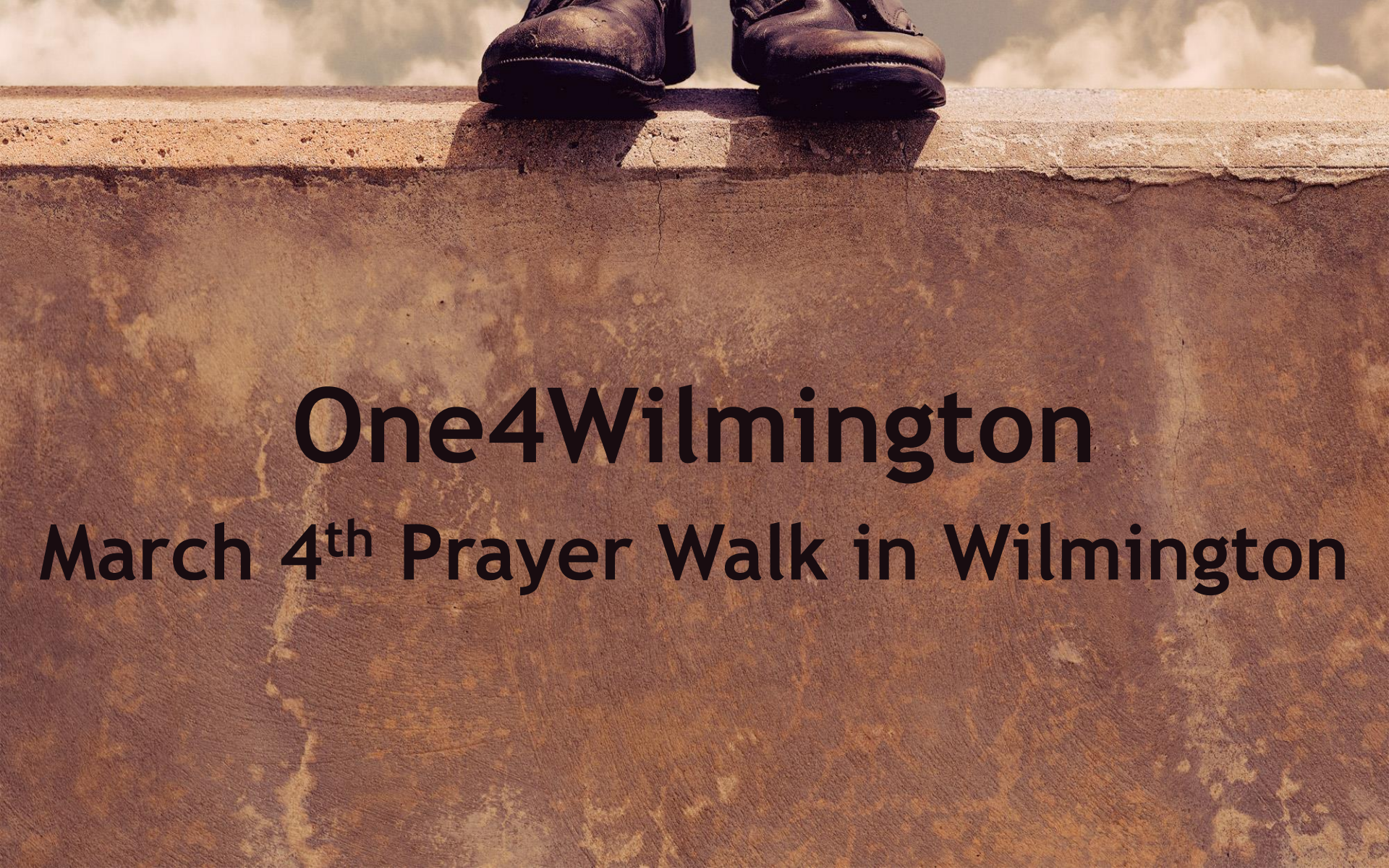




## Acts 1:8

*You will be my witnesses in Jerusalem,  
Judea and Samaria, to the ends of the  
earth.*





**One4Wilmington**

**March 4<sup>th</sup> Prayer Walk in Wilmington**



# Over 60,000 Diapers Collected



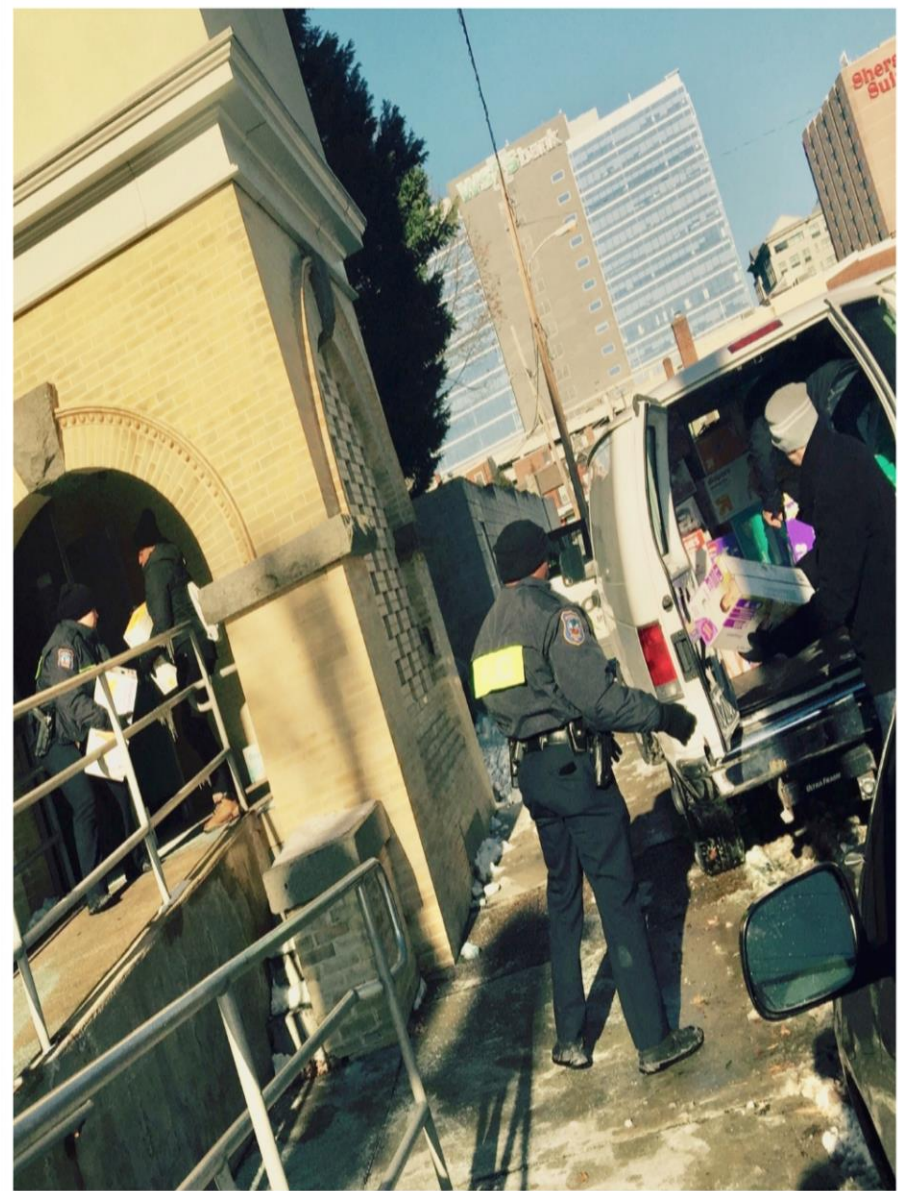


# YWCA Women's Shelter West Center City





# The Porter Center West Center City





# The Ministry of Caring, Baird House





# Families of Wilmington







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