

OUR FUTURE

HARTFORD BAPTIST
CHURCH

OUR
SPIRITUAL
GROWTH

I. OUR SPIRITUAL GROWTH

• 5 AREAS OF SPIRITUAL GROWTH

Discipleship

Evangelism

Missions

Biblical Literacy

Prayer

WHERE DO YOU FIT?

Connect, Fellowship, Grow, Give

WHAT

HAPPENS

WHEN WE

FINDING WAYS TO FACILITATE THE PEOPLE

- ▶ Children's Space
- ▶ Worship Center
- ▶ Parking/Restrooms

REACHING OUR COMMUNITY

THE MISSION OF
HARTFORD BAPTIST
CHURCH

WHO DO WE WANT TO REACH AND HOW?

- ▶ What kind of church do we want to be?
- ▶ How do we keep our ties to our past while looking forward to the future?
 - ▶ Biblical Preaching
 - ▶ Biblical Teaching
 - ▶ Evangelism
 - ▶ New Members Class
 - ▶ Flexible Musical Style

II. THE MISSION OF HARTFORD BAPTIST CHURCH

- ▶ Local Missions
- ▶ Church Planting
- ▶ Foreign Missions

Jonathan Sayles

MISSION COMMUNITY CHURCH (NEW ORLEANS EAST)

About the Family

My wife, Jessica, and I have lived in the New Orleans metro area for more than 20 years. I was born here, and she moved to New Orleans as a very young child. We have been married for three years and have two children, Joanna and Julia.

I am currently enrolled at New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary, where I am pursuing a Master of Divinity in Biblical Languages. I serve as president of Kingdom Financial Education. Kingdom Financial Education is a Christian nonprofit ministry that teaches individuals, families, churches and businesses how to manage money God's way.

About the Church Plant

Our desire at Mission Community Church is to be a multiethnic, multigenerational and multiplying church. Our mission is to show the love of God to people from different walks of life and develop them into fully devoted followers of Christ.

We are committed to reaching the unchurched with the gospel of Jesus Christ in an area of more than 90,000 people with only a handful of existing SBC churches. Our launch team began meeting in February 2017, and we plan to launch in August 2017. Our team reflects the multiethnic church that we desire to be.



Find out how you can

Pray.

Participate.

Provide.

PRAY.

- For the salvation of lost individuals and families.
- For the perseverance and growth of our launch team.
- For God to open doors to more evangelistic opportunities.
- For authentic discipleship multiplying new believers.

PARTICIPATE.

- Commit your church to pray for us.
- Help with community canvassing, door-to-door surveys and evangelism.
- Send construction and renovation teams.
- Send community block party missions teams.
- Help with other missions projects.

PROVIDE.

There are numerous ways to help a church plant. Please visit sandnetwork.com/plantedfunding for NAMB's policy on providing for church

GOING
FORWARD

SO WHAT DO WE DO NOW?

- ▶ Complete our staff
- ▶ Form a search team
 - ▶ Prepare the parsonage
- ▶ Facility Renovations
 - ▶ Education Building
 - ▶ Worship center

THE NEXT STEP

HOW DO WE
AFFORD IT?

FAITH, FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITY, FISCAL SAVING

- ▶ Raise the funds by faithfully giving
- ▶ Match funds where needed responsibly from our resources
- ▶ Save responsibly from our giving