

4E's VIDEO COURSE

- Welcome to the 4E's Course
- Over the next four video sessions I want to give you some insight into the mission and vision of Royal View Church.
- I also want to help you discover how you can use your gifts and talents to move God's vision for Royal View forward.
- It is my hope that you will experience what it means to be part of the Royal View family

Session 1 – Expose **Exposing you to the mission, vision, values and process of** **Royal View Church**

Royal View Church Mission

Royal View Church is committed to reaching the people of London and the world with the gospel of Jesus Christ and developing them into mature followers of Christ.

We exist to make disciples of Jesus! Matthew 28:18-20

What it means to be a disciple...

Royal View Church Vision

CONNECT:

- CONNECT with God through worship, teaching, and prayer
- CONNECT with the church family through fellowship, encouragement, and ministry
- CONNECT with our community by sharing life with them

GROW:

- GROW in Faith by the study of the Word, discussion, and prayer
- GROW in Loving relationship by sharing life experience, encouragement, and prayer
- GROW in Passion for Jesus and His purposes for our lives

SERVE:

- SERVE God by Serving the Church family
- SERVE God by Serving our Community/City
- SERVE God by Bringing the message of Christ to the world

PARTNERSHIP

Why should you become a Partner?

Here are some reasons why we believe that being a partner of a local Christian church is important.

- It publicly identifies you as a followers at Christ (Mark 8:38)
- It provides a spiritual family for you where you can receive support and encouragement in your walk with Christ. (1 Thessalonians 5:11)
- It gives you a place to discover and use your gifts in ministry (1 Corinthians 1)
- It places you under the spiritual protection of spiritual leaders (Hebrews 13:7)
- It helps you join forces and pool resources with more people for the sake of making greater impact on our community and world for Jesus (Matthew 28:19-20. Matthew 5:14-16)

What does being a Partner Require?

There are eight aspects to being a healthy partner of the body of Christ at Royal View Church.

Faith:

To believe in Jesus Christ as your Lord and Savior, and to trust that his death and resurrection were sufficient for your sins to be completely forgiven by God.

Bible Reading and Prayer:

To develop the discipline of Bible reading and prayer in order to maintain a living and growing relationship with Jesus.

Worship:

To participate in our weekly gatherings, offering to God your heartfelt praise and listening for His guidance and direction.

Mutual Care:

To give and receive encouragement from fellow believers, praying for one another and building each other up. Because this is often best accomplished through Small Groups, we urge all members of Royal View to connect with other believers in a Community Group that meets regularly to pray for one another, minister to each other, study God's word together, and encourage each other in their walk with God.

Service:

To discover your God-given gifts and to use them in ministry both within and outside Royal View

Witness

To live a life worthy of Jesus Christ and to look for opportunities to share His love with others, inviting and welcoming them to Royal View or another place of worship.

Unity:

To promote the unity of the body of Royal View by supporting its teaching, vision, and mission, and by praying and submitting to its leadership.

Stewardship:

To give towards the work and ministry of Royal View locally and around the world.

These are the eight aspects of healthy partnership in the body of Christ. We consider all eight of them to be vitally important.