

## VISION SUNDAY 2018

August 19, 2018

- Happy 6<sup>th</sup> Anniversary! Freedom Church's public launch day was August 19, 2012.

- God's Vision Verse for Freedom Church for the coming decade:

*Then God blessed them, and God said to them, "Be fruitful and multiply; fill the earth and subdue it; have dominion...over every living thing that moves on the earth." – Genesis 1:28 NKJV*

### FOUR DEFINING TRUTHS FOR THE COMING DECADE:

1. We have moved from a season of preparation into a season of blessing.  
*Then God blessed them....* – Gen. 1:28a

2. We have a calling and anointing for multiplication.  
*...and God said to them, "Be fruitful and multiply...."* – Gen. 1:28b

3. We have a global role for extending the Kingdom which can only be fulfilled through radical sacrifice and strategic partnerships.  
*"...fill the earth and subdue it...."* – Gen. 1:28c

4. We have a calling and anointing in the realm of spiritual warfare, deliverance, and recovery ministry.  
*"...have dominion...over every living thing that moves on the earth."* – Gen. 1:28d

- A key piece in fulfilling our calling for the coming decade is identifying and developing an army of new leaders.

*In the church at Antioch there were some prophets and teachers. They were Barnabas, Simeon (also called Niger), Lucius (from the city of Cyrene), Manaen, (who had grown up with King Herod), and Saul. These men were all serving the Lord and fasting when the Holy Spirit said to them, "Appoint Barnabas and Saul to do a special work for me. They are the ones I have chosen to do it." So the church fasted and prayed. They laid their hands on Barnabas and Saul and sent them out. – Acts 13:1-3 ERV*

*They chose elders for each church, by praying and fasting for a certain time. These elders had trusted the Lord, so Paul and Barnabas put them in the Lord's care. – Acts 14:23 NCV*

*Are any of you sick? You should call for the elders of the church to come and pray over you, anointing you with oil in the name of the Lord. Such a prayer offered in faith will heal the*

*sick, and the Lord will make you well. And if you have committed any sins, you will be forgiven. – James 5:14-15 NLT*

*To the elders among you, I appeal as a fellow elder.... Be shepherds of God's flock that is under your care, watching over them—not because you must, but because you are willing, as God wants you to be; not pursuing dishonest gain, but eager to serve; not lording it over those entrusted to you, but being examples to the flock. – 1 Peter 5:1-3 NIV*

*So keep watch over yourselves and over all the flock which the Holy Spirit has placed in your care. – Acts 20:28 GNT*