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Dear Friends & Family,

I truly appreciate our connection and the support you have shown me, my family, and the ministry God has allowed me to participate in over the years. Starting March 1st my family and I will be taking a huge leap of faith. I have stepped away from a paid position as the worship leader at Journey Community Church to become the Sunday Expression Pastor at New City Church.

New City is a church plant that meets near downtown San Diego that desires to see the city saturated and transformed by the gospel of Jesus. New City's strengths are gospel teaching, discipleship and living as family together. When it comes to their Sunday services, however, there is a growing need for improvements, creativity, and pastoral care in order to reach more of the city. In this new role I will not only be joining the worship team but also overseeing the services. Sunday services are vital expressions of the church, and as their Weekend Expression Pastor I will help the weekend as a whole thrive in the connection people experience as they visit and attend a service.

New City is also where my wife Heidi has been serving part time as their administrator for four years. The two pastors Vince Larson and Kenny Liles are not just pastors to our family but dear friends who have been with us through our hardest seasons of life. To say the least, we are close to New City and many of the members. These Sunday service efforts would allow Vince and Kenny to focus more on their strengths of gospel teaching, discipleship and equipping more community groups in the city to love their neighbors like Jesus did.

Feeling drawn to New City has been an undeniable tug. This particular expression of God's church is where we know our family is called to serve. The church is currently growing but isn't large enough at the moment to financially support my new role. We are looking for a team of people to support this role for two years. Beyond the two years New City would take over the support that you guys have put into motion. You would be helping create something that didn't exist, and it will be a gift that keeps on giving! Being associated with New City over the years, I've seen many people come to faith and grow deeper with Jesus. I know the worth of God's kingdom growing will far outweigh the temporary unknown. I find that very exciting! Would you consider helping us? Below are ways you can support:

Pray – Would you pray for people to hear the good news of Jesus, for lives to be restored & renewed in the love of Jesus, and for disciples to be made at New City? Will you pray Heidi and I receive the fundraising we need to link arms with New City? Let us know you are praying. We hope to send periodical updates to everyone.

Give – Would you financially support our family in this mission? We are raising funds to cover our \$6,000 monthly living expenses for our family of four here in San Diego for the first two years at New City. Imagine if we had 100 people give \$60/month, our need would be met! Your gift will be a blessing! You can give by mail or online.

To give online:

- Website Link <u>newcitysd.com/give</u>
- Choose the "Davis Family Pastor Support" fund
- You can also text '**NEWCITYSD**' to **77977** and you will receive a one-time reply containing the link to give

To give by mail:

- Write check to "New City Church" PO Box 122535 San Diego, CA 92112
- Put "Davis Family Pastor Support" in the memo section
- Mail donation with your commitment card in pre-stamped envelope.

Connect – Stay connected with us. Your emotional support & wisdom in our lives is a key component of encouragement & discernment to us. Feel free to reach out anytime by email at <u>Trevor@newcitysd.com</u> or <u>Heidi@newcitysd.com</u>.

Thank you again for considering how you can support our family and the work God has called us to at New City. We greatly appreciate you taking the time to read about our new transition. We walk by faith, knowing we are deeply loved by a generous Father!

Sincerely,

Trevor Davis

P.S. If you know of anyone else who may be interested in supporting our ministry, please share & connect us to them. It would be a tremendous help!



New City Church is a tax deductible donation 501(c) 3 organization. If you'd like to support, visit: <u>www.newcitysd.com/give</u> and make sure to choose the "Davis Family – Pastor Support" fund option. Thank you!