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Working Title: Let The World Hear You ROAR

Series Overview

This is a strategic series designed to communicate for the first time to new family members, reiterate for long standing family members, and reinvigorate the passion for our mission at Revive.

We are a missional church that makes lifelong disciples, growing in authentic community with other believers. It is our heart to be reaching out and impact our community and see every member of our church family participating in the mission. This series will help recommunicate the mission and engage those who are new to Revive.

We also want to communicate the wider theology of mission – missiology and why this is so integral to the Christian walk. Dr John Andrews joins us this series, and will be taking that message.

Context for visiting speakers:

We are 4 years on from leadership transition and major change as a church, things are going well, and we have a generally happy and healthy church culture. As senior leaders, Ben and Rose are aware that this is the point where we could become comfortable as a church and lose our missional edge. We hope to inspire and challenge our people to be disciples who make disciples and meet the needs of our local and global communities. We have also seen an influx of new family members who aren't aware of our mission and culture, and we want to ensure they catch hold of it, and carry it, rather than there be any dilution of it. It is time to clearly re-state our mission, strategies and values as we lead into a new season.

At Revive we have:

Mission Statement – (our collective mission to make disciples) <u>https://www.revivechurch.uk/the-mission/</u>

Discipleship Strategies (the steps we take as individuals on a journey of discipleship) <u>https://www.revivechurch.uk/resources/messages/?enmse=1&enmse_tid=6&enmse_mid=79</u>

https://www.revivechurch.uk/resources/messages/?enmse=1&enmse_sid=14

Environments (The different missional areas in the church designed to help people on the journey of discipleship)

https://www.revivechurch.uk/resources/messages/?enmse=1&enmse_tid=6&enmse_mid=78

https://www.revivechurch.uk/resources/messages/?enmse=1&enmse_sid=14

The Code (Our culture a set of biblical values we as a church family hold dear and attain to) <u>https://www.revivechurch.uk/about/the-code/</u>



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Key Series Wins

For Believers: To engage in the mission of their home church, for more church family members to understand their purpose within the local church context and wider mission, to sign up to serve and give in Revive and carry the mission in their day to day lives.

For None Believers: For them to hear of a God who saves and see a people passionate about sharing the good news because of what God has done for them, and to want to choose that way of life, as a disciple of Jesus.

Mission – (Revive, Outpour, Advance, Restore)

ROAR!!

Strategies – (Know God, Get Free, Find Purpose, Make A Difference

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Environments – (Reception Area, Living Room, Kitchen Table, Revive Team)

All

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The Mission Statement: To make a sound that reverberates through the nation. The sound of people being **REVIVED** through knowing Jesus as their Saviour. The sound of people **OUTPOURING** love, truth, and grace to all they meet bringing freedom and faith. The sound of the kingdom of God **ADVANCING** through growing number of people finding their purpose and boldly reaching out to the lost, the least and the last. The sound of communities being **RESTORED** through relevant and engaging groups of disciples making a difference. <u>To be a church</u> **that ROARS**

SERIES MESSAGES

Message 1 - The ROAR – and overview of the mission at Revive

An introduction to our mission statement and where it fits with strategies and environments. An exploration of sound and why our mission is based on sound (the ROAR)

Know What? Why we have a mission statement and what it is

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So What? So that we as a church family can unite and move in the same direction to advance God's kingdom in a relevant way in our context.

Now What? Encourage a corporate responsibility for the mission and for church family to get involved.

Where is Jesus? He gave us the mission statement, and It is Him we are proclaiming through all that we do at Revive – our mission statement comes under His great commission to make disciples.

Message 2 - Missiology

An introduction to the theology of mission – missiology – why is it important to be a missional church and what does this mean?

Know What? What the bible tells us a missional church looks like, (woven from creation onwards, demonstrated through Jesus, modelled in the early church)

So What? having a mission is biblical! We need to be missional!

Now What? Encourage a corporate responsibility and for church family to get involved.

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Message 3 – Revive, Outpour

Look at the first 2 sounds of our mission, how we see these outworked and how we measure them.

Know What? What Revive and Outpour means and how we outwork those at Revive, also how we measure if we are successfully doing these things.

So What? So we can make a difference in our context, and support people on lifelong journeys of discipleship.

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Message 4 – Advance, Restore

Look at the 3rd and 4th sounds of our mission, how we see these outworked and how we measure them.

Know What? What advance and restore means and how we outwork those at Revive, also how we measure if we are successfully doing these things.

So What? So we can make a difference in our context, and support people on lifelong journeys of discipleship.

Now What? Encourage a corporate responsibility and for church family to get involved.

Where is Jesus? He gave us the mission statement, and It is Him we are proclaiming through all that we do at Revive – our mission statement comes under His great commission to make disciples.

<u>Useful Links:</u>

Our previous mission series are on our missions page on the website linked above.

The notes for that series are linked here:

https://revivechurchuk-

my.sharepoint.com/:w:/g/personal/ben_wood_revivechurch_uk/EWKzbJVG1ht OmN-T8B8_4MMBDjgI7y1a3LSi9qR5WuQ4lw?e=PcURtY