



## Vision for 2025: A Year to Stay Connected

**John 15:5; Galatians 2:20; 1 Corinthians 12:12; Romans 12:3–6; Acts 2:46–47**

As the appointed prophet for this house, I am thrilled to declare 2025 as **A Year to Stay Connected**. This is not a year for wandering or drifting but one to strengthen our connection to **Christ**, the **Church**, and the **Community**.

### Stay Connected to Christ

Jesus said, "I am the Vine; you are the branches." (**John 15:5**) Our call this year is to remain rooted in Him. By abiding in Christ, we will bear spiritual fruit and experience abundant life. Let us grow deeper in our faith, leaning on Him for strength and direction in every area of our lives.

### Stay Connected to the Church

True growth happens when we serve and fellowship together. This year, I challenge every member of FOLHOW to actively participate in ministry and outreach initiatives. Serving is the key to feeling truly connected to the church.

- **Regular Worship:** Make it your priority to gather consistently with the saints.
- **Intentional Living:** Apply your faith daily, walking with purpose and aligning your life with God's Word.

### Stay Connected to the Community

We are committed to evangelism and outreach. In 2025, we declare an **Evangelism Explosion**, inspired by the Acts 2 church model. Together, we will:

- Share the gospel to lead souls to Christ.
- Invite others to worship and experience God's presence.
- Foster fellowships from house to house, finding favor with God and man.

We trust God to grow His church in both quality and quantity as we stay faithful to His mission.

### Vision 2020 Building Campaign

Our commitment to the Vision 2020 Building Campaign continues as we prepare to construct senior housing apartments, a community center, and a gym. This project will:

- Provide housing for seniors.
- Create job opportunities.
- Promote community engagement in the South Mountain area.

To make this vision a reality, we ask every member to sow a monthly sacrificial seed above your regular tithes and offerings. Suggested amounts are \$50, \$100, \$250, \$500, or \$1,000—or any amount the Lord places on your heart. The campaign launches on the **4th Sunday in January**. Your obedience and generosity will bring blessings 30, 60, and 100-fold.

### Prepare for the Shift

God is moving, and it is vital that we stay in position to receive what He has in store. I am excited about the future of FOLHOW and this new season of connection. Together, we will declare: "**GOD DID IT AGAIN!**"

Let us stay connected to **Christ**, the **Church**, and the **Community** in 2025. Watch as God exceeds our expectations!

**This is the Word of the Lord!**

**With Love, Bishop Russell**