

Mission, Vision & History

Mission

To prepare the way of the Lord, by making straight in the Arizonan desert a highway for our God, so that the glory of the Lord may be revealed and that all flesh will see it together.

Isaiah 40:3-5 “The voice of one crying in the wilderness: “Prepare the way of the Lord; Make straight in the desert a highway for our God. ⁴ Every valley shall be exalted and every mountain and hill brought low; The crooked places shall be made straight and the rough places smooth; ⁵ The glory of the Lord shall be revealed, and all flesh shall see it together; For the mouth of the Lord has spoken.”

Vision

To fulfill our mission by:

- Establishing an apostolic and prophetic holy temple in the Lord - a glorious dwelling place of God in the Spirit, where the lost are saved, the sick are healed, and the oppressed are freed on Sundays @ 10:00 AM.
- Establishing a house of prayer through our Awakening House of Prayer service that meets on Mondays from 11:00 AM until 1:00 PM.
- Equipping the saints for ministry through our Prepare the Way School of Discipleship conducted on Wednesdays @ 6:30 PM.

History

Prepare the Way International was conceived in the heart of Senior Pastor Rob Winters, on June 29th, 1986, in a church in Hampton, VA, when he received the baptism in the Holy Spirit and a destiny prophetic word based on Isaiah 40:3-5.

Rob met Kay in a church in Charleston, SC in 1989 where Rob preached his first pulpit message. They were later married on February 16, 1991. Rob earned a Master of Biblical Studies degree from Christian International in 1992 and began an itinerant prophetic ministry in South Carolina and Georgia. After serving as associate pastors at a church in Goose Creek, SC, the Lord spoke to Rob & Kay separately on December 19, 1995, at 2:00 AM to move to Phoenix.

Since arriving in Phoenix in April 1996, Rob & Kay have ministered itinerantly in prophetic ministry, led the GateKeepers International Prophetic Network (2003-2008), and founded Prepare the Way International in 2009. Shortly thereafter, Kay began to teach on spiritual warfare and answered her divine calling to minister to Native America.

After six years of conducting prophetic gatherings in Phoenix, the Lord impressed upon Rob & Kay to found Prepare the Way International Church in January 2016. In November 2018, Rob earned and was honored to receive the degree of Doctor of Ministry in Discipleship (DMin).