

Wintonbury Vision

We want to see our communities transformed by God's presence.

Wintonbury Mission

We seek to help individuals and communities experience God, become more like Jesus, discover their calling, and impact their world.



Wintonbury Values: Authority

1. Jesus: We love Jesus Christ as our Savior and King.

(Philippians 3:7-11)

2. The Bible: We treasure the Bible as the Word of God which reveals the truth about Himself, ourselves, and the world. (2 Timothy 3:16-17)

“Godly” Defined

“To live godly is to live with a reverent awareness of God’s sovereignty over every aspect of one's life, and the attendant determination to honor him in all our conduct.”

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We Will Suffer for
What We Value

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“Convinced of”

Πιστόω

Pistao

“To come to believe something to be true; to be assured of”

“HOLY Scriptures”

ἱερός

hieros

“that which is filled by divine power - that which is holy in and of itself; as opposed to ‘hagios’ (holy), which is something made holy.”

God-breathed

“Inspiration is...God’s superintendence of the human authors so that, using their own individual personalities, they composed and recorded without error His revelation to man in the words of the original autographs.”

Charles Ryrie, Dallas Seminary

False Views of Divine Inspiration

Natural	Great writers
Spiritual	Inspired writers illumined by HS
Partial	Passages about faith are inspired
Conceptual	Concepts, not words, inspired
Dictation	Writers totally passive

The Bible Inspired by God

“Above all, you must understand that no prophecy of Scripture came about by the prophet’s own interpretation of things. For prophecy never had its origin in the human will, but prophets, though human, spoke from God as they were carried along by the Holy Spirit.”

2 Peter 1:20-21

A photograph of a sailboat on the ocean. The top half of the image shows the white masts and rigging of the sailboat against a clear blue sky. The bottom half shows the white hull of the boat on the dark blue water. A solid black horizontal band is overlaid across the middle of the image, containing white text.

“Carried along by the Holy Spirit...”

DOCTRINE

Shows you the path to walk on.

INSTRUCTION

Shows you how to stay on the path.

CORRECTION

Shows you how to get back on the path.

REPROOF

Shows you where you've gotten off the path.

THE BIBLE
II Timothy 3:16

The diagram features a central circle containing the text 'THE BIBLE' and the reference 'II Timothy 3:16'. Surrounding this central circle are four text blocks: 'DOCTRINE' (top-left), 'INSTRUCTION' (top-right), 'CORRECTION' (bottom-left), and 'REPROOF' (bottom-right). Each block includes a brief description of its function. A horizontal line with an arrow points from the Bible towards the right, passing between the 'CORRECTION' and 'REPROOF' blocks. Two curved arrows form a clockwise cycle: one from 'DOCTRINE' to 'INSTRUCTION', one from 'INSTRUCTION' to 'REPROOF', one from 'REPROOF' to 'CORRECTION', and one from 'CORRECTION' back to 'DOCTRINE'. Additionally, a line from the 'CORRECTION' block curves around the bottom of the Bible circle and points towards the right, merging with the horizontal path.

WINTONBURY STATEMENT OF FAITH

The Word of God: We believe that the whole Bible is the Word of God, verbally inspired and without error in the original manuscripts, written under the inspiration of the Holy Spirit, and that it has supreme authority in all matters of faith and conduct.

What is Your Time in Scripture Like?

- Blueberry Pie
- Meat and Potatoes
- Green Vegetables
- Chicken Broth

Enjoying God's Word

“When your words showed up, I ate them—swallowed them whole. What a feast! What delight I took in being yours, O God, God-of-the-Angel-Armies! I never joined the party crowd in their laughter and their fun. Led by you, I went off by myself.”

Jeremiah 15:16-17





“...a competition for the kids to create their own religion that everyone can believe in and that will be good for all, for all time.”

Chris Lindstrom, Director

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