

# Who We Are

*Pastor Ross Sterling Russell, Church on the Beach, 1-29-23*

**Text:** 1 Corinthians 1:1-2

**1. We are the church of God.** *1 Corinthians 1:2, 12:12-13; Ephesians 1:22-23; Colossians 1:18, 2:10*

**2. We have been sanctified in Christ Jesus.**  
*1 Corinthians 1:2; Hebrews 10:10, 13:12*

**3. We are being sanctified in Christ Jesus.** *John 17:15-18, 1 Corinthians 1:2, 1 Thessalonians 5:23, Hebrews 10:14*

**4. We are called to be set apart.** *John 15:19, Romans 1:1, 12:1-2; 1 Corinthians 1:2; 2 Corinthians 6:14-18, 7:1; Ephesians 2:10, 4:29; Galatians 2:20; 1 Peter 1:16, 2:9*

## ***Ongoing Events:***

**Thursday Night Bible Study:** At the Russells' home. This week we are in Acts 15. Come join us as we dive into God's Word! Take some time out of your week for great worship, Bible study and fellowship around the fire. Talk to Pastor Ross or Elena for more info.

**January Bible Reading Plan:** We are reading 2 chapters of the NT a day 6 days a week to finish the NT by June! Join us. We sent the January Calendar through church email. If you aren't on the email list, please sign up on the back table. Monday, we are reading Luke 5 and 6. Just jump in right there if you haven't already started.

## ***Upcoming Events:***

**Redondo Pier Outreach:** February 4th. 12 noon-2 pm. Pass out tracts, share the Gospel, and pray for people on the pier. Watch God move! See Chris Egelston for more info.

**COTB Discipleship Class:** Meets weekly starting February 7th. Learn the basic tenets of our faith and much more! Zoom or meet in person. RSVP by February 1st to Dan Steward at [dcsteward@alumni.rice.edu](mailto:dcsteward@alumni.rice.edu).

***On the Beach Outreach:*** February 18th. Santa Monica Beach below Crescent Bay Park next to the bike path. Help feed the homeless, sit down and have a conversation, share the Gospel, and offer to pray for them. Pass out hygiene kits. Come and be blessed! Talk to Daniel Russell for more info.

**Malawi Outreach:** June 3-22. Join the Malawi Outreach Team and help dedicate water wells, conduct children's ministry, and show the *Jesus Film* in rural villages. Our church is sponsoring one of the wells! See Pastor Ross or Chris Eggleston for more information.

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