

## **Kehilat HaMashiach Core Value, Vision, Purpose, Mission Statements**

### **The Core Value of Kehilat HaMashiach Messianic Synagogue is...**

We are a ‘Kehilah Kedusha’ – a sacred community (Ron Wolfson, ‘The Spirituality of Welcoming’) where Yeshua as Messiah enables His people to worship Him ‘spiritually and truly’ (John 4).

### **The vision of Kehilat HaMashiach Messianic Synagogue is...**

As part of the modern-day, G-d led movement for Yeshua (Jesus) as Messiah of our people Israel, we envision and live out Yeshua at the center of Jewish life bringing forth the salvation and blessing promised for all of mankind. (Genesis 12:3, Romans 11:12, 15)

### **The purpose of Kehilat HaMashiach Messianic Synagogue is...**

1. To exalt the G-d of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob,
2. To proclaim Yeshua of Natzeret (Nazareth) as the promised Messiah of Israel,
3. To establish and strengthen a community of Jewish and Gentile followers of Yeshua faithful to G-d to follow Biblical Instruction in the context of our Messianic Jewish vision,
4. To disciple believers in Yeshua through Biblical instruction and the ministry of the Holy Spirit,
5. To cultivate an environment where Jewish people can seek and find Messiah Yeshua and live out a faithful Jewish life, sensitive to Jewish tradition, identity and heritage,
6. To establish a community where Gentile believers in Yeshua can express and live out their love of Jewish people and their desire to be a part of the Jewish movement for Yeshua,
7. To build, protect and preserve the unity and equality of Jewish and Gentile members of the Body of Messiah within our synagogue while recognizing and upholding the unique, Biblically distinct callings for both Jews and Gentiles, male and females,
8. To establish and strengthen bridges of communication and relationship between the mainstream Christian and Jewish communities.

The mission of Kehilat HaMashiach Messianic Synagogue is...

1. As Jewish and Gentile believers in Yeshua, faithfully living out our Messianic Jewish vision and lifestyle, worshipping together as one, we will reflect, as Jews the prophetic, Biblical return of love for G-d in Messiah Yeshua and His Torah with honor for tradition, and as Gentiles, a 'Ruth-like love of G-d and commitment to the Jewish people.
2. To teach and reveal to all in the Body of Messiah a Biblical understanding of G-d's eternal covenant with and love for the Jewish people in order to help eradicate historical Christian anti-Semitism and bring about a love and support of the Jewish people.