

History of the Church

Apostle Dr. Willie G. Nutt was prompted to start San Jose Word of Word of Faith Christian Center in October of 1983. The first service (consisting of two people) was held in the home of a Muslim, who had converted to Christianity as a direct result of hearing the Word of Faith taught by Apostle Nutt.

The Sunday School's lesson for that first service was a study of Joshua and Caleb. The ex-Muslim brother retorted to Apostle Nutt, "I'm Caleb, you're Joshua...give me my mountain". Ever since that day, the ministry has been overcoming significant mountains to the glory of God.

In December of 1983, the church had grown to about 12 people and relocated to a Community Center on Jackson Street in San Jose. While in the Community Center, people became aware of San Jose Word of Faith Christian Center as a church in which God performed miracles: one of the most notable miracles being the restoration of sight to a blind woman.

After about a year at the Community Center, the Lord miraculously provided us with a Church building on Alum Rock Boulevard in San Jose. While there, a new dimension of the ministry evolved, we became known as an anointed praying church, because women would congregate there in numbers approximating 100 each Monday night for Women's Intercessory Prayer. The subsequent years were quite challenging with us having to move between hotels, motels and leased facilities. Then the Lord worked another miracle against considerable opposition and provided us with our current facility. Since being here, the Lord has confirmed this ministry as a prophetic teaching ministry that brings inspiration and enlightenment to the people of God.

San Jose Word of Faith Christian Center's theme will continue to focus on ministry to the entire person: spirit, soul and body.