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NEW COMMUNITIES

Celebrating MLK Jr Weekend - Already, but not yet

I. NEW COMMUNITIES COME FROM A NEW VISION

A. Our Vision & MIssion

And Jesus came and said to them, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, to the end of the age." Matthew 28:18-20

II. NEW COMMUNITIES COME WITH NEW IDENTIFIERS

- A. CHOSEN
- B. ROYAL
- C. HOLY

But you are a chosen race, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, a people for his own possession, that you may proclaim the excellencies of him who called you out of darkness into his marvelous light. Once you were not a people, but now you are God's people; once you had not received mercy, but now you have received mercy.

1 Peter 2:9-10

III. NEW COMMUNITIES CREATE A NEW HARMONY

A. In heaven, our differences will be perfectly seen and celebrated.

And they sang a new song, saying, "Worthy are you to take the scroll and to open its seals, for you were slain, and by your blood you ransomed people for God from every tribe and language and people and nation, and you have made them a kingdom and priests to our God, and they shall reign on the earth."

Revelation 5:9-10

IV. WHAT'S YOUR NEXT STEP?

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