

# “SmileFaith Statements of Mission, Values, Vision & Faith”

## MISSION STATEMENT

1. **Our Mission:** SmileFaith provides charitable dental care, wellness programs, Christian life coach counseling and ministry to the under-served of Tampa Bay, the Appalachian Region of Eastern Kentucky, and beyond.
2. **Our Motto:** HOPE WITH EVERY SMILE

## VALUES STATEMENT

1. **Servanthood:** We model our lives and ministry after the servant-life of Jesus, honoring the Lord with our speech and actions.
2. **On Mission:** We stay on task with the tenants of our mission statement.
3. **Networking:** We strive to connect with, and raise financial support, from people with whom we share a common cause.
4. **Accountability:** We seek always to serve with honesty and integrity.
5. **Leadership Development:** We purpose to instruct and empower teachable individuals to live impactful lives.

## VISION STATEMENT

- Sharing the Good News of Jesus Christ.
- Providing dental and wellness assistance to those in need.
- Providing counseling and ministry resources for Christian living.
- Assisting churches, dental professionals and others with dental ministry events and mission trips.



## FAITH STATEMENT

### **About God**

God, the creator and ruler of the universe, eternally exists in three personalities – Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. These three are co-equal and are one God.

### **About Humanity**

People are made in the spiritual image of God, to be like God in character and to be in relationship with God. The attitude of disobedience toward God called “sin” separates us from the relationship with God we were intended to enjoy.

### **About Salvation through Jesus Christ**

The only way to restore our relationship with God is by accepting Jesus Christ as our Lord and Savior. Jesus Christ lived a sinless life on earth and voluntarily paid for our sins by dying on the cross to take our punishment. He rose from the dead and will return to earth to rule forever. Everyone will exist eternally, either separated from God by sin or united with God by faith.

### **About the Holy Spirit**

The Holy Spirit makes people aware of their need for Jesus Christ. He also lives in every believer, empowering them for spiritual growth and acts of service to a needy world.

### **About the Church**

The Church is the community of people who through faith, have embraced Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior. The role of the church is to communicate the Good News of Jesus Christ to the world through word, deed and character.

### **About the Bible**

The Bible is God’s eternal Word to humanity. It was written by human authors under the supernatural guidance of the Holy Spirit. It is the supreme source of truth for what we believe and how we live.

