



**WELCOME TO
NIKAO CHURCH**

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Thank you for visiting Nikao Church today! We are so excited you're here with us. We pray that you will have an amazing experience whether it's through worship, the sermon, or connecting with other people. As we get to know you better, here's a little bit about us.

DEFINITION

Nikao / nih-kay'-o /
Greek To conquer, to
prevail, to have the
victory

FOUNDATIONAL SCRIPTURE

"No, in all these things
we are more than
conquerors through Him
who loved us." —
Romans 8:37

MISSION

To know God and live out
His heart. We>me

OUR HEART

Passionate Worship
Relevant Preaching & Teaching
Emphasis on the Next Generation
Authentic Community
Commitment to WE
Heart to Serve

OUR STORY

Nikao Church started in 2014 in the basement of Pastor Brian Duley's home. 12 individuals took a crazy leap of faith —uprooted their families, left great jobs, schools, and churches, and moved to Charlotte based on a Word from God.

After vision nights, launch team meetings, and leadership trainings, those 12 people grew into the initial Dream Team, and 68 people helped to launch Nikao Church on March 15, 2015, at Vance High School in Charlotte, North Carolina. On March 15, 2020 just 5 years later, Nikao Church moved into the Oasis Center with over 1,000 + members. Since then, thousands of people have visited our church. We've seen hundreds of people make a commitment to Christ, we've also baptized hundreds of people, and today, over a thousand people attend Nikao Church on a weekly basis in person and online. But beyond the numbers, every single individual has a story, and they are somebody just like you, who God loves and has a plan and purpose for. So, we invite you to see for yourself how exciting church can be when the focus is simple — helping people know God and live out His heart.

OUR PASTORS

Brian Duley is the Senior Pastor of Nikao Church, a young, vibrant and life-giving church in the Charlotte area. In late 2014, he and his wife, Tamika, along with 12 faithful individuals began having launch team meetings in the basement of their home. On March 15, 2015, Nikao Church held its first public service. Since that time, over thousands people have made commitments to Christ and over 2,000 people worship together each week.

Pastor Brian holds a business degree from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill and a degree from Rhema Bible Training College with a concentration in pastoral ministry. He has a passion to see people transformed by the Word of God and the power of the Holy Spirit; people who are reaching their God-given potential and walking in their God-designed life.

Known for his innovative approach and never-a-dull-moment services, Pastor Brian believes in developing creative and cutting-edge ways to reach people for the cause of Christ. He is a firm believer that we must be willing to achieve our mission by any godly means necessary!

Together with his beautiful wife of 17 years, Tamika, three daughters: Miranda, Kailyn, and Gabrielle, and son, Brian II, Pastor Brian is excited to continue witnessing the incredible things God is doing in and through the lives of those in Charlotte, NC as WE becomes greater than me.



2023: THEME

KINGDOM

Every year we pray and fast on what our theme of the year will be. This year is the year of KINGDOM! Whose Kingdom? God's kingdom!! We are building Kingdom People and expanding Kingdom Territory. We are equipping Kingdom people through our next steps classes each week.

God has recently opened a door for us to expand the Kingdom Territory from 1 campus our Nikao North Campus to 3 campuses! Nikao North, Nikao South, and Nikao Global online! This year it will be on Earth as it is in Heaven.

THEME VERSES: MATTHEW 6:9-10

If you'd like to learn more about our 2023 theme, we encourage you to watch this sermon from Pastor Brian.



FAQS

Do you have anything for my children?

Our Nikao Kids Ministry is a clean and safe environment where children ages 6 months – 5th grade can discover God. It is available during all of our worship services and there you will find a nursery along with preschool and elementary classrooms staffed with loving volunteers. All of our volunteers are background checked, screened, and trained to ensure the safety of your child(ren). If you would like for your kid(s) to participate, all you have to do is stop by one of our Nikao Kids check-in stations.

As well as every Sunday at 8:30AM EST we have a Nikao Kids service online on youtube @nikaokids.

Do you have a nursing moms' area?

We have a nursing mom's room available for our guests located in Nikao Kids. Our volunteers can assist you if you have trouble finding it. There, you will find a private and quiet atmosphere where you can nurse your infant, change a diaper, or rock your little one to sleep. This room is complete with infant toys, bottle warmers, and comfy chairs as well as snacks and water for your convenience.

What about my teenager(s)?

Nikao Church loves teenagers! We believe they are the church of today, not tomorrow. We invite your teen to participate alongside you in our weekend services, sign-up to serve on one of our ministry teams, and join us for our many youth events happening during the year. If you have a student that is either in middle school or high school, Nikao YTH is for them! At Nikao YTH they will learn about who God truly is, learn how to live out His heart, and build community.

Join us on EVERY 1st, 3rd, and 5th WEDNESDAYS at 7:00PM EST at Oasis!

Instagram and Tik Tok- @nikaoyouth

You tube @nikaoyouth434

For weekly updates:

Text "YOUTH" to 980-332-5155 to receive weekly updates about Nikao Youth. Text "YOUTH PARENT" to 980-332-5155 to receive weekly updates about Nikao Youth.

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How can I meet others and get connected?

At Nikao, there are many ways to get involved! You can begin by visiting our guest services team located in the back of the sanctuary or by attending one of our membership classes. Additionally, our events and small groups are other great ways to connect with others. There, you can build meaningful friendships, learn more about the life of our church, and have opportunities to grow in your faith. If you are a part of our global online campus please fill out a connection card at www.nikaochurch.org/firsttime and someone will be in touch with you.

How do I join or become a member of Nikao Church?

At Nikao Church, we believe membership equals partnership. Our members assist us in helping people know God and live out His heart. They are active participants and contribute to the mission of our church by attending regularly, connecting in groups, inviting others, and serving with their time, talents, and treasure. If you would like to partner with us by becoming a member, join us at our FIND YOUR PLACE class, which is held every 1st SUNDAY during 2nd service.

Looking for prayer?

One of our core values is we PRAY FIRST! Before we do anything we PRAY FIRST! If you are in need of prayer and you attend Nikao Church in-person, you can come to the altar at the end of service. If you are in need of prayer, and you are online please email us at info@nikaochurch.org. Some one from our team will be able to assist you.

SERVICE TIMES/LOCATIONS

NIKAO NORTH CAMPUS

OUR NIKAO NORTH CAMPUS IS LOCATED IN THE NORTH CHARLOTTE, NC AREA.

604 DOUG MAYES PL, CHARLOTTE, NC 28262

JOIN US ON SUNDAYS at 11:00AM

NIKAO SOUTH CAMPUS

OUR NIKAO SOUTH CAMPUS IS LOCATED IN THE SOUTH CHARLOTTE, NC AREA.

13733 LANCASTER HWY CHARLOTTE, NC 28277

JOIN US SUNDAYS at 9:00AM

NIKAO GLOBAL ONLINE CAMPUS

JOIN US ON SUNDAYS AT 9:00AM AND 11:00AM ONLINE VIA

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