



BECOMING ONE CHURCH IN MANY LANGUAGES

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Colorado is becoming increasingly diverse, but language is a significant barrier to sharing the gospel. Thankfully, neither the Lord, nor the gospel, is limited to one particular language or people. In fact, one day, we will gather around the throne in worship in every language.

But we don't have to wait. In fact, your church can be one church in two or more languages.

You can partner with the North American Mission Board to plant a satellite campus in another language in close partnership with your existing church.

I will share the strategies that we have used to create a Spanish worship service that meets in their own space concurrently with our worship service in English.

ANNUAL MEETING BREAKOUT

MAIN POINT

The Lord is bringing the nations to Colorado creating an incredible opportunity for the local church to become one church in many languages.

In order to become one church in multiple languages, the church must be strategic in three different areas:

- 1 REPLICATE** - what must be replicated by the other-language worship service? This includes crucial components like beliefs, mission, values, and branding.
- 2 INTEGRATE** - how you can be one church in multiple languages by integrating ministries, facilities, leadership, pastors and staff, and budgets. Acts 1:8 will be a grid for determining appropriate integration.
- 3 CUSTOMIZE** - we will discuss what ministries of the church that the other-language campus is allowed to customize in order to reach and disciple those in their language and culture.