

"That they may be ONE"

LEADERSHIP TEAM

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A GOD SIZED VISION

If you asked Pastor Donald Gray what makes him happy. He would say the smiles on children's faces when something wonderful happens. With Donald and Mt Sinai Baptist Church in Catawba that happens quite often. But his vision is that it should happen every day. The Lord has led him into partnership with the McCreary Foundation to build a



Community Center for the Town and surrounding area of Catawba. The Mt. Sinai -McCreary Community Center will sit upon these already purchased five acres ideally situated to serve the area. But Pastor Gray knows that the Lord wants to use more than Mt. Sinai to bring the Lord's vision to fruition. Our CVBA churches have a marvelous opportunity to see community transformed by God's hand. Please contact Donald with your willingness to partner at grayboy07@yahoo.com.



FAITH OVER FINANCES

What if you knew that you could substantially improve your community's quality of life? But what if that decision would cause you to so hinder your livelihood and families well-being? Well I'd have to think about it. That is what a Christian couple, Jay and Sherie had to decide. Their business, Sunhouse, in Longview at the corner of 70 and 19th St. SW has been a fixture in the community. Some of the things they had in the store were attracting people whose activity resulted in crime in the area. When this was pointed out to them by the town authorities they willingly removed the items. As a result the calls for police have dropped dramatically. Yet in order to do so they have suffered a tremendous downturn in income. It would be wonderful for us to show our support for their decision by supporting them.

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