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918-585-6112 dree@sitgm.org Andrea "Dree" Hogue is passionate about equipping the church to respond to the needs of vulnerable people and believes that healthy families are one of the most powerful forces of change in our communities.

Dree is wife to Chris and mom to Ashton, Noelle, and James. She and Chris began their life together in Tulsa, Oklahoma, before spending several years in Pennsylvania and Ohio for ministry and church planting, eventually returning home to Tulsa. While her greatest focus has always been her own household, God has given her opportunities to serve others through roles such as Director of Church Engagement and Eastern Oklahoma Director at 111Project, Children's Pastor at Believers Church, national speaker for Pure Freedom (now True Girl), Advancement Director at Metro Christian Academy, Grants Facilitator at Oral Roberts University, and Classical Education Advocate.

Her journey with Jesus is a testimony of rescue and redemption. Growing up in a home marked by addiction, abuse, mental illness, and divorce, Dree first encountered the gospel as a teenager on a church retreat. The message of the Gospel was truly new to her, and it sounded different than anything she had ever encountered. She invited Jesus into her life, and everything began to change as she began learning more. Along the way, there were a handful of meaningful relationships that offered intentional discipleship. Through Bible study, mentorship, and healthy community she learned to live differently, but more importantly she came to know the stability, peace, and healing that only Christ could offer.

Her transformation was not instant but unfolded over time through the patience and truth-telling of mentors, the guidance of counseling to unlearn unhealthy patterns, the deep work of healing from trauma, countless prayers, and the steady presence of a church family. Transformation is an ongoing journey, and she is thankful for the never-ending source of it in Christ. Today, her life and legacy testify to the breaking of generational cycles and the faithfulness of God, and she finds joy in inviting others to step into that same work and freedom..

"The reality of God's love for me superseded anything I felt like I came from or deserved," she says. "Over and over, day after day, Jesus has shown me his faithfulness, his love, his provision, and the kind intention of his will."

Dree has carried this same heart into children's and family advocacy ministry. Her personal and professional experience fuels her passion for supporting the vulnerable and creating pathways for others to participate in supporting them. She sees relational poverty being at the heart of crisis and loves to see people connected to one another in positive and meaningful ways.

Her favorite scripture is Ephesians 3:14-18 and is a prayer she carries into her life and leadership.