

## **Additional Scripture References for considering Sanctuary Church**

**Deuteronomy 24:17-22** – “You shall not deprive the resident immigrant...”

**Jeremiah 22:3** – “Act with justice and righteousness ... and do no wrong or violence to the immigrant...”

**Matthew 2:13-15** – Jesus and parents flee becoming refugees/immigrants as Herod’s search for the child.

**Matthew 5:10-11** – “Blessed are those who are persecuted.”

**Luke 3:11** – “Whoever has two coats must share with anyone who has none...”

**Luke 4:16-21** – “...Bring good news to the poor...release to the captives...sight to the blind...let the oppressed go free.”

**II Corinthians 8:13-15** – “It is a question of a fair balance between your present abundance and their need...”

**Ephesians 2:11-22** – “So then you are no longer strangers and immigrants, but you are citizens with the saints and also members of the household of God.”

**Hebrews 11** – “By faith Abraham...set out for a place...not knowing where he was going.”

**Hebrews 13:1-2** – “...show hospitality to strangers, for by doing that some have entertained angels...”

**James 2:5** – “God has chosen the poor in the world to be rich in faith...”

**James 2:14-17** – “What good is it...if you say you have faith but do not have works?”

**I John 3:18** – “...Let us love, not in word or speech, but in truth and action.”

**I John 4:7-21** – “Beloved, let us love one another, because love is from God... We love because God first loved us.”