## Digital Churches and Ministry Groups

Links are in blue. Information taken directly from organizations' websites is in quotes. These are just a SMALL sample of what's out there and what's possible!

## <u>The Faith Community: Disruptive, Authentic, Inclusive — A Viral Community of Faith</u>

This group began before the pandemic (2015) and is one of the most diverse, well-established, and well-organized communities of faith online. Their website says "We seek to reorient our basic question from 'What does the Bible have to say about this,' to, 'How does the Greatest Commandment apply here?' With this as our basis, we operate by five keys — Greatest Commandment Theology, Anti-Racism, Women's Equity, LGBTQ+ Affirmation, and Bible Criticism. All of this serves to help us deliver on our promise to be Disruptive, Authentic, and Inclusive. We are working to follow the example of Jesus by extending Limitless Love and creating Boundless Connections."

### **Checkpoint Church: The Church for Nerds, Geeks and Gamers**

Checkpoint Church is the church for all people - especially nerds, geeks, and gamers. We're here for who God made you to be. We believe that God created the creative nature within us and loves our passion. We believe that Jesus Christ is bigger than our petty divisions and wants a relationship with each and every person. We believe that the Holy Spirit is available to everyone with every past and is the ultimate power-up. We believe that the Church exists to be a community of misfits doing their best to build one another up.

# Go Be Church: Digital Church for Digital Natives

Go Be Church is a digital-first faith community dedicated to cultivating transformative relationships with Jesus Christ, redefining community, and empowering disciples through innovative online worship and mission experiences. Go Be Church expands traditional mission work by empowering individuals to serve their local communities and leveraging technology to make a broader impact. Through dispersed mission activities and crowdsourced fundraising, digital-first churches can foster ecumenical relationships and harness the potential of digital natives to address global needs.

# The Pink Robe Chronicles with Dr. Melva: Holistic healing, revolutionary self-care, thought-provoking reflections, truth telling, wisdom bearing

Pink Robe Chronicles charts an inward journey toward holistic healing and revolutionary self-care. The Pink Robe symbolizes both strength and vulnerability. Through thought-provoking reflections and meditations on universal life experiences of triumph, loss, vocational boredom, grief, and authenticity to name a few, Pink Robe Chronicles serves up a robust blend of liberating tea. A vehicle of collective truth-telling and wisdom sharing Pink Robe Chronicles is the practice of responsive talk with self and Spirit; a mirror where we all can be naked and not ashamed. Come see for yourself. Join us on Facebook Live every Sunday at 8:00 am, est.

## **Flipping Tables Ministry**

Flipping Tables is a collective of anarchists and adjacent comrades inspired by liberation theology to bear responsible stewardship for our planet, our community, and one another's well-being.

#### **Divas for Christ**

An online women's ministry network that inspires, empowers, educates, and celebrates women who serve in all forms of ministry by promoting self-care support and awareness: and building community to reduce isolation and empower them to make a difference in their ministry settings, community, and the world.

# **Digital Hive Mind on Facebook**

A space to share successes that we can all be inspired by and reinvent for our own settings. We share our failures so others don't make the exact same mistake. In general, it is a place for us to develop together into the Church God needs for the world as it is today and will be tomorrow. This is a private group, but you can follow the link above and apply to join. No prior experience in digital ministry is necessary to be a part of the group.