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Drexel began his ministry career as a Senior Pastor at Calvary Assembly of God in Fayetteville, NC. He led the congregation for 12 years until moving to Evangel Temple Assembly of God in Columbus, GA. He held that position for five years before coming to Ocala First Assembly of God in 1999 where he served until 2013. Under his leadership, each of his churches has seen growth in membership and overall budget.

Drexel also serves as a consultant with Townley Manufacturing Group's 501(c)3 Voice of the Servant. In addition, he co-authored a book, *The Service Organization of Jesus*, with former Sheriff Ed Dean, which was released in early 2014. Previously he served on the Columbus Hospice Board and the Board for the Marion County Sheriff's Office.

