

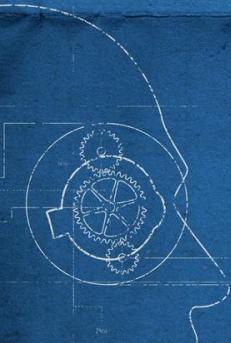


## The Basics:

We envision a community where people are connected to the life changing love and hope of Jesus

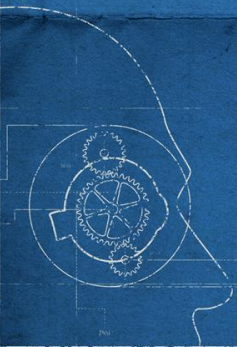
### Priorities

- Connect to families with children
- Engage unchurched and disconnected persons in our community
- Strengthen our congregation to be life changing agents of Jesus



## Strategy 1: Pilot a new worship service and improve Sunday morning worship

- Assemble new service leadership team
  - Explore time and location
  - Develop service with fall launch
- Investing in worship excellence
  - Develop cooperative independent worship teams
  - Pastor Ralph leads traditional worship
  - Pastor Benson leads contemporary worship
    - Launch new format in February

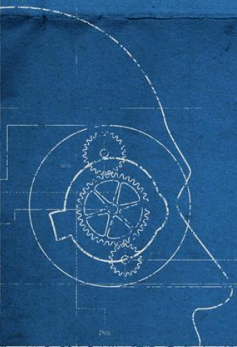


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## Strategy 2: Expand Life Groups and other small group opportunities

- Hold first Life Group Leader training event
  - Focus on group multiplication
- Launch new short term groups during lent
- Use congregational wide study to help strengthen Sunday School classes
- Launch new youth studies in targeted geographic areas
- Develop high school youth leaders and launch high school led small groups



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## Children's Ministry

- Create New Children's Ministry team – end of Feb
- Meet with children's ministers in area
- Plan and launch new Sunday morning children's experience
- Set long term curriculum and new program
- Explore attending Orange Conference
- Make improvements to 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor
- Increase children and family fellowship opportunities
- Invite your grandkids

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## Strategy 3: Expand mission opportunities for families with children

- Develop long term urban ministry plan focused on working poor families and developing relationships
  - 25:40 Committee
  - Develop coordination between CBC, Potter's House, Children's Choir, Seaside School, Children's Ministry
- Create service opportunity list for Life Groups
- Develop connection between families and current missions: Kid's Closet, Ethiopia, Fresh Food Wednesday
- Youth Family mission nights

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## Strategy 4: Utilize special events to engage and strengthen ministry connections

- Feb 3<sup>rd</sup>: Linchpin Round Table Event
- New Church Wide Ministry focused on helping and getting involved in schools
- Lay Led VBS
- Capital Campaign
- Stop Hunger Now / Rise Against Hunger
- Participate in Community Events such as
  - Christmas Parades
  - Races
  - Etc...

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## What can you do....?

- Pray
- Ask
- Participate
- Holy Gossip
- Invite

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