

# Ministry Report – 2022 (Summary)

#### 1. Vision and Mission

#### **Our Primary Purpose is God's Primary Purpose**

'To Be a Local Church that Jesus Builds ... dwelling in the revelation that Christ brought, we will seek to declare, represent and demonstrate God's Kingdom rule, together as ONE ... ON EARTH as it IS IN HEAVEN ......'

### **God gave us ONE Great Commission with THREE Great Commitments**

A Growing Commitment to Heaven (Intimacy with Father God)

A Growing Commitment to the Lost (The Focus of Jesus' Love)

A Growing Commitment to Disciples and Discipling

(The Holy Spirit Empowered Task)

Jesus Builds HIS Church – it's a supernatural quest because the church's FOUR PILLARS (or UNCLIMBED PEAKS) must be addressed simultaneously – a heaven-initiated pursuit that needs more and more of Jesus.

PILLAR of PRAYER (Oneness – in accord with Heaven)
PILLAR of CARE (Holiness – Jesus' redemptive love)
PILLAR of PREPARE (Fullness – Jesus' equipping strategy)
PILLAR of SHARE (Completion – Jesus incarnate)

..... and the gates of hell will not prevail against it.

#### 2. Where are we and what now?

## **Executive Summary**

- ✓ It has been a year of consolidation and sorting
- ✓ We started work on 'strengthening the stakes and lengthening the ropes' as per the word we received from heaven about the FOUR (4) Pillars (Isaiah 54) towards establishing a solid HUB home base for Jesus to build the church (weapon against the gates of hell) upon, in the following ways which are present and continuous ....
  - Taking responsibility for hosting regional strategic prayer initiatives

- Releasing gifts from the body to serve a growing number of churches and mission outposts
- Initiating a few planting experiments, forays into spheres or people groups beyond our usual fields
- Intentionally re-establishing some specific community relationships (ministers, churches, schools, community organizations, ministries, businesses)
- Further developing a unique, flexible, and prophetic music ministry as a kingdom advancing tool
- Continuing to develop a Spirit-led weekly set of gatherings that don't despise gifts and anointing, open their heart to pilgrims looking for a home or at least a place to rest and/or recover, all the while staying the course aligned with heaven, and God's primary purpose, seeking to play the part we've been asked to play

All of these highlights have largely been catalysts for establishing a stronger foundation for us to confidently IN Christ, step whole heartedly into this season that we are now referring to as 'The SEED for Sustainability'.

### √ The SEED for Sustainability (2022-23)

• The first phase of this sustainability work is about Leadership reframing and development known as the ..

#### 'Transitional LeaderSHIFT'

- i. The 2022 Spring Campaign into Summer 2023 (Launched)
  - Recognize and enlist a clear and committed covenant partnership (encourage people to check-in)
  - Acknowledge and engage anointed-called equipping ministries for the Hub
  - Equip and sharpen these emerging ministries in accord with the FOUR (4) PILLARS
  - Refine the functions/operations of each facilitating leader AND their teams within each of the pillars (operating simultaneously)
  - Commission the re-shaped facilitating leadership team on HOPE Sunday (end Nov)
- ii. An outworking of the intentional equipping process
  - Utilize workshop equipping to practice discipling disciplers and harvest gathering strategies

- Utilize catalyst events to sharpen faith sharing and harvest gathering strategies
- Initiate Targeted Ministries experiments / pilots / plants
- Utilize targeted ministries development, to sharpen faith sharing and harvest gathering strategies
- iii. An outworking of the intentional LeaderSHIFT
  - Explore feasibility of Budget recommendations about ministry and support workers
  - Explore any business plan feasibility about the current property/facilities for sustaining and developing the mission long-term
  - Explore all God-given apostolic strategies that empower building a movement that supports a multifaceted front line of mission effort focused upon disciple making and multiplying

### A Bullet Point Summary of other ministry report items

- **Betro** continuing to work with him to complete his accreditation with the Baptist Association. A Specific finalization plan pending post December 2022.
- Welcome and Introductory Material continuing to work on a new welcome leaflet that introduces the church clearly to the community (we will finalize around HOPE Sunday in light of the current campaign)
- Re-visit Reception Function and Sharpen Community Engagement opportunities
- Facilities (overall refer Executive Report for 'Building the Future')
  - Continued Alignment of Current Facilities with the Mission
    - Re-establishment of ministry office / college space and function effectivity for the time the building remains in its current shape - with an eye on developing greater portability
    - Skip or Trailer Clean Up on a Saturday morning soon
      - Creche / Function Room / re-assign office
      - PA Secure Store
      - Side path material

More on HOPE Sunday (27th November 2022)