

# babysteps

Grow – II Peter 3:18

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Philippians 2:12-13

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## Core Values

Why are we doing it?

Because we value:

**Relationships • Spiritual Growth •  
Mission • Gospel**

## Mission

What are we doing?

We exist to glorify God by guiding people into a growing relationship with Jesus Christ.



## Outcomes

Who are we becoming?

Christlike **humility** • Selfless **unity** •  
Holy **hunger** • Overflowing **generosity** •  
Contagious **joy**

## Strategy

How are we doing it?

By helping people

**Connect ► Grow ► Serve ► Reach**  
with the ultimate goal of **Worship**

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