



## CORE FOCUS

*Let's flourish together as we cling to Christ and discover that He is better than everything in every way.*

Our goal is to be and make disciples of Jesus that possess these

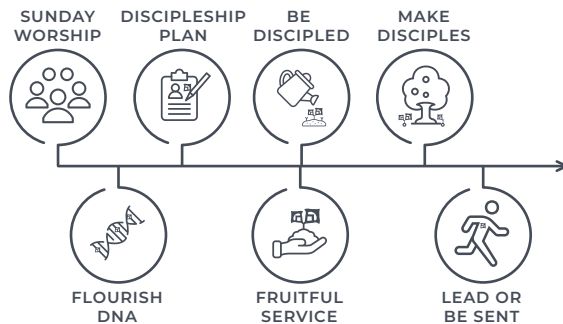
## CORE VALUES

- **Growing Disciples:** We pursue a vibrant walk with God and help others to do the same.
- **Grace-Filled Relationships:** We exude the same love given to us by God to others.
- **Joyful Servants:** We are eager to faithfully and loyally serve God, His church, and one another with flexibility and without complaint.
- **Humble Excellence:** We do not overestimate our own value, insights, or ideas but humbly seek what is best for Cornerstone and aim to do everything with the highest strategic quality.
- **Faithful Stewardship:** We work hard to steward the gifts, talents, and resources that God has entrusted to us.

## OUR DISTINCTIVES

- **Gospel-Centered Community:** The gospel is the heartbeat/foundation of everything we do.
- **Expository Preaching:** We seek to proclaim the accurate meaning of Scripture in a relevant and applicable way through the power of the Holy Spirit.
- **Reformed Theology:** We teach in accordance with the London Baptist Confession of 1689.
- **Intentional Discipleship:** We have a designed process enabling followers of Jesus to flourish.

## PROCESS



## ELDERS AIM

*To shepherd you with integrity and skill through the Word of God and prayer.*

## SEEKING TO REACH Everyone

## UNIQUES

1. Personalized Discipleship Plans for members.
2. Five Spaces Philosophy.

## CULTURE Flourish



## OUR PRIMARY SHORT-TERM GOALS

2022 - 2025

- To provide 5 spaces of discipleship in which our people can flourish.
- To have sufficient number of elders to care for our congregation well (6+).
- To invest in long-term goals with Youth/Missions Intern and Youth/Counseling Intern.
- To hire a full-time Music+ Leader to free up Rick to teach and disciple more.
- To solidify plans and process for: current/new facility; leader development; church planting.

## OUR PRIMARY LONG-TERM GOALS

2022 — 2032

- To have 60%+ of our membership involved in 3+ discipleship spaces.
- To have a comprehensive biblical counseling ministry.
- To have facilities that are conducive to host all our ministries well.
- To have sufficient number of elders to care for our congregation well (12+).
- To have 6+ consistent calendar and leader-led ministries.
- To be a church-planting church.
- To raise up and send out three missionaries from our church.
- To offer an annualized personal discipleship plan for every member and their family.

# Five Spaces of Discipleship



## ABIDE

This is your daily walk with God. It begins with the Abide reading plan followed by your time of reflection, journal and prayer.

We encourage you to spend time with God everyday. Preferably before you do anything else.

## SUNDAY WORSHIP

Each Sunday we gather corporately as God's people to worship Him through prayer, singing, giving, preaching, and communion.

We also desire to see our people seeking to fellowship before and after services--being especially welcoming to our visitors.

## HOW TO GET INVOLVED

Just show up!

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Discipleship toolbox.

## PERSONAL DISCIPLESHIP

Personal, transparent, regular, fellowship meetings with a few people to discuss your daily walk with God and spur you on to Christ-likeness.

Two to four times a month.

## HOW TO GET INVOLVED

Discipleship plan.



## FLOURISH FELLOWSHIPS

These are larger groups that meet on Sunday mornings and Wednesday evenings that emphasize biblical instruction, application, and prayer.

Wednesdays PM or Sundays AM.

## HOW TO GET INVOLVED

Just show up!

## GROWTH GROUPS

Small group discipleship centered around: sermon application, your daily walk with God, a specific topic, gender, or a specific stage of life (college & career, young marrieds/families etc.).

Two times a month from Sept. to May.

## HOW TO GET INVOLVED

Sign up in August or check out Growth Groups on our website.

# Flourish Fellowships



**FLOURISH**  
FELLOWSHIPS  
SUN AM | WED PM



**MEN**  
**FLOURISH**  
ALT WED PM



**WOMEN**  
**FLOURISH**  
ALT WED PM



**KIDS**  
**FLOURISH**  
SUN AM



**YOUTH**  
**FLOURISH**  
SUN AM | WED PM



**FLOURISH**  
**DNA**  
SUN AM



**FLOURISH**  
**TOGETHER**  
SUN AM

# Cornerstone Process



## SUNDAY WORSHIP

Each Sunday we gather corporately as God's people to worship Him through prayer, singing, giving, preaching, and communion.

8:30 AM and 10:30 AM

## DISCIPLESHIP PLAN

Members can take an annual "Spiritual Inventory" and then schedule their "Pastoral Meeting" where they will meet with a Pastor who will work with them to build their "Discipleship Plan".

## BE DISCIPLED

We want to see every member of our church taking advantage of at least 3 of our discipleship spaces on a consistent basis in an effort to help them flourish as a follower of Jesus.

## MAKE DISCIPLES

This is our body fulfilling the command of our Savior to go and make disciples. We need to see our 'pace setters' being faithful in pouring into brothers and sisters in Christ at Cornerstone.

### HOW TO START

Just show up!

### HOW TO START

Receive a discipleship plan after filling out a Spiritual Inventory.

### HOW TO START

Ask anyone or get your Discipleship Plan for help.

### HOW TO START

Mature in Christ, say "Yes", Fill out the Spiritual Inventory.



## FLOURISH DNA

This class will be our "New Member Class" + "Discipleship Training" class in one. Led by Pastor Rick.

Every Sunday AM every Quarter (summers off).

### HOW TO START

Sign up on our website or at the welcome table.

## FRUITFUL SERVICE

If you're flourishing, we are excited to see what the Lord will do in and through you as you plug into the church, and bear fruit through joyful service to the body.

### HOW TO START

Fill out the Spiritual Inventory on our website.

## LEAD OR BE SENT

Become a disciple maker--become a Leader of Growth Groups, Fellowships, Missions, Kids, Youth, Hospitality, Deacons, Elders at Cornerstone or be sent to build the Kingdom elsewhere.

### HOW TO START

Mature in Christ, say "Yes", and talk with a Pastor.

# Pastoral Care at Cornerstone



## PREACHING & TEACHING

Elders are carrying out and watching over the preaching and teaching at Cornerstone. This may be in the Sunday Worship Service, Flourish Fellowships, written materials and more. Sound doctrine is extremely important to Cornerstone Pastors and is a key way in which our flock is cared for. Titus 1:9, 1 Tim. 5:17

## DISCIPLESHIP TOOLBOX

Your Elders can't spend quiet time with Christ and in the Word for you but we can equip you with tools to help your relationship with the Lord to Flourish. This Pastorally written and organized toolbox will give you a "go-to" resource for things such as: Journal Prompts, How to Study the Bible, Resource List, Discipleship Meeting Guide, Prayer Outline etc.

Heb. 13:7

## DISCIPLESHIP & COUNSELING

The Elders desire to provide opportunities for personal discipleship and counseling to the flock. Whether that be proactive or reactive, directly or indirectly. "And what you have heard from me in the presence of many witnesses entrust to faithful men, who will be able to teach others also" (2 Tim. 2:2).



## LEADERSHIP CARE NETWORK

All members are on a list (LCN) and assigned to a particular Elder who keeps "watch" over each person directly or indirectly especially through the ministry of prayer. Each month, the elders meet to consider and pray for members by name that we are aware of that are hurting, infirmed, require particular spiritual care, or discipline.

Acts. 20:28, Heb. 13:17, Matt 18:15-20

## DISCIPLESHIP PLANS

The Spiritual Assessment was built by the Elders and will be reviewed by Elders. The Pastoral Meeting offered to all our members annually is to consider with you how you might flourish in Christ more. The Discipleship Plan that is delivered to you after the Pastoral Meeting is shaped by you with the care of one of the Pastors.

1 Pet. 5:2

## CULTIVATING & PROTECTING

Elders gather for meetings every month, one full day quarterly and two days annually to step back and assess our "Spaces"/"Process". How can we help our body to Flourish more? Are there any weeds we need to address, potential wolves? How can we mobilize the body to faithfully pursue the great commission?

Acts 20:29-31

# Logo Purpose / Meaning



**1** - The empty conquered cross, a symbol reminding us of Christ, our Cornerstone.



**3** - C's represent Cornerstone Community Church.



**4** - Leaves represent our mission to see our body flourish. Healthy disciples, who make disciples.



**4** - Arrows pointing to Christ's finished work reminding us that He is better than everything, in every way.