Baptist Churches SA Strategy

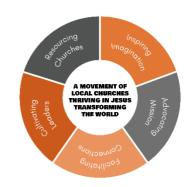
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Purpose: We exist for Christ reconciling all things to God.

Vision: We see a movement of local churches thriving in Jesus transforming the world.

Desired Impact: What we desire to see, under God, among our movement as we pursue our purpose and vision:



1 Inspiring Imagination

- 1.1 Loving, faithful local church communities welcoming all in the name and manner of Jesus
- 1.2 An authentic witness and public voice across the movement around justice, compassion and reconciliation
- 1.3 A culture of churches taking risks in order to follow Jesus

2 Advocating Mission

- 2.1 Increasing effective faith sharing in word and deed, locally and globally
- 2.2 Generous and practical service enabling and empowering lives to be transformed, especially those of the vulnerable and marginalised ¹
- 2.3 An increasing number of healthy missional churches

3 Facilitating Connections

- 3.1 Churches connecting, learning from, and encouraging one another for development, support, and increased missional effectiveness
- 3.2 Local churches connecting with aligned partners and agencies for development, support, and shared mission

4 Cultivating Leaders

- 4.1 Increasing numbers of leaders across gender, age, culture and models of leadership
- 4.2 Increasing leadership courage, creativity, maturity, faith and effectiveness
- 4.3 Increasing numbers of pastoral, church, missional and community leaders across and sent out from the movement

5 Resourcing Churches

- 5.1 Churches supported to live as faithful, Spirit-led communities of Jesus and make disciples who make disciples
- 5.2 Churches equipped to be sustainable, efficient, compliant, growing and multiplying

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¹ Desired Impact in alignment with Baptist Care SA Strategic Plan