

Living and sharing the life of Jesus!



We see a church of influence in Albion, so unique that it cannot be ignored, so passionate that it will not be confined to a single community, being used by God for spiritual transformation. We see a church that is growing larger and deeper by multiplication, building a healthy foundation with a passion to multiply.

We see a loving family of God and an atmosphere of authenticity where questions are welcomed and where truth and love are shared. We see a church family which is investing time, talents and finances to communicate the Gospel in practical ways to those in need, sharing God's blessings with all.

What we do

The most foundational responsibilities of Jesus' followers are found in Acts 2. When the Church was in its infancy, before organizational or relational complications, what was "in focus"? Acts 2:42-47 tells us there were five essential activities.

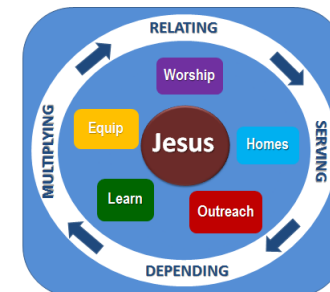
- Worship** Celebrating God in personal and corporate settings, making God the centre of our lives by expressing our love to Him through obedience in both word and deed.
- Homes** Building friendships with God's people that nurtures and encourages positive life-change, especially through *Home Groups*. We seek to create community in all contexts of Church life.
- Outreach** Offering the message of God's hope to those in our community so they can experience life-transformation through a relationship with Jesus Christ.
- Learn** Learning and developing Christ-like character and ministry skills through the teaching of God's Word so that we will reach our full potential in Christ.
- Equip** Involving trained believers to multiply themselves by positively impacting others for Jesus Christ, discovering and developing the ability to make disciples.



How we do it

There are many Biblical values which shape our ministry but three key values contribute to the culture of Cornerstone. At the very core of what we value is that Jesus Christ is our center – He creates, sustains, and reconciles (Colossians 1:15-20). We recognize that there are four essential values, which reflect a growing, maturing pathway for believers. Our values create progression for our purposes.

- Relating** Learning to love Jesus, and in response to His command to love one another, as we read in the Great Commandment (Matthew 22:37-40). Loving relationships are a reflection of God's love for believers in Christ Jesus (1 John 4:9-11).
- Serving** Learning to live like Jesus in response to His pattern of selflessness and service. Not only did Jesus model service for us, but He told us that we should also serve one another (John 13:13-15). Serving like Jesus is a distinguishing mark of Christian discipleship.
- Depending** Learning to live like Jesus with a heart of dependence upon God. Only as the Holy Spirit empowers us will our ministry activities bear fruit (John 15:1-11). We express this dependence primarily through prayer, but it extends to having a disposition of depending on God.
- Multiplying** Learning to live like Jesus in response to His pattern of making disciples, as He command us in the Great Commission (Matthew 28:18-20). We are given the mandate to multiply followers of Jesus Christ who will win and intentionally disciple other followers, who in turn will make other disciples (1 Timothy 2:2).



Our Mission

The mission of Cornerstone Neighbourhood Church is focused on three aspirations: to be passionate followers of Jesus; to be an authentic community of faith; and to extend God's grace by disciple making.

**Cornerstone is called to impact our world
by living and sharing the life of Jesus!**