

## If We Could Do Anything and Next Steps

John 14:8-14

**Greater Works**  
**Whatever you ask**

### My hopes for our time together

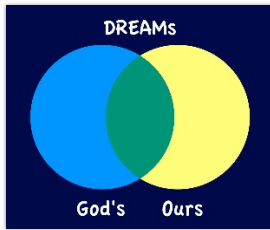
- We pray
- We meet
- We discern a mission/vision/ in a form of a compelling story
- We discern next steps (worship, missions, outreach, discipleship) that are low stakes (unless we discern a BHAG)
- We discern a discipleship process
- We discern a leadership training process
- We thrive in God's purpose for us

### Review

- Session 1
  - What does a thriving/healthy church look like
  - How do we get there
    - Mission
    - Vision
  - Mission and vision as a story
  - Pathway for discernment
    - Prayer
    - Questions
- Session 2
  - Mission and Vision
  - Values
  - Defining Goals
  - Church Structure
  - Church Schedule
  - Discipleship Pathway
- Session 3
  - Church Life Cycles
  - SWOT Analysis
- Session 4-Demographics
- Session 5-Reaching the Next Generation
- Session 6-Our Story

### Some Opening Thoughts

- “Whether you think you can or think you can’t, you’re right.”
- Cool Runnings



### Questions

- If we could do anything as a church (money, staff, volunteers, time, age, facilities would not be issues), what do you believe God is calling us: to do? to be? to go?
- Who would be leaders and pillars of the community we should meet with to better understand our context and needs of the community?
- What questions do you think we should ask leaders of the community and pillars of our community?

When should we meet again?

Closing Thought-You don't know what you don't know

Closing Prayer