

Mission/Vision in the Form of a Story

Matthew 28: 16-20

UMC mission statement
Our commission

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
- Session 7-What If We Could Do Anything?
- Session 8 – An Outside View

Opening Thought-StoryBrand

Principles from the former StoryBrand Podcast

If you confuse - you lose

Noise is the enemy

Creating a clear message is the best way to grow your business

Time to discuss and discern mission statements

Closing Thought

Romans 14: 1-12

We live and die to the Lord

Closing Prayer