# **Payne Avenue Vision Frame**

### • Healthy Relationships

Emotionally, Spiritually, Socially

### Spiritual disciplines

Study, Prayer, Holy living

#### Generosity

Time. Talents, treasure

### • Living in the Spirit

Fruit of the Spirit, Gifts of the Spirit

Sharing the faith

### • Embedded Prayer

 Woven into every aspect of life

I Thess. 5:17-18, I Cor 3:7, Matt 6:9-13, Luke 22:42

#### Embracing the worth of each nerson

- See peoples through God's eyes
- o Engage in relationship
- o Patiently engage

John 15:13, | Peter 4:8, Eph. 4:32, Rev. 5:9, 7:9, Ps. 139:4

#### Self-less Service

- o Humble without recognition
- o Generously sharing

Gal 5:13, I Cor. 10:31, Matt 6:3, II Cor. 9:8, Eph. 2:10

#### • Intentional Witness

- o Personal sphere of influence
- o Neighborhood focus
- o To all peoples

Acts 1:8, Mark 2:17, Luke 10:29, Luke 14:25

### Maturity in Jesus

- Abiding in Christ through disciplines
- Relational accountability
  Matt. 28:17-20, Heb. 12:1-2, II

Cor 3:19, Col. 2:6-7

### **Marks or Measures**

We are a multiplying group of disciples growing inward and outward in Christ. \*

\*(See Vision Proper Document)

Strategy

Send Equip Nurture Connect Investing in people to be loved, set free and changed by Jesus

## **Payne Avenue Vision Proper**

## **Beyond-the-Horizon Vision - 5 years**

We are a multiplying group of disciples growing inward and outward in Christ. We will allow the gospel to penetrate our hearts and the spheres of influence *in which God has placed us*. We will continually offer opportunities to understand, apply and maintain spiritual and emotional health - personally, in ministry and corporately. All who experience this local body will have the opportunity for nurturing and equipping - so each person can experience the love of Christ, be continually set free from sin and guilt, and be changed into His likeness while intentionally living out Jesus' purpose in the power of his Spirit.

## Background Vision – 3 years

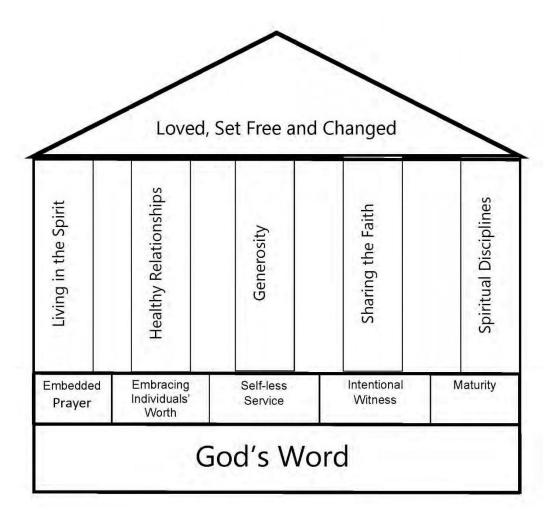
Multiplying Base	Nurturing & Growing	Equipping & Empowering	Active Outreach
We will ask God in faith to multiply the number of our committed core and integrate new recruits into our Vision & philosophy of ministry. This increased core will provide additional leadership and volunteers to do the ministry of the church.	In all aspects of our church life & every point of a person's faith-walk, we will help each person learn who Jesus is, how He lived and how he ministered - to the end that God will conform us into His likeness & we will live out our identity in Christ in our everyday lives & ministry.	We will offer opportunities and training for each believer in the church to identify and develop their spiritual gift(s) and to understand & grow in daily Spirit-led living and ministering in the power of the Holy Spirit, being encouraged & released in ministry.	We will pursue missional-minded lives for Christ's Name and provide opportunities for each believer in the church to be inspired, trained, and motivated to share the Gospel message with their unique spheres of influence as individuals and as part of the church body on the East Side of St. Paul. We desire to see an increasing conversion growth each year.

### Midground Vision - 1 Year

In the anticipation of God "adding to" our number those being saved, of adding new recruits to our missional core of servants, and with our existing faithful workers, in the next 12 months we will be a unified body with a like-minded vision for ministry through ongoing Vision Pathway training.

## Foreground Vision - 90 Day Goals:

1.	Develop a plan for on- boarding everyone into the Vision Pathway	Develop a strategy for Recruiting	3.	Develop a plan to Evaluate all our current ministries in light of our Vision
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# **Get to know Payne Avenue EFC**

- Session 1. Vision
- Session 2. Embedded prayer, living in the Spirit
- Session 3. Embracing the worth of each person/healthy relationships.
- Session 4. Self-less service and generosity
- **Session 5. Intentional witness**
- **Session 6. Maturity and Spiritual Disciplines**
- Session 7. Strategy
- **Session 8. Unity**