

Priorities & Practices

Adventurous Thinking

Where we're going is not where we've been, so we are to cultivate new ways of being, thinking, and doing — a "God-dominated Imagination" that results in faith-full risk-taking. (*Acts 9:1-19; Galatians 1:11-24; Acts 10:1-11:18*)

Creative Connecting

We are to cultivate life-giving ways of spending time with others — finding unexpected ways of being with people, and pursuing new ways of coming together. (*Hebrews 10:19-25; Acts 8:26-40*)

Intentional Diversity

As an *Intergenerational*, *Intercultural*, and *Interpersonal* family we are to cultivate interactions between these generations, cultures, and individuals — actively recognizing and receiving the gifts given through these relationships. (*Ephesians 2:11-22; 1 Samuel 3:1-21; Revelation 21:1-4, 22-27; Psalm 78:1-8*)

Reflective Listening

We are to cultivate fresh ways of listening to Jesus, to each other, and to our neighbors — listening to, understanding, and responding to hearts, rather than merely hearing and reacting to words. (*1 Samuel 1:9-18; 3:1-21*)