

# Reforming Our Vision 2007

## GBC Vision Prayer Guide

“Commit your work to the Lord, and your plans will be established” (Proverbs 16:3).

### General

1. That our strategic application of this vision will be Spirit-led.
2. For our elders entrusted by Christ to lead the church in discerning his will for us and in carrying it out.
3. That we will keep our eyes on the vision—to magnify the glory of God through the key objectives of worship, discipleship and mission.
4. For the hard work of self-examination corporately and individually needed to apply this vision consistently.
5. That we will not let up on the hard work of change, growth and reformation.

### Worship

1. That we will learn to prize God-centered worship as opposed to man-centered.
2. That we will maintain unity despite different preferences in regards to music, style and liturgy by placing corporate unity above personal preference.
3. That we will learn the awesome privilege, delight and duty of worship as opposed to viewing it as trivial and treating it as such.
4. For our worship team leaders and members as they seek to lead us in the application of our worship initiatives.

### Discipleship

1. That we will ardently strive to become more of a community of believers under the gospel by resisting individualism and learning to share each other's burdens.
2. For our deaconate as they seek to lead us in matching needs with gifts.
3. For the purity of the church and a willingness to maintain discipline.
4. That members will take the membership covenant's affirmation to be involved in the church seriously.

### Mission

1. That we will see God's love and have his heart for the community.
2. That we will keep before us the big picture of God's kingdom advancing around the world and will play our role in that advancement.
3. That we will count the cost of our mission individually and corporately and will gladly give what is necessary.
4. That we will live openly as salt and light in our community.

### Core Values

Pray over each of the core values

1. That it permeates all that we do in fulfilling God's vision for our church.
2. That we would remember them in our ministry and community life.