
**Trinity Evangelical Lutheran
Church of Camp Hill, PA**

**Vision - Disciples in the
Making, Making Disciples**

Church Mission - Called by the Holy Spirit to be Christ's Disciples, we seek to equip ourselves and others to live like Christ, and to be sent into the world proclaiming and living the Good News as daily witnesses of God's transforming love.

Guiding Principles -

- We will provide inspiring worship services, offering a variety of opportunities to experience God's grace through Word and Sacrament.
 - We will develop loving relationships with our sisters and brothers in this church family, as well as within our own families, and will practice genuine hospitality to those who differ from us.
 - We will create small groups where a sense of belonging in community is nurtured through fellowship, and where spiritual growth occurs through Bible study, faith conversation, and prayer.
 - We will enhance our gift-based ministry that helps individuals identify, develop, and share their spiritual gifts and talents.
 - We will nurture a need-oriented evangelism and social ministry that is both concerned with—and uses our resources to meet—the physical, emotional, and spiritual needs of our local and global neighbors.
 - We will foster an atmosphere of passionate spirituality that encourages each of us to live out our faith with commitment, fire, and enthusiasm.
 - We will use a leadership model that empowers, supports, motivates, and mentors individuals to be all God wants them to be.
 - We will build effective structures, adapting to changing needs and new ideas as we continually discern God's will for us in this place.
 - We will commit ourselves to practice stewardship of the earth, time, talent, and treasure.
 - We will work for justice and peace in our community and in our world.
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Strategic Planning Committee (SPC)

Purpose: In support of the Church's expressed Vision and Mission Statement, the SPC has adopted the following Mission for our committee.

Committee Mission Statement:

As called leaders of the congregation, we will steward Trinity's communally-discerned vision by continually articulating, planning, and leading the strategic mission process, while engaging and encouraging the congregation and its elected leaders to carry out the expressed mission of the church.

How we will carry out this mission:

As responsible members of the Strategic Planning Committee, we will help empower, support, motivate, and mentor individuals, committees, and organizations of the Church to share the Good News of God's transforming love. Through our support and leadership, we will encourage church activities, functions, and programs that demonstrate genuine hospitality to others and promote relationships with our sisters and brothers on their personal journeys as disciples of Christ.

We will foster an atmosphere of passionate spirituality that can be demonstrated through all Church activities in order that we may live out our faith with commitment, fire, and enthusiasm. We will encourage the use of effective organizational and physical structures that can adapt to changing needs and new ideas as we continually discern God's will and calling for us through our committee actions.

We have a responsibility to develop a strategic plan for Trinity and steward the process of continuous assessment, discernment, planning and implementation. All this, while insuring that our God-given gifts of earth, time, talent, and treasure are properly employed to carry out Christ's Great Commission.

We are the Vision Keepers!