



# DOVER ASSEMBLY OF GOD

*Connecting to God. Building People. Offering Hope.*

# PASTOR'S MESSAGE

For the past year, our church's leadership team has been working through a process that is entitled "The Acts 2 Journey". This is a leadership seminar series designed and led by the Assemblies of God national office. It is geared to help churches develop a specific, spirit-inspired strategic plan for our church to reach and disciple believers.

Our team has been unified in prayer as to where God is leading our church. This booklet and what is contained within is what we believe the Holy Spirit is directing Dover Assembly to initiate.

Our church, together with empowerment of the Holy Spirit, is going to be the light in our community.

**- Pastor Jeff & Anna Bender**







# THE ACTS 2 LEADERSHIP TEAM

*This team has committed many hours of training, meetings and prayer to seek the Spirit's direction for our church. We believe we have heard God's voice in this process and are expecting great things as we implement this strategic plan.*

# OUR MISSION

*"Go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age."*

***Matthew 28:19-20 (NIV)***



# OUR VISION



## CONNECT

*Fostering lasting relationships through love, encouragement and empowerment*



## GROW

*Promoting Spiritual growth for all ages through Biblical teaching*



## SERVE

*Encouraging service to God by using our gifts to serve the church and community*



## GO

*Empowering people to share the love of Christ*



## WORSHIP

*Teaching devotion to God through prayer, praise and service*







# OUR VALUES

- Scriptural Inerrancy
- Holy Spirit Gifting
- Discipling All Ages
- Spirit-led Worship

*Youth Worship Night*





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ASSEMBLIES OF GOD WORLD MISSIONS

# OUR OBJECTIVES

- Reaching the lost
- Spiritual Growth
- Community involvement and outreach

Sunday Morning Worship

# 3 YEAR STRATEGIC PLAN

## CONNECT



Establish a monthly Pastor's welcome lunch for new guests

Create welcoming teams

Expand involvement in service ministries

Create needs-focused ministries

## GROW



Create First-Steps class for new believers/attenders

Create Small Group ministries

Host annual spiritual growth seminar



# 3 YEAR STRATEGIC PLAN

## SERVE



Provide more opportunities for people to serve by recognizing spiritual gifts and encouraging the use of those gifts

Develop training classes for all ministries

Celebrate victories

Create leadership training

## GO



Ascertain community needs and develop plans to meet those needs

Plan a mini-missions trip

Establish a first-responders service

Create "Invite a friend day"

# 3 YEAR STRATEGIC PLAN

## WORSHIP



Upgrade platform equipment for musicians and vocalists

Expanding sound booth for a more effective layout and work space

Establish separate practice sessions for musicians and vocalists

Teach on the Biblical aspect of worship

Tune the sound system to our individual needs





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