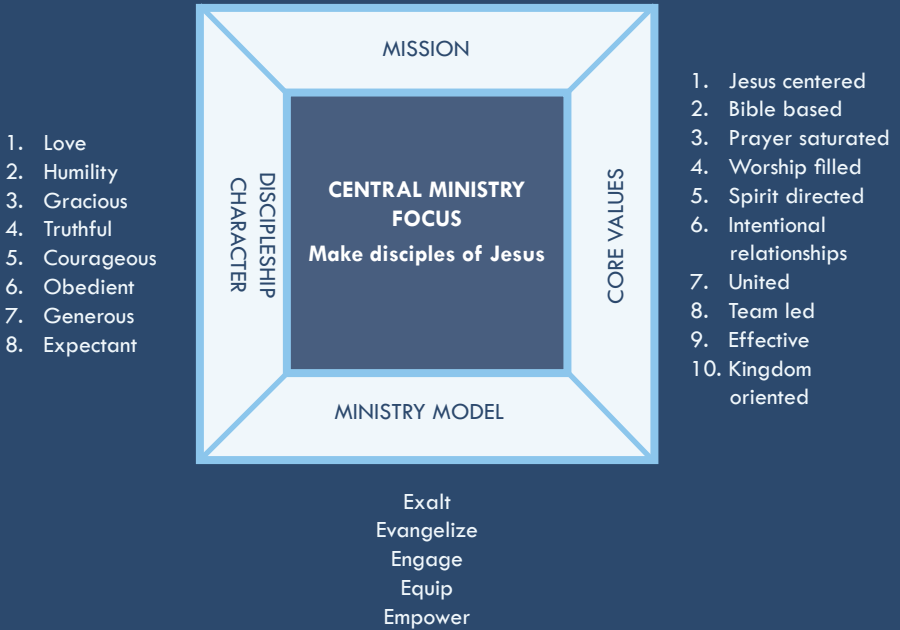


# Willingdon Church

## MINISTRY PHILOSOPHY

To know Jesus Christ personally and  
to carry on His ministry



Elders and Team Leaders have spent time praying and discerning the Willingdon Church ministry philosophy for God's mission to be accomplished. Our ministry philosophy is utilized to provide a framework for ministry, to bring clarity to body life, and to empower members for service.

### MISSION STATEMENT (Why disciples exist)

“To know Jesus Christ personally and  
to carry on His ministry”

*Matt. 22:37-40; Luke 4:18-19; John 17:3; 1 John 5:11-12;  
Acts 1:8-9; Romans 10:13*

## CENTRAL MINISTRY FOCUS

(What a disciple does every day)

### “Make Disciples of Jesus”

*Matt. 28:18-20; 2 Timothy 2:2*

## MINISTRY MODEL

(Five overarching purposes of disciples in community)

### “Exalt”

Encountering God as we lift high the name Jesus

*Ps. 99, Hab 2:14, John 4:21-24; 17:3, Acts 2:46-47, Rom.12:1-2, 1 Cor.10:31, Eph. 5:18-21, Rev. 5:8-14; 7:9-122*

### “Evangelize”

Reaching people with the good news of Jesus in Word and deed

*Matt. 28:18-20, Luke 4:18-19, John 14:6, Acts 1:8; 4:12; 31, Rom 1:16-17; 10:13-17, 1 Pet. 3:15*

### “Engage”

Connecting with the family of Jesus for authentic relationship

*Acts 2:44-47, John 13:34-35, Eph. 4:1-6; 4:25-5:2, Col 3:12-17, Heb.10:24-25*

### “Equip”

Growing gifted disciples of Jesus to be kingdom servants

*Acts 2:42, 1 Cor.12:4-13, Eph. 4:11-16, 2 Tim. 1:6-7; 2:2-5;14-21; 3:16-4:2, 1 Peter 2:9; 4:10-11*

### “Empower”

Sending equipped servants to follow their calling, both locally & globally

*John 20:19-23, Titus 1:5-9, Acts 1:8; 6:1-6; 13:1-3,*

## VISION STATEMENT (Where we are going)

Under God's direction and empowerment, we will grow our discipleship, multiply our leadership teams and add new sites

## KEY STRATEGIES

1. House of prayer for all nations
2. Long term discipleship road map
3. Equipping every member of the household
4. Leadership multiplication model
5. Local mission outreach
6. New campuses