

Visioning CUMC Spring Garden Site

The Leadership Council recently formed a Vision Steering Committee to assess our current mission and ministries and dream for the future. As a church this process will mirror the work of our pre-unification and transition teams that helped make the move into our current church home successful. When the doors of our new building are ready, our mission and ministries will be ready to be launched immediately.

Steering Committee

Bill Bunt, Kathy Charette, Pastor Mira Hewlett, Kerm Leitner, and Pastor Jim VanZandt.

Mission/Vision – Steering Committee & Leadership Council

Goal: Assess current statements, review Strategic Plan

Tier 1 Works in February and March; Reports to Steering Committee in May; Reports to Leadership Council in June

GROW Children – Marsha Bonn, Leader

Goal: evaluate current programs, align with mission, vision and strategic plan; identify rules/safety in new spaces; how will site affect/enhance program and dream 3 years ahead

GROW Youth – Jeff Harpel, Leader

Goal: evaluate current programs, align with mission, vision and strategic plan; identify rules/safety in new spaces; how will site affect/enhance program and dream 3 years ahead

Personnel – Bill Bunt, Leader

Goal: Priority list of additional staffing areas, consider volunteer recruitment coordinator

Way Forward – Pastors & Leadership Council, Leaders

Goal: Share the outcome of General Conference with CUMC and discernment steps forward

WORSHIP – Kerm Leitner, Leader

Goal: Sunday morning schedule (includes worship times/styles, ushers, tech, greeter, hospitality), Schedule of Holy Week and Christmas Eve services, consider future worship styles and opportunities & final worship service in current building

Communications: General – Leader TBD (continues through Tier 2 & 3)

Goal: Plan for communicating move and progress within and beyond CUMC

Communications: Neighbors – Sue Barnes, Leader (continues through Tier 2 & 3)

Goal: Regular updates and building relationships with our new neighbors

Tier 2 Works in summer; Reports to Steering Committee in September; Report to Leadership Council in October

Admin: Finances – Kathy Charette, Leader

Goal: Prepares budget for moving, plans for changes in budget in new space, and reviews current policies and procedures impacted by moving location

Communication: Signage – Pastor Mira, Leader

Goal: Signage inside and outside, including parking lot and entrance

Facilities & Security – Leader TBD

Goal: Volunteers needed for move-in projects, plan to notify emergency personnel upon move, update Emergency Response guide, usage/review of security cameras; congregational awareness

GROW Adult – Kathy Charette, Leader

Goal: Evaluate current programs, align with mission, vision and strategic plan; consider “levels” of classes, how will site affect/enhance program; and dream 3 years ahead

Leadership Council- Kerm Leitner & Pastors

Goal: Review Leadership Council Covenant, Role of Lay Leader, and working relationship expectations

Moving – Wayne Henderson, Leader

Goal: Task to complete the move of furniture and items

Tier 3 Works in fall; Reports to Steering Committee in December; Report to Leadership Council in January

Admin: Policies – Gary Ankabrandt, Leader

Goal: Review current policies and write additional as needed; update Building Usage fees/rules and usage for outside groups

CONNECT – Leader TBD

Goal: Evaluate current programs, align with mission, vision and strategic plan; new ways to reach neighbors; how will site affect/enhance program; and dream 3 years ahead

Heritage – Joanne Reynolds, Debbie Washinger and Lois Weibley, Leaders

Goal: Items of unifying churches into new space, moving/placement of Memorial Tree, moving/placement of cornerstones

Little Lights – Barb Birmingham, Leader

Goal: Moving plan, connection with congregation in new space, communication with families

SERVE – Ron Chipriano, Leader

Goal: Evaluate current programs, align with mission, vision and strategic plan; collection space in new Gathering, how will site affect/enhance program; and dream 3 years ahead

Volunteers – Kathy Charette, Leader

Goal: Recruit & use in new facility, parking lot attendants on Sundays

To volunteer for a team, contact
Pastor Mira (717-249-1512 or mhewlett@carlislepaumc.org)
Or Kerm Leitner (kermleitner@comcast.net)

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