

# Strategic Plan 2015-2018



# Vision

People of all abilities belonging to interdependent communities where they are valued and empowered to share their essential God-given skills and abilities.

## Mission

Walking alongside families and serving people of all abilities, experiencing the joys and challenges of life together.

# Values

Integrity Positive, healthy relationships

Stewardship Trustworthiness

Fairness Family

Respect Sanctity of life

Excellence

Advocacy

God-honoring Transparency

Prayer



Possibilities2015-2018

# Priorities



Servant Leadership



**Community Awareness** 



**Expansion and Growth** 



**Employment** 



### Servant Leadership

### **Outcomes and Goals**

#### A. Healthy Trusting Relationships

- ⇒ Keep the conversation active: trusting & supportive words for each other
- ⇒ Discover what trust barriers / levels are in each region
- ⇒ Plot a strategy to increase the trust level
- ⇒ Develop communication strategies
- ⇒ Increase transparency

#### B. Grow, develop, and mentor leaders - proactive leadership development / planning

- ⇒ Provide opportunities for leadership development.
- ⇒ Assess scope and authority for leadership positions balance.
- ⇒ Grow capacity in team providing training/networking opportunities.
- ⇒ Sharing/networking within the organization between leaders .

#### C. Godly Leaders—Spiritual Focus

⇒ Nurture Christian Leadership within Bethesda.

#### D. Social Change Agents – Advocacy

⇒ Tell the stories internally and externally to create awareness and understanding.



# Community Awareness

### **Outcomes and Goals**

- A. Effective Public Relations Resources (PR) Raising awareness / profile of our ministry internal and external
  - ⇒ Develop effective PR resources.
  - ⇒ Raise profile of Bethesda in the province.
- B. Re-engaging / engaging stakeholders especially younger demographic:
  - ⇒ Effective use of Social Media
  - ⇒ Increase involvement from partners in the community
- C. Being a resource to the community/ families/ individuals
  - ⇒ Support others to be aware of resources within and external to Bethesda.
- D. Increased volunteerism capture hearts
  - ⇒ Review and assess volunteer programs; plan to increase involvement



# Expansion and Growth

### **Outcomes and Goals**

#### A. Increase capacity

- ⇒ Increase Home Shares , Community Inclusion, and Support Groups.
- $\Rightarrow$  Increase pool of potential staff.
- ⇒ Develop a new investment policy to increase efficacy of investments

#### B. Innovative and creative responses to services

⇒ Create opportunities for Staff input

### C. Effective Technology

⇒ Improve effectiveness of technology.

#### D. Increase fundraising resources

⇒ Increase fundraising mediums



# Expansion and Growth

### **Outcomes and Goals (continued)**

### E. Expanded and diversified support

⇒ Expand and diversify our mandate.

### F. Improved infrastructure

- ⇒ New Head Office
- ⇒ Develop Respite Resource
- ⇒ Increase Affordable Housing
- ⇒ Replace aging homes with more accessible options



## **Employment**

### **Outcomes and Goals**

### A. Expand Employment Services

- ⇒ More individuals involved in gainful employment
- ⇒ Start dedicated and effective employment service in Abbotsford
- ⇒ Develop systems and policies
- ⇒ Develop community partnerships

All things are possible with God (Mark 10:27)

