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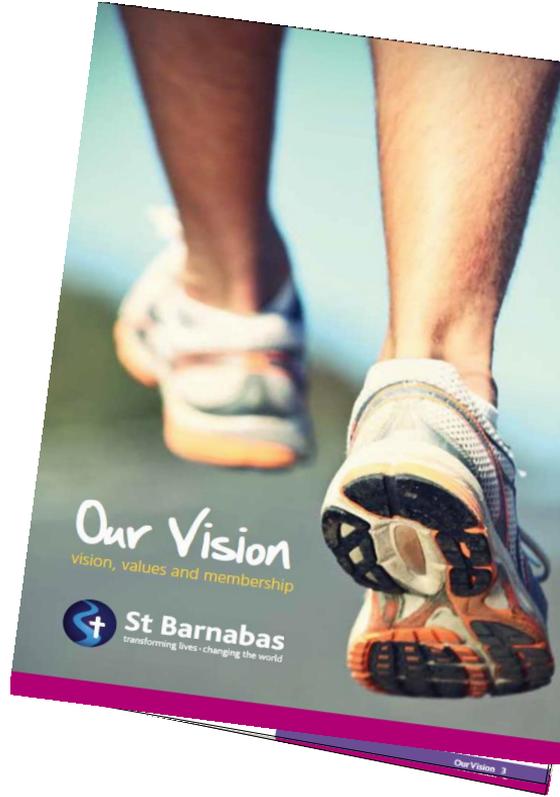
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# Mission Action Plan

## Current (2011-2016) Mission Action Plan



### Goals and Objectives 2011-2016

Love that is outward-focused creating vibrant community

BY 2011 WE HAD:	FIVE YEAR GOALS:
Had a clear vision, mission statement and strategy for our church.	Create a pathway of easy and transparent access into the life and community of the church, having a fully worked strategy for welcome and integration with teams to match.
Had many networks in the community known as a Church in the community.	Move further out into the community via existing ministry and by helping to enable missional communities.
Had a variety of youth groups to help young people to build contact with the church not just by faith background.	Develop these groups, and their related gifts, to be a vehicle for young people to build their friends and to build relationships with the team and other Christians.
We need for change to occur and to have a more vibrant community for the majority of families.	Develop our community of volunteers for all our ministries.
Had a church that transforms and equips in community for mission.	
BY 2011 WE HAD:	FIVE YEAR GOALS:
Had a Missionary Commission fully established as the centre of the life of the church.	See the Missionary Commission fully established as the centre of the life of the church.
Had a dedicated Equip Trainer/worker scheme with 11 Trainers.	Consolidate the Equip Trainer/Worker scheme and explore external possibilities of the vocational elements of the programme.
Had an annual leaders' weekends and an annual welcome to Leadership Day.	Develop and deliver a leadership programme to equip people for leadership in the church and in the world.
Had a launched impact – young adults training once a month.	Provision developing young people to become effective leaders in the church and in their area of ministry.



### Encountering God in intimacy and passion

BY 2011 WE HAD:	FIVE YEAR GOALS:
Established a high level of excellence in our pastoral care.	Establish intimate care as the central hallmark of our pastoral care.
Established and ran a variety of prayer meetings.	Actively stop, to sit and seek the meaning of prayer meetings.
Integrated prayer ministry into all our main services.	Encourage new ways for prayer ministry, especially in spiritual gifts, especially in the context of prayer.
Nurtured a worshiping environment in the church and among the youth, including seeking the presence of God and experientialism.	Further invest in bringing youth settings, and build of young leaders.

### Sending out people and resources, including church-planting

BY 2011 WE HAD:	FIVE YEAR GOALS:
Sent out 25 mission partners – 17 abroad and UK based (although all but 7 of UK based with strong focus overseas).	Build at least one major partnership project overseas with opportunity to send regular teams, including an annual men's mission and Bible with our UK church.
Planted 5 churches/away congregations/church plants in the past decade.	Plant a church/congregation/gate every 2-3 years.
Established new ways in to thinking about Urban Ministry and helped to start build new UK national networking structures.	Host new UKL venue at New Wine summer conference. Host an annual UKL networking day. Host a UKL residential forum.
Given away resources to other churches for under 5% ministry.	Support other churches' development of children's ministry.

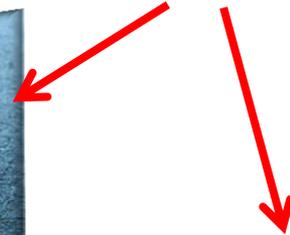


### Serving as a lifestyle for all our members

BY 2011 WE HAD:	FIVE YEAR GOALS:
Had a clear vision, mission statement and strategy for our church.	Develop more of church into discipleship through service by an interactive integration programme for all our members, including creating opportunities for people to serve in existing ministries (eg. income and wage in existing ministries) and help in new emerging ministries. Hosted at least one new emerging ministry.
Had a variety of youth groups to help young people to build contact with the church not just by faith background.	Develop this 'called out' ministry into practical expressions of mission in the community.
We need for change to occur and to have a more vibrant community for the majority of families.	Continue to build leadership in depth by establishing core teams of volunteers within youth and kids departments who will hold an overview of the vision of the youth and children's work.
Had a church that transforms and equips in community for mission.	Develop areas in which our children can serve within the church, especially prayer ministry.

### Preparing and adapting the infrastructure for "a large missional church"

BY 2011 WE HAD:	FIVE YEAR GOALS:
Had a clear vision, mission statement and strategy for our church.	Finance and build an entirely new church building and centre to provide for the ministry of St Barnabas for the next generation.
Had a variety of youth groups to help young people to build contact with the church not just by faith background.	Structure our finances to cope with growth through broadening and strengthening our giving base, and building our cash reserves.
We need for change to occur and to have a more vibrant community for the majority of families.	Use social media as a means of communicating with our members.



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**October**

**by Christmas**

**around Easter**

**end of 2017**

**Going out to tender**

**Planning permission**

**Builders on site**

**Move to Solar House**



27 Put your outdoor work in order  
and get your fields ready;  
after that, build your house.

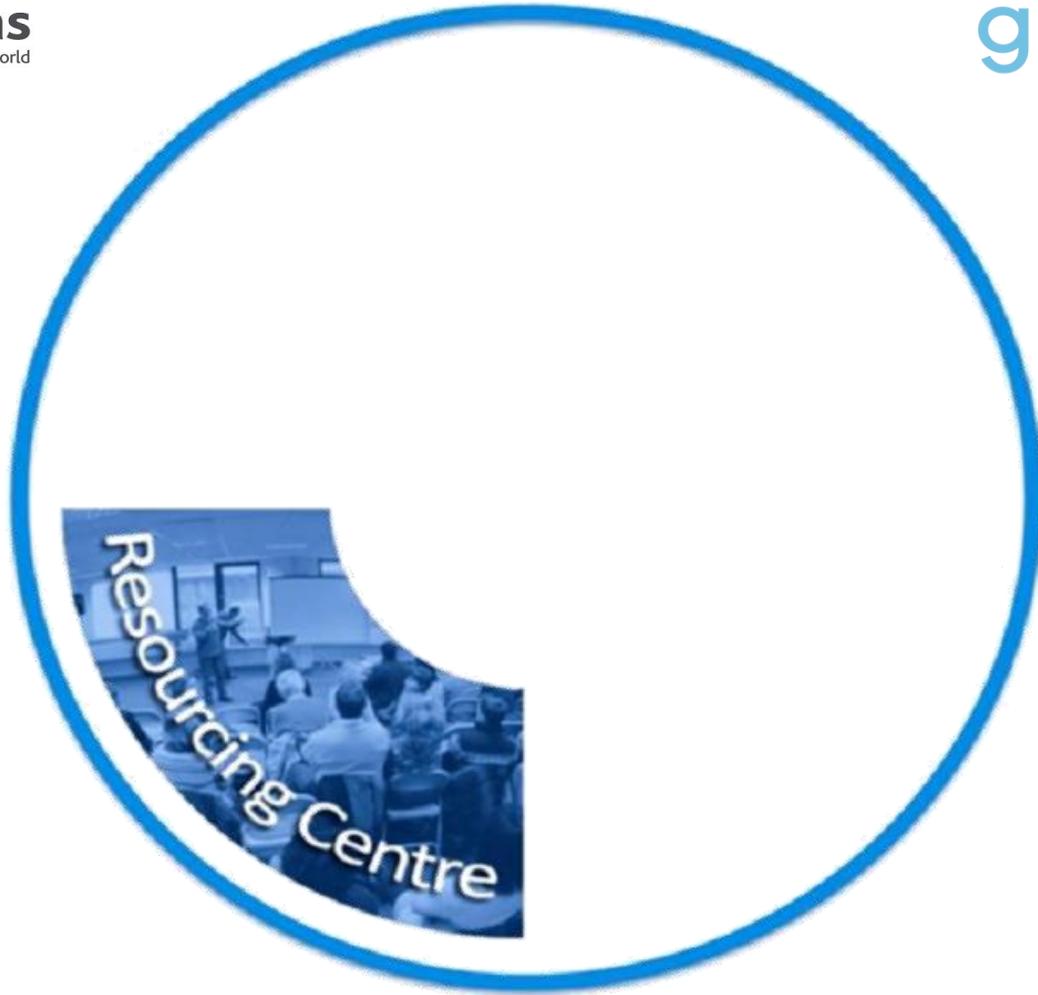




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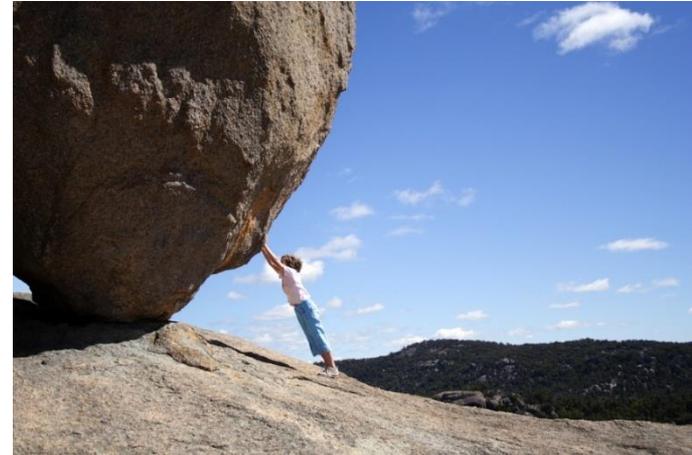
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## *Saying 25*

**10** If you falter in a time of trouble,  
how small is your strength!





## *2 Corinthians 11*

29 Who is weak, and I do not feel weak?

Who is led into sin, and I do not inwardly burn?

If I must boast, I will boast of the things that show my weakness.





## *2 Corinthians 12:10*

That is why, for Christ's sake, I delight in weaknesses, in insults, in hardships, in persecutions, in difficulties. **For when I am weak, then I am strong.**



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## *Psalm 103*

**14** for he knows how we are formed,  
he remembers that we are dust.

**15** The life of mortals is like grass,  
they flourish like a flower of the field;

**16** the wind blows over it and it is gone,  
and its place remembers it no more.



## Matthew 6

19 'Do not store up for yourselves treasures on earth, where moths and vermin destroy, and where thieves break in and steal. 20 But store up for yourselves treasures in heaven, where moths and vermin do not destroy, and where thieves do not break in and steal. 21 For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also.





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