



Growing Disciples

LIVING OUT OUR VISION



**What are we
aiming at?**



‘He is the one we
proclaim, admonishing
and teaching everyone
with all wisdom, so that
we may present **everyone
fully mature in Christ**’

COLOSSIANS 1:28



Deep in the word

EXPRESSED THROUGH...

Personal Devotions

'All Scripture is God-breathed and is useful for teaching, rebuking, correcting and training in righteousness, so that the man of God may be thoroughly equipped for every good work' - **2 Tim 3:16**

Growth Groups

'Instead, speaking the truth in love, we will grow to become in every respect the mature body of him who is the head, that is, Christ' - **Eph. 4:15**



**Deep in
the word**

Trusting
God's word



Loving God

EXPRESSED THROUGH...

Gathering

'And let us consider how we may spur one another on toward love and good deeds not giving up meeting together' - **Hebrews 10:24**

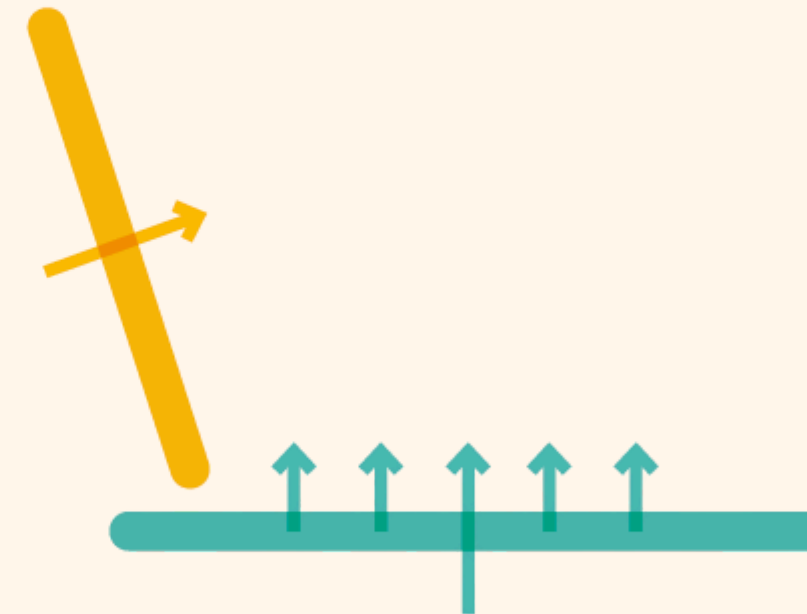
Giving

'For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also' - **Matt. 6:21**



Loving God

Adoring
God's son



Deep in the word

Trusting
God's word



In Community

EXPRESSED THROUGH...

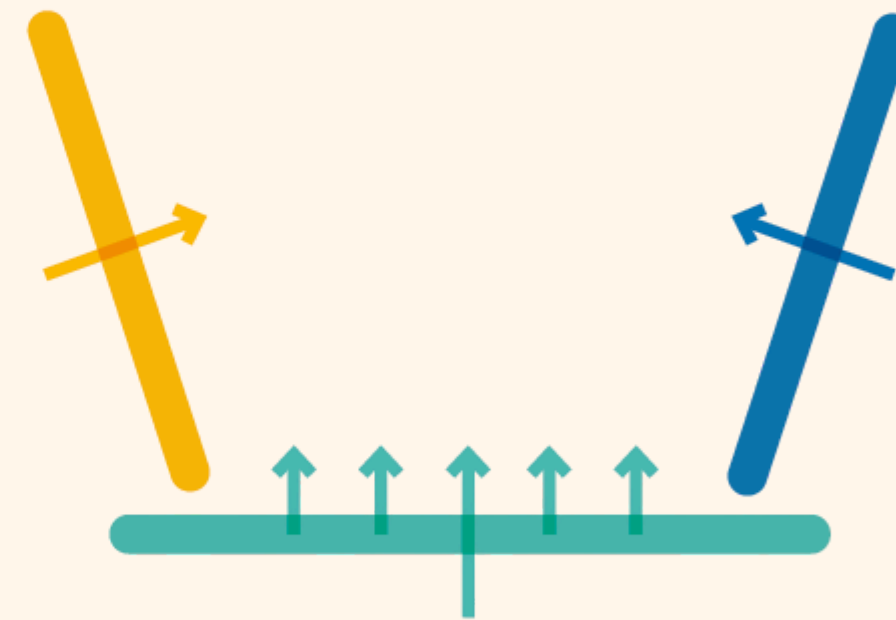
Church Membership

'Consequently, you are no longer foreigners and strangers, but fellow citizens with God's people and also members of his household' - Eph. 2:19


Spiritual Friendships

'By this everyone will know that you are my disciples, if you love one another.' - John 13:35

 **Loving God**
Adoring
God's son



 **In community**
Belonging to
God's church

 **Deep in the word**
Trusting
God's word



Serving others

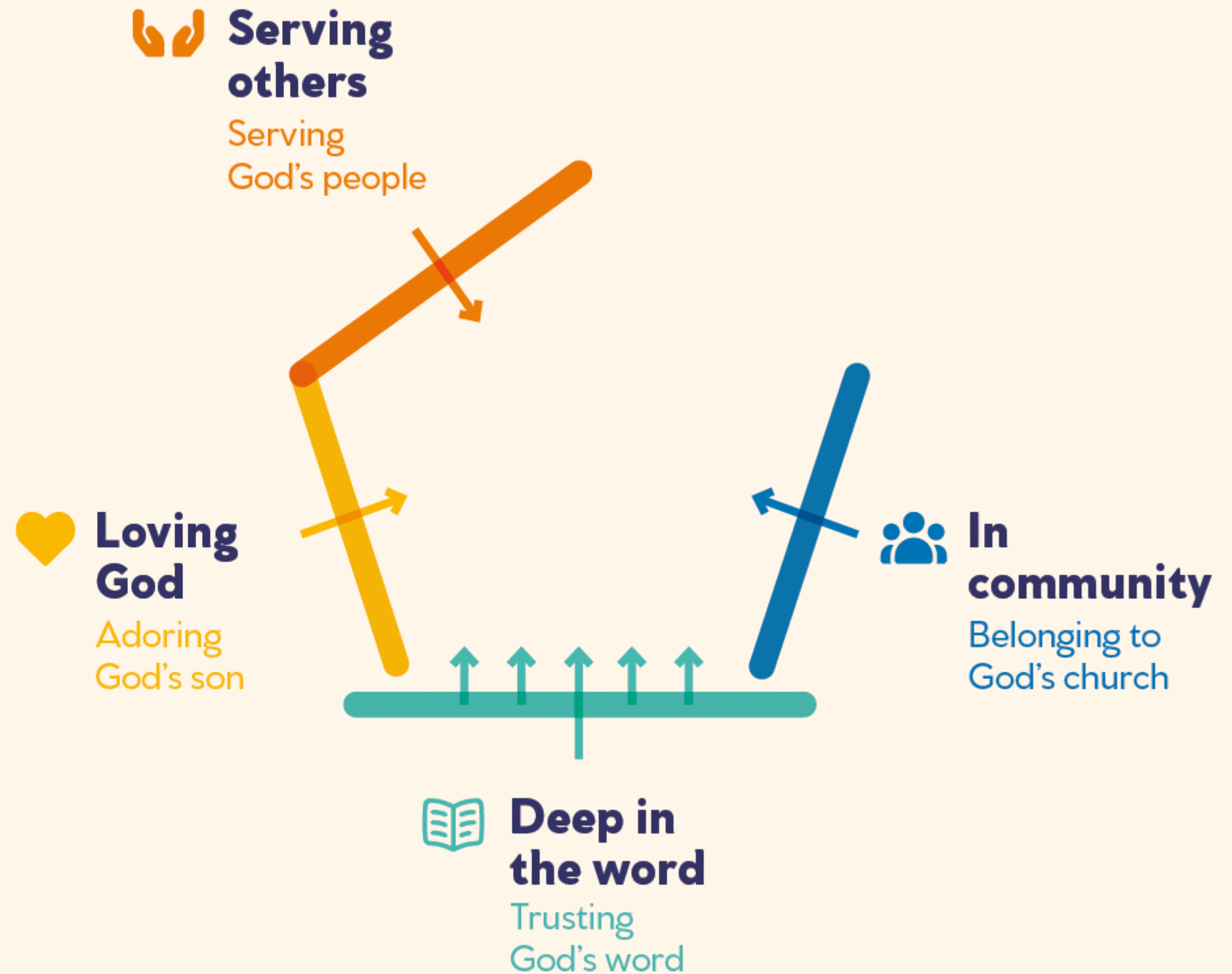
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Offering our time

'For even the Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many.' - **Mark 10:45**

Using our gifts

'Each of you should use whatever gift you have received to serve others, as faithful stewards of God's grace in its various forms' - **1 Peter 4:10**





On Mission

EXPRESSED THROUGH...

Gospel Hospitality

'We loved you so much that we were delighted to share with you not only the gospel of God but our lives as well...' - **1 Thess 2:8**

Gospel Witness

'Always be prepared to give an answer to everyone who asks you to give the reason for the hope that you have. But do this with gentleness and respect...' - **1 Peter 3:15**



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MATURITY IN CHRIST
EXPRESSED THROUGH...



Where would you most like to grow as a disciple in the year ahead?

How will you help others to grow to maturity here at Saint James?



Q&A link – scan to ask a question

