

DIALOGUE SESSION II – RESULTS

Based on our church's core values, what are the strengths and weaknesses of our ministries – in terms of quality, effectiveness, organization, and implementation?

<u>MINISTRY</u>	<u>STRENGTHS</u>	<u>WEAKNESSES/CHALLENGES</u>
COMMUNITY SUPPORT & CARE	Fall Festival – 16 Social activities – 11 Youth fellowship – 11 Collations – 10	Organization of labor – 11 Visitation – 9 Communication – 7
SPIRITUAL LIFE	Music – 18 Sunday School – 18 Sacraments – 14 Christmas pageant – 11 Confirmation – 10	Membership classes – 11 Prayer life – 8 Adult bible/book study – 7
WORSHIP SERVICE	Music – 18 Giving – 17	Lay participation – 14 Sermon application to lives – 11
INVOLVEMENT	Choir – 17 Newsletter – 15 Hospitality – 12 Committee work – 11 Fall Festival – 11 Grounds & facilities – 11	Attendance at worship – 17 Participation in church – 13 Committee work – 6
LOCAL OUTREACH & MISSION(S)	Christian Action comm. – 18 Bell choir – 18 Funding outreach – 16 Youth program – 12 Meeting venue – 12	Evangelism – 16 Publicity – 9 Limited involvement – 6

***How can we reinforce our current strengths, making them more effective?
And how can we strengthen our weaknesses and challenges?***

COMMUNITY SUPPORT and PASTORAL CARE

- Extend more ministry and welcome to 35-54 age group – 16
- Develop single-parent support – 10
- Increase care for elderly in community – 7
- Address low income housing issues – 7
- Appeal for youth ministry – 7

SPIRITUAL LIFE

- Increase opportunities for Adult education and study – 13
- Continue to pursue drug and gambling addiction support – 12
- Teach and understand obligation to pursue a spiritual life – 11
- Increase individual prayer emphasis and prayer ministry options – 9
- Increase opportunity for worship involvement – 7

WORSHIP SERVICE

- Pursue socio-economical diversity – 15
- Create relevancy and support to 25-54 y.o. age group – 15
- Increase service time options – 10
- Strengthen fellowship aspect of Sunday mornings – 9

INVOLVEMENT

- Increase young adult/families activities – 18
- Explore part-time residents issues – schedule, etc. – 13
- Develop positive ways of expression and self-discovery – 8
- Offer more opportunities for involvement in church life and service – 7

OUTREACH and MISSION

- Continue to address drug issues and youth addiction – 17
- Present SCC as a safety net for young adults – 17
- Address low-moderate income housing and material needs – 16
- Increase exposure of people of diverse backgrounds – 13