

# The Six Phases of the Evergreen 2030 Project

- **Beginning:** Beginning our journey together as a merged church - Directory, Improved communications, Getting to know each other, and narrowing our mission field to drive increased engagement in those fields.
- **Definition:** Defining our mission and vision as to who we are, as well as where and how we want to engage the community. This includes producing standard documents (eg: website, logo etc.) about our mission and vision and updating our various communications vehicles to align with our mission as well as understanding requirements for success. (eg: Hiring)
- **Building:** We need to make sure our congregation is well equipped for the new mission before we reach out to the community. This is a period of learning and equipping as we prepare for the next stage. The building up of our congregation will not stop with this project but continue as part of the on-going mission of our church as we equip each other for life.
- **Reaching out:** Executing various activities to engage the community around us in line with our mission. Establishing a rhythm for engagement. Engaging standard committees to take the lead in these activities.
- **Refining:** We will constantly refine our work as we progress together on this journey.
- **Operationalizing:** How do Session and the various standard committees take the lead on driving the vitality of our church. The Evergreen 2030 committee will go away as Session and our standing committees come together to drive the vitality of the church long term.

# The Evergreen 2030 Timeline



## Example Milestones

- 1 Kickoff – Sept 2023
- 2 Directory – Nov 2023
  - "Get to Know You" Activities
- 3 Survey – Jan 2024
  - Leadership Retreat
- 4 Congregational Update – Mar 2024
- 5 Mission/Vision Launch – Apr 2024
- 6 Training – May/June 2024
- 7 Community Engagement – Summer 2024
- 8 Community Engagement – Fall 2024
- 9 Refinement – Winter 2024
- 10 Committee Complete Apr 2025