







## SPIRITUAL GROWTH – Core values

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|                     |        |     | Educational opportunities and small groups (e.g., ChristCare, Disciple, Women’s retreats, Vacation Bible School. , Great Escape, Fun in the Son, youth groups)  |
|                     |        |     | An open, non-threatening, nonjudgmental environment that allows individuals to take risks and grow spiritually.   |
|                     |        |     | Age- and gender-specific programs and activities that <i>encourage</i> personal growth <i>through spiritual awareness</i> .   |
|                     |        |     | Ministering to and caring for others as aspects of Christian living (Stephen Ministry, Deacons).  |
|                     |        |     | Variety of opportunities to listen, learn, study and participate thus creating foundations providing for spiritual growth through the life cycle, enabling lifelong discipleship and a quest for understanding. |
|                     |        |     | Calling upon the power of prayer through the use of prayer lists, vigils, prayer shawl ministry.  |
|                     |        |     | Witnessing to our faith outside the church, being evangelists in word and deed.   |
|                     |        |     | Involvement in mission opportunities.   |
|                     |        |     | Teaching opportunities and involvement with others that enable deeper self-knowledge.   |
|                     |        |     | Communal prayer experiences outside of Sunday worship (e.g., gathering to pray for an individual or community concern).   |

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## OTHER VITAL MINISTRY – Core values

Our ministry to the youth of the church and community through strong connections to local schools and involvement in community concerns (Prevention of Teen Suicide, relevant programs and seminars).

Activities that invite the community in (e.g., VBS, Choir presentations, WoodsStock, Family Fun Night)

Memorial flowers that point to lives given in service to church or community (Poinsettias, Easter lilies, Sunday service flowers).

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