

Dustin Folden's Key Initiatives – 2017

1. Perform Pastoral Responsibilities with Excellence

- a. By shepherding people through church member counseling, preaching, prayer, and mercy ministry as appropriate.
- b. By further developing 9:30 core team to more effectively connect with visitors.
- c. By coordinating service pastors – Announcements, communication, best practices etc.
- d. By equipping team leaders in the Encouragers ABF & point man group.
- e. Assisting in the 5 year planning process and crafting our next plan this year with the possibility of including a capital campaign for 2018-20. **(Faith Church Initiative)**

2. Oversee Adult Bible Fellowship Ministry

- a. Consider having ABF teachers create video invite/overview of classes. **(Faith Church Initiative)**
- b. Lead ABF Teachers to set goals and grow their individual ABFs through solid weekly lessons, effective time management of the class, great class activities, compassionate care for needs of class, and inviting and welcoming new people to the class.
- c. Create a best practice ABF packet to equip our teachers to be more effective. i.e 5 ideas that build connection, 5 ideas that improve teaching etc. **(FE Local Church Ministry Initiative)**
- d. Consider best way to integrate an Evangelism Series into ABF **(FE Local Church Ministry Initiative)**
- e. Assist Newton Pena shepherd the Hispanic ABF with the goal of increasing attendance and growing leadership.
- f. Assist continued growth of Generation ABF class as well as Rebranding of YoPro ABF

3. Oversee Faith Community Institute Ministry

- a. Continue to grow average attendance in FCI **(Faith Church Initiative)**
- b. Consider expanding Faith Community Institute classes at Faith West. **(Faith Church Initiative)**
- c. Consider offering FCI class on balancing life's priorities. **(Faith Church Initiative)**
- d. Consider offering FCI class on nutrition. **(Faith Church Initiative)**
- e. Consider offering FCI class on time management. **(Faith Church Initiative)**
- f. Consider offering FCI class on basic first aid/sickness knowledge for parents. **(Faith Church Initiative)**
- g. Emphasize marketing of Christian Life and Growth FCI class as sequel to Intro to Faith and key connection point with a Pastor teaching. **(FE Local Church Ministry Initiative)**

4. Oversee Assimilation Ministries

- a. Implement Fully Devoted Follower of Christ (FDFC) Process church wide so that we are aggressively reaching out to un-churched persons around us and faithfully following up on every person who visits. **(cf. P. Viars Initiative)**
- b. Develop Effective strategy to engage new subdivisions on McCarty Extension (Hawthorn etc.) and invite neighbors to church and other ministry events.
- c. Create New Postcard to invite new neighbors and to use for wider church invites.
- d. Consider how to use Social Media to increase awareness of church ministries.

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- e. Lead Faith Neighborhood Welcome ministry (formerly Project Jerusalem) in order to invite new neighbors to church and make them aware of community resources available through Faith Ministries.
 - f. Ensure Intro to Faith is well attended - Seek to Average 40 non church members in actual attendance at each Introduction to Faith Class
 - g. Coordinate Weekly Visitor Follow-up
- 5. Oversee Arena Church Database key projects**
- a. Work with Jonathan Smith, Secretaries and various ministry departments to continue to improve our use of Arena for ministry purposes.
- 6. Oversee Family Promise Ministry**
- a. Work with key leaders to promote our community partnership with Family promise.
 - b. Work with key leaders to fulfill our family promise responsibilities with excellence.
- 7. Assist in growth of Biblical Counseling Ministry**
- a. Assist in Producing next generation of Biblical Counseling Observation videos as on-demand web products & DVD packs. **(Faith Biblical Counseling Initiative)**
 - b. Assist in effectively use Faith West facility for conference track during Biblical Counseling Training Conference. **(Faith Biblical Counseling Initiative)**
 - c. February Conference - Perform oversight responsibilities with excellence.
 - d. Regional Conferences - Assist Pastor of FBCM with Regional Conferences and pursue additional regional ministry partnerships
 - e. Consider strategies to grow regional counseling training conferences
 - f. Monday Training Center - Execute responsibilities with Excellence
 - g. Consider advanced training (PhD, D. Min) in Biblical Counseling