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The Vision—Part 2
“His Plan - Planning”
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_____ **Statement:** Northeast is a church where lives are forever changed by the power of God through Jesus Christ, Christians are brought to spiritual maturity through relevant discipleship and impacting our community and the world through missions and evangelism.

_____ **Statement:** Tell the story of how Christ impacted our lives, and let God do the rest.

Jeremiah 29:11 “For I know the plans I have for you,” declares the Lord, “plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future.”

My _____. His _____. Our _____.

_____ is the designer, planner and orchestrator of _____ lives.

John 15:1-2,5,8 “I am the true vine, and my Father is the gardener...⁸ This is to my Father’s glory, that you bear much fruit, showing yourselves to be my disciples.”

John 14:26 ESV “But the Helper, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, he will teach you all things and bring to your remembrance all that I have said to you.”

1. God’s _____ for your life

- a. Bear _____
John 15:8 “This is to my Father’s glory, that you bear much fruit, showing yourselves to be my disciples.”

God’s plan for us is to _____ what seed was planted inside of us – to bear fruit.

- b. To bring a _____
John 15:1-2 “I am the true vine, and my Father is the gardener. ² He cuts off every branch in me that bears no fruit, while every branch that does bear fruit he prunes so that it will be even more fruitful.”

God will do the act of pruning to bring about a _____ harvest in you.

God’s plan is not only that you bear fruit, but that you don’t stop. Embrace the _____ for a continual harvest.

2. Remain in _____
John 15:5 “I am the vine; you are the branches. If you remain in me and I in you, you will bear much fruit; apart from me you can do nothing.”

- a. The _____
John 14:26 ESV “But the Helper, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, he will teach you all things and bring to your remembrance all that I have said to you.”

How we handle the pruning season will _____ the harvest God will bring in your life.

1 Corinthians 3:6-9 “I planted the seed, Apollos watered it, but **God has been making it grow**....⁹ For we are co-workers in God’s service; you are God’s field, God’s building.”

3. _____
John 15:8 “This is to my Father’s glory, that you bear much fruit, showing yourselves to be my disciples.”

Acts 1:8 “But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you; and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth.”

- a. _____ to reproduce
2 Timothy 1:6-7 NKJV “Therefore I remind you to stir up the gift of God which is in you through the laying on of my hands. ⁷ For God has not given us a spirit of fear, but of power and of love and of a sound mind.”

God’s plan is that through the power of the Holy Spirit you will be brought to _____, reproduce and bring a harvest to His Kingdom.

Planning for God’s _____ for your life:

- Be _____
- Be _____ in the growing season
- Bear _____
- Plan for the _____ by remaining in Him
- Be _____ with the Holy Spirit
- _____ a harvest