

VISION SUNDAY 2026

MATTHEW 28:18-20; PHILIPPIANS 1:27; COLOSSIANS 1:28

Vision Sunday is a moment to celebrate what God has done, clarify where we are going, and recommit to how we get there together. At FBC Newcastle, our Disciples Path helps guide every person toward full maturity in Christ. It is built around four key rhythms of church life, all flowing from our motto: Dig Deep & Reach Wide. Let these four quadrants guide your discussion as you reflect, celebrate, and look ahead together.

QUADRANT 1: KNOW GOD THROUGH WEEKLY WORSHIP AND PREACHING

(Hebrews 10:19-25)

God designed the gathered church to be a place of encouragement, formation, and spiritual renewal; not just a weekly habit, but a holy rhythm.

- Why is gathering with the church essential for your spiritual growth, and what happens when worship becomes more than just something we attend?
- What does it look like for us to dig deep in worship (personally growing in our love for God) while also reaching wide (inviting and welcoming others)?
- Share a testimony of how God has used worship or preaching at FBCN to shape, challenge, or encourage your walk with Christ.

QUADRANT 2: FIND COMMUNITY IN WEEKLY SMALL GROUPS

(Acts 2:42-47)

God never intended us to grow alone. Spiritual growth happens best in spiritual relationships.

- Why is biblical community essential to a healthy Christian life, and how has God used small groups to strengthen your faith?
- How can your small group dig deep in authentic fellowship while also reaching wide by welcoming others into community?
- As a group, celebrate wins from the past year and identify one way you want to grow together in the year ahead.

QUADRANT 3: MAKE DISCIPLES IN D-GROUPS OF 3-5

(2 Timothy 2:1-2)

At FBCN, we believe disciples don't just grow, they multiply.

- What is biblical disciple-making, and why is it essential for the church's long-term health and faithfulness?
- The four pillars of D-Groups are: read the Word, pray, hold one another accountable, and memorize Scripture. How have you seen these shape your walk with Christ, and why are they so reproducible?
- How can you personally dig deep in your discipleship while also reaching wide by investing in others?

QUADRANT 4: LIVE ON MISSION THROUGH EVANGELISM, SERVING, AND GIVING

(Matthew 28:18-20)

Every believer is called to live on mission every day.

- Why is it important for Christians to use their time, talents, and treasures for God's mission?
- What does it look like to dig deep in obedience and reach wide with the Gospel in everyday life?
- Your mission field is wherever God has placed you. What is one practical step you can take this week to live more intentionally on mission?

As a group, pray together and ask God to help you dig deep in your faith and reach wide with your lives in the year ahead. Vision becomes reality when God's people move forward together, side by side, for the sake of the Gospel (Philippians 1:27).