

# OUR MISSION AND VISION

**Our Mission** is to be a church that is Christ-centred and outward looking.

**Our Vision** is to grow a network of flourishing faith communities where we invite people to:

- *Belong* to authentic Christian community;
- *Believe* in Jesus Christ as Lord and Saviour;
- *Become* involved in reaching our city and beyond, with the gospel.

## OUR VALUES

### STEWARDSHIP

Everything we have is a gift from God. We are stewards of the gospel; we nurture people's gifts and care for God's creation. We have a faith-filled vision for God's church.

### WORSHIP

We worship God in all that we do. We value faithful biblical preaching, together with creative and engaging worship. We embrace diversity in worship styles and find our unity in Jesus Christ.

### ALL PEOPLE

We welcome all people, meeting them where they are and giving voice to their stories. We strive to be a place where everyone can safely belong and contribute.

### COMMUNITY

We serve our community with compassion and generosity. Locally and globally, we seek to creatively reach new people with the love of Jesus.

## OUR 5 YEAR FOCUS (2021)

- Enable biblical training opportunities for personal and community formation.

- Raise up a new generation of disciples and leaders.

- Continue to upgrade our facilities.

- Nurture and grow our existing worshipping communities to at least 400 members.

- Foster music and the creative arts.

- Establish at least three new communities of faith.

- Care for and encourage all our people through small groups and prayerful team based ministry.

- Strengthen our links with local schools and grow to at least 150 young people in our church community.

- Extend our chaplaincy reach into hospitals, retirement villages, aged care facilities and justice centres.

- Enable new initiatives of service across our local and global communities with our Anglican partners and other agencies.

- Connect with new residents moving into Wagga, including those from a refugee background.

- Use opportunities afforded by new media to communicate the gospel more effectively.