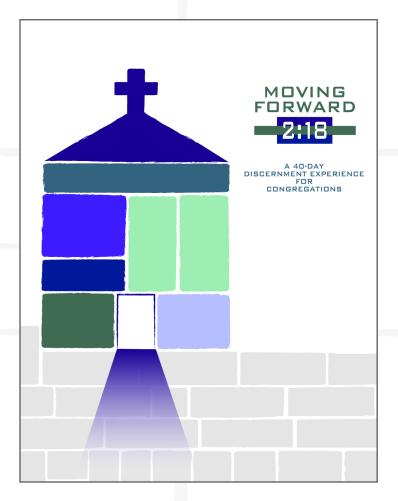
# WHAT IS IT?

A 6-week discernment experience for congregations



Moving Forward 2:18 is a program of daily prayer and scripture reflection designed to help congregations discern God's purpose and calling for their church.

With foundations of prayer and scripture reflection, the study provides a positive environment for congregations to seek the guidance of the Holy Spirit in times of transition and growth.



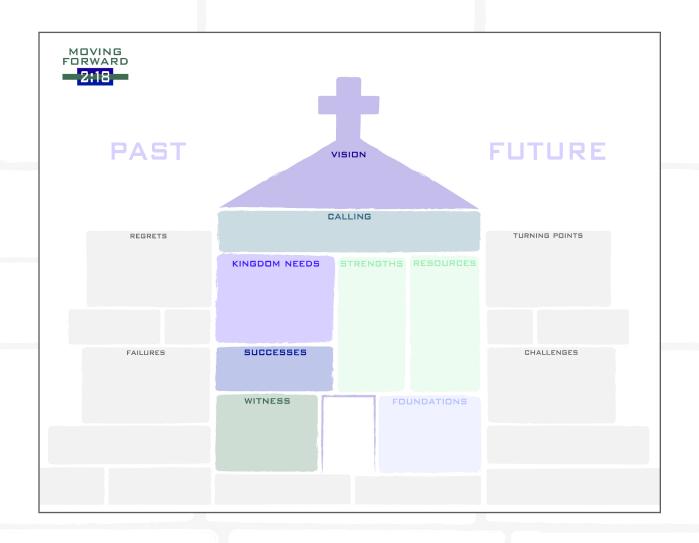
## How IT Works

- A sermon series is scheduled for 7 Sundays
- The congregation is invited to create small Discernment Groups for the study
- These groups participate in daily prayer and discernment activities for 6 weeks
- They then provide the Leadership Team with the results: The Church Profile (1)
- The leadership team collects responses from all groups and works to develop a vision and ministry plan for the church moving forward (2)
- The team then shares the plan with the congregation and begins moving into the reality of God's call for their church (3)





### THE CHURCH PROFILE



Each discernment group will pray daily through questions regarding these elements of your church's experiences.

Each group will complete this poster with the collective insights discerned through the experience. All elements will be included in the group experience except the Vision Development.

Posters from each group will be delivered to the Leadership
Team to support
Vision Development and ministry planning.



# HOW IT BENEFITS THE CHURCH

- Shifts focus from individual desires to God's will for your church
- Establishes a culture of prayer and teamwork within the congregation
- Creates a positive environment for times of transition
- Provides space for all members to participate and embrace the process
- Assures equal opportunity for all voices in the congregation
- Encourages grace-filled discussion in disagreement
- Promotes loving attitudes in response to division



# WHAT'S INCLUDED

#### **Campaign Planning Guide**

- Detailed planning timeline from announcement to completion
- Sermon outlines and slides for each week
- Digital Assets: all logos, images, worksheets, promotional pieces, etc... for church use
- 1 Church Profile Poster for leadership use
- Suggested worship, prayer, and discipleship elements to enhance the experience

#### Leader Kit

- Leader Guide
- 1 Church Profile Poster
- 1 Participant Workbook

#### **Next Steps Implementation Guide**

- Guidelines for ministry plan development
- Timelines for ministry plan development
- Step-by-step process for ministry leadership decisions
- Member engagement strategies

Individual workbook for each participant

#### **Campaign Support**

- Instructional Videos
- In-person through phone, email or Zoom
- On-site (at request with additional fee)

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## PROGRAM COSTS

#### FOR THE CHURCH

#### \$150

#### Includes:

- 1 Campaign Planning Guide
- 1 Next Steps Implementation Guide
- All digital assets
- Campaign Support

#### **\$35** each

- 1 Leader Kit for each Discernment Group Includes:
  - 1 Leader Guide
  - 1 Church Profile Poster
  - 1 Participant Workbook

#### FOR THE PARTICIPANT

#### 1 Participant Workbook

\$15 (1 - 25 workbooks ordered)

\$12 (26 - 100 workbooks ordered)

\$10 (more than 100 workbooks ordered)

