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“Five Talent Church” Goal

We understand a “five talent church” to be a church that engages the talents and passions of each of its members. To that end we will encourage one another to grow in discipleship through daily devotion, ongoing study and engaging in Christian action, and we will hold each other accountable in becoming and making disciples of Jesus Christ.

Membership Goal

Increase membership by:

- Inviting others to join in our worship, ministries and other activities
- Welcoming with Christian hospitality each person who comes
- Incorporating old and new members alike into our ministries
- Nurturing one another to grow in our journey to discipleship

Average Attendance Goal

Increase weekly attendance by:

- Encouraging each other to attend church regularly
- Emphasizing reclaiming those who have dropped away
- Inviting others to come

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