

# PATHWAYS OF *Purpose*



*Igniting passions + Transforming community*

## FIND YOUR PLACE IN THE PICTURE

You play an important part in helping Centerpoint make a meaningful impact beyond our walls.



## HOW?

- Your participation and response to Pathways of Purpose will help:
- + Uplift leaders to accomplish the mission to which they are called
  - + Support initiatives that address City Renewal
  - + Bring hope to the hopeless locally and globally
  - + Restore broken lives
  - + Inspire others to join the journey

## SHIFT THE VIEW

### MOVING FROM A CHURCH-CENTRIC MINDSET TO A KINGDOM-CENTRIC PERSPECTIVE

At Centerpoint, we believe in being a flourishing church for the benefit of our city. We don't want to simply exist within our boundaries; we strive to make a meaningful impact beyond our walls.





## CAMPUS REVITALIZATION

We will reimagine, refresh, and create new spaces within our campus. Spaces that will serve our vision and our mission to renew the city. We envision state-of-the-art tech that will support learning and equipping disciples, welcoming gathering areas that foster connection, and enhanced facilities that will amplify our impact.



## MULTIPLYING MISSIONS

We are called to multiply our missions, to expand our reach, and to impact lives far beyond what we can imagine. It's not just about reaching others; it's about catalyzing renewal in us. Our hearts expand, our faith deepens, and we experience renewal like never before. It's not a mission *to* others, but a mission *with* others. It's about going beyond short-term projects and aiming for long-term change.



## TRANSFORMATIVE CITY NETWORK

Our primary sphere of influence is right here in the Kalamazoo River Valley. This is our home, our community, and the place where we have the greatest opportunity to make a lasting impact. We seek to bridge the gaps between the church and the various sectors of our city—businesses, schools, nonprofits, and more. Together, we can create a movement of collaboration and renewal.



## MULTIPLYING LEADERS

Leadership is not confined to a heroic individual nor to a select few; it is a calling we all share at different times and in different capacities. Our unique calls and giftings have a purpose in the work of renewal. These initiatives prepare us to unleash Christ-centered leadership throughout our city, its institutions, and the world.



## NEXT GENERATION

Centerpoint is committed to giving opportunities and resources to foster resilient disciples for Christ who will carry the vision forward. We recognize that the next generation is native to the current culture, and it demands certain changes. Our ministry with the youth is to build resilient disciples experiencing life changing renewal as they are agents of renewal in our homes, schools, neighborhoods, churches, and cities.

*The question:*

## WHAT PATHWAY ARE YOU FEELING LED TO SUPPORT?



### **YOUR RESPONSE WILL SHAPE THE MOVEMENT OF THE INITIATIVE,**

and truly determine the lives we impact and the testimonies that are created. Together, we can be a beacon of hope, a catalyst for transformation, and a church built for renewal.

Within each Pathway there are tangible Projects already in progress *and* yet to be envisioned. If you already know what pathway you want to support, contact the corresponding Pathway Champion listed below.

See the Projects and their status in the Pathways of Purpose report anytime at [CENTERPOINT.FAITH/PATHWAYS](https://CENTERPOINT.FAITH/PATHWAYS), or get a printed copy in the church lobby.

### **WHAT DON'T WE KNOW?**

Perhaps you have another dream for a Pathway that is not listed here – this is the very moment for action!



To share about a new dream—or to get help deciding which pathway to engage—contact Executive Director Jeff Kimmel to get started. – [JKIMMEL@CENTERPOINT.FAITH](mailto:JKIMMEL@CENTERPOINT.FAITH).

## PATHWAY CHAMPIONS

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# GENEROSITY

*What does this mean for you?*

## EVERY ONE OF US HAS UNIQUE ASPIRATIONS, VISIONS, AND DESIRES PLACED WITHIN US.

These dreams are not accidental; they are gifts from God to fulfill His purposes in the world. At Centerpoint, we believe that generosity is our response to Christ. Generosity breaks the chains of selfishness and opens our hearts to the needs of others.

**SHIFT PRAYERFULLY CONSIDER THE PATHWAYS THAT SPEAK TO THE ASPIRATIONS, VISIONS AND DESIRES GOD HAS PLACED IN YOUR HEART, AND EXPERIENCE HOW GENEROSITY OPENS THE DOOR TO TRUE JOY.**

This true joy can particularly be elusive for those of us in North America where our relative wealth and standard of living are incredibly high. Most of the world would view us as "rich." And we are. Fortunately, scripture gives us the key to unlock this joy in 1 Timothy 6:17-19. It is to *do good, to be rich in good deeds, and be generous and willing to share.*

**May we one day hear, "Well done, good and faithful servant!"**

*We do this together.*

*And he gave the apostles, the prophets, the evangelists, the shepherds and teachers, to equip the saints for the work of ministry, for building up the body of Christ, until we all attain to the unity of the faith and of the knowledge of the Son of God, to mature manhood, to the measure of the stature of the fullness of Christ, so that we may no longer be children, tossed to and fro by the waves and carried about by every wind of doctrine, by human cunning, by craftiness in deceitful schemes. Rather, speaking the truth in love, we are to grow up in every way into him who is the head, into Christ, from whom the whole body, joined and held together by every joint with which it is equipped, when each part is working properly, makes the body grow so that it builds itself up in love.*

Ephesians 4:11-16

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