

## Send...

"Disciples bring good news  
to the poor"

7. We will develop a sister parish relationship, either overseas or in a rural area of the U.S., with the goal of developing mission work between the two communities.

8. We will create the means (clearing house) to communicate parish needs and volunteer outreach, including services for the poor, the home-bound, the elderly, and young families.

9. We will act as an advocate for the proposed Hope House improvements.

### **Isaiah 52:7**

*"How beautiful upon the mountains are the feet of the one who brings glad tidings. Announcing peace, bearing good news, announcing salvation, and saying to Zion, 'Your God is King!'"*



## Support...

"Disciples are good stewards  
of the gifts they receive."

10. We will create a plan that addresses both the short-term and long-term capital and program needs of the facility, including the possibility of a new Parish Center.

11. We will develop an effective planning process for activities and facility use while providing a level of staffing that is commensurate with the needs and finances of the parish.

12. We will assist the school in an advisory role to ensure long-term solvency through the endowment fund and other means.

### **1 Corinthians 4:1-2**

*"Thus should one regard us: as servants of Christ and stewards of the mysteries of God. Now it is of course required of stewards that they be found trustworthy."*

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# Church of The Assumption

## Journey to Discipleship

### Vision 2020

Five Year Plan:  
2015-2020

**Our Vision:**  
By engaging  
in formation,  
sacraments,  
outreach, and  
stewardship,  
we will glorify  
the Lord  
with our lives.

## Invite...

"Disciples make disciples"

1. We will evangelize non-believers and non-practicing Catholics through a variety of programs that invite them to join our Church of the Assumption, to participate actively in our parish, and embrace the Gospel.
2. We are a welcoming community at Church of the Assumption that uses and will use media effectively to communicate that we are a warmly welcoming multi-cultural, multi-generational community where diversity is embraced and seen as a strength.
3. We will make Assumption Catholic School affordably accessible to all Catholic families.

### **Matthew 28:19**

*"Go therefore, and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the son, and of the Holy Spirit."*

## Gather...

"Disciples help one another  
in their journey of faith"

4. We will provide regular opportunities for small group faith formation that are attractive to a broad range of age groups and, where appropriate, create bridges between various generations, communities, and ethnic groups within the parish.
5. We will regularly provide well planned and carefully crafted liturgies and a church environment where attendees can experience the sacred spirit of the varied liturgical seasons while promoting intentional discipleship as a lifelong journey.
6. We will deepen the spiritual foundation of parishioners and school families through a variety of programs including retreats, missions, and other prayer forms.

### **Matthew 18:20**

*"For where two or three are gathered together in my name, there am I in the midst of them."*

