2019 Holy Spirit Breakthroughs

Night Watch Kit Stop Ignite on Wednesday Night Welcoming 30 children each Wednesday for Christian Ed. Providing supper for community children as a worshipping group averaging 20-25

Offering Bible School Broadcasting the sermon on Facebook LIVE every Sunday. Opened the church to community gatherings. Taking part in Habitat for Humanity Family Fun Night (Neighborhood Block Party) Including music to reach all age groups of our congregation. More church attendees who are active on community boards and committees.

Establishing a Welcoming Team Park events and presence during holiday events Investing in leadership to increase attendance and further our mission

Incorporating a welcome team with a comprehensive plan to reach out to new people in town, first-time guests, those missing in attendance, those unaffiliated to a church, and others via social media.

Encourage families and youth Focusing on our 6:18 breakthrough prayer and those included in that prayer.

Cookie giveaway Caroling New worship service Changing worship style Being involved with the community Reaching many new people who come to visit the pumpkin patch

Youth ministry/children's church during adult sermon time. Sonshine Club meetings on a monthly basis Exploring what it means to serve middle/high school youth through an advanced age VBS.

Stewardship Program (Financial Peace University) A free community meal once a month End of summer picnic 6:05 worship Reach out to the neighborhood Kid Stop and The Light Movie Night Praying for an effective ministry for our growing Hispanic population.

Sharing our space/building with Boys and Girls Club while they're in the process of reconstruction.

Sharing our faith with friends and family. The Journey @ Spirit Lake Liberian Service / Hispanic Service New Wednesday Night Service and Discipleship New Sunday School Time Daughter—father-grandfather dance (456 attended) Partnering with organizations Free clothing closet Outreach to at-risk youth **Baptisms** AWANA Program / Wed. night meal Encouraging other to invite attendees Little Food Pantry Support of Bismarck Emergency Food Pantry Starting a new church plant Reaching out to the LGBTQ community Reaching out to LGBTQ people Worshipping - multi-site College Ministry Neighborhood food pantry at low income apartment complex.

Leading worship events like a women's' simulcast, providing financial help to people in need, and talking to our neighbors.

Bible Studies Changing the layout of the church to include a children's' area for children sermons.

Welcoming/hosting the Boys & Girls Club into our space for the next year and a half.

Lighthouse Wednesday evening meal ministry (serves 60-70 people weekly)

Youth lead worship service Our Nightwatch van expanding its ministry Reaching out to people with our B-45 Outreach (Beyond 45 Minutes a Week)

We do a youth ministry after school on Wednesdays. Helping people shop for new and gently used clothing and school supplies

Our church has adopted the elementary school nearby, participating in a reading program, providing winter clothing, blessing the teachers with food and refreshments.

Weekly community banquets.

Reimagining our children's, youth, and family ministries with a focus on how to connect new families. We are staffing new positions in faith to help us move toward this visions.

Engaging people on the fringes of society.

Open Table Community Meal

Backpack Program for elementary and high school students in our town (also expanding it to a summer meal program)

New worship service

Combine with other churches in a small community to bring children to church.

Checking with families who have recently had a new baby and providing a meal for them. (This is done through out Vision Team)

Ministry of Space - hosting many open community programs.

Hosting a monthly community meal. One Table Ministry Coffee Kiosk Opening our building for groups not church-related. Welcoming new young families into our church family Youth Adventure - A way of reaching kids in our community. Accepting everyone to worship at our church. Encouraging people coming to Love Feast to attend our church.

Starting an after-school program called Sonshine Club to reach out to kids in the community by providing a space where they feel loved and know God's love.

Through the ELF Project we are offering affordable shopping so children can buy Christmas gifts for their families.

Starting a new children's/youth ministry.

We are offering a free meal to anyone in our community once a month called Open Table. We have also established the Epworth's Holy Grounds Coffee Kiosk which gives us many opportunities to build relationships one cup at a time with out community.

Putting more focus on our youth and spreading the word to that age group.

Investing in our children 5 cent carnival each fall - adults invent games and parents pay 5 cents

Free clothes for kids Feeding the community Women's night out Men's accountability Vacation Bible School Trunk 'r Treat Community Art Projects Community Ice Cream Social Community Youth Group Support of the HOPE Center and downtown ministry efforts Community Meals We're starting an after school program for elementary students

Helping local school financially provide lunches for hungry children

Youth and Children's Ministry Being active in the community Inspiring people to serve Christ. We offer a feeding ministry every Sunday morning. Bible study series Community Meal Main Street outreach Reaching out to DSU 2-3 days a week to work with students and invite them to Praise team during 2nd service.

Reaching out to others in the community through the children and a community Sunday school.

We are doing the online webinar with Mark Teasdale, "Evangelism for those who aren't Evangelists," this fall on Wednesdays at Redfield.

Our "The Light" has reached new people - 75% of the people who attend are new to our church.

Wednesday night service, after school program, community outreach

Our pastor is having community meals once a month to get more members.

"Ignite" / "Kid Stop" Encouraging more confessions / Testimonies We're signing up for the Mark Teasdale webinars and watch as a congregation at our POW (Praise on Wednesday) services.

Supporting the HOPE Center Hospitality Team Worshipping together with the new Ethiopian congregation meeting in our church.

Focusing on God's word to teach the truth, the light, and love of God to families in the outreach Backpack Program each August put on by the Food Pantry.

Having a pastor in 3 small congregations, everyone needs to give more support.

Sending new kids to camp.

Inviting Boys and Girls Club participants to be part of the many different events and special days we have coming up.

Follow through on Recovery Church - targeting anyone recovering from PTSD, Grief, Addictions, or self-worth

Ministry programs to Valley children of all ages.

Worship revitalization

Saturday night worship

Gathering - weekly meals

Backpack Program

Feeding grade school teachers during conference

Summer meals for kids

Hold a "Unite" service with our sister church.

Meals on Wednesday nights and Wednesday night youth program.

Starting a child/youth cohort

(DesLacs UMC) - Go around D.L. personally inviting each home to come to church with us.

(Faith UMC Minot) - Continue outreach with soup kitchen

"Thank God it's Wednesday" Meal, worship service and AWANA

Sandwich Ministry More intentional invitations to connecting to our church through our community events.

Cooperate with school system to start music program. AXIS Sunday School Walk Through Bethlehem "Kid Stop" Starting a new food pantry More community activities, Bridging the Gap