## Good Hope Foundations: Part 2 – Core Values

- Vision part of Visitor Packet:
  - o Discipleship Pathway: This is Good Hope's strategy for building disciples
    - Pre Evangelism: Establishing a positive relationship with the area
    - Evangelism: Many forms but lets people choose Christ
    - Care Ministries: People have issues. Let's deal with them.
    - Discipleship: Various forms of training in how to be a Christian
    - Involvement: Just like it sounds, but the entry level stage.
    - Advancement: We want you to reach your full potential.
      - We can take you as far as going into the ministry.
  - Core Values
    - Small Groups: This is important for strong relationships.
    - I'm praying for you. Let me know if you need something.
    - Safe and Free: these can collide with each other. Love is key.
      - The plan for allowing vocal gifts re safe and free.
    - Outreach should be based on real needs, not what we want to do.
    - We don't want to be judgmental. This isn't the place for hate bandwagons. See the harvest. Love your brother.
    - Good Hope Quality -If you're going to do something endeavor to do it well.
  - Other basics that aren't covered in Parts 4 and 5:
    - Respect the hour and fifteen.
    - Missions and evangelism are very important to us.
    - No dress code beyond clean and modest.
    - Church should be fun too.
    - We want all age groups here, know what that requires.
    - Coffee time before and after church!
    - Current building situation: Some services can be very crowded. You can help by scooting to the inside.
    - There are lots of good churches in town.
    - We're going to try to hit the basic truths.
    - Expectation of growth:
      - As a church: "I like my life boats roomy."
      - As individuals. Don't strive to be the worst Christian you could be but still get into heaven.