

Your Church's Goals for Maturing in Faith

◆ What are your church's goals for maturing in faith and discipleship?

◆ Explore how the Ten Goals for Maturing in Faith are being practiced in your church. Use this simple chart to organize your profile.

	Children	Youth	Young Adults	Midlife Adults	Mature Adults	Older Adults
Developing and sustaining a personal relationship and commitment to Jesus Christ						
Living as a disciple of Jesus Christ and making the Christian faith a way of life						
Reading and studying the Bible, and its message, meaning, and application to life today						
Learning the Christian story and the foundational teachings of one's particular Christian faith tradition and integrating its meaning into one's life						
Praying—together and alone—and seeking spiritual growth through spiritual practices and disciplines						
Living with moral integrity guided by Christian ethics and values						
Living the Christian mission in the world—serving those in need, caring for God's creation, and acting and advocating for justice and peace—locally and globally						
Worshipping God with the community at Sunday worship and ritual celebrations, and through the seasons of the church year						
Being actively engaged in the life, ministries, and activities of the faith community						
Practicing faith in Jesus Christ by using one's gifts and talents within the Christian community and in the world						