The 3E Pathway

Scripture Reading: Various

Opening Question:

Imagine for a moment you are lost in the wilderness with no map and no clear direction. How might you feel? What difference would a compass, a map or GPS make to lead you out? As we begin our vision journey today, how can we seek God's direction?

Proverbs 29:18 "Where there is no vision, the people perish..." KJV

Vision is defined (in Hebrew) as: Mental Sight, Revelation or a dream. It can also be defined today as: direction of where to go.

The 3E Pathway = Encourage, Equip, and Engage.

Ontario Community Church's Vision Statement: *Encouraging, Equipping and Engaging lives for* CHRIST.

Ontario Community Church's Mission Statement:

Encourage love for God and others.

- John 13:34-35, 1 John 4:7-8, Mark 12:30-31, 1 Corinthians 13:1-3, 1 John 3:18

Equip believers for spiritual growth.

- Ephesians 4:11-13, 2 Timothy 3:16-17, Hebrews 5:11-14, 1 Peter 2:2, 2 Peter 3:18

Engage people to service and share their faith.

- Matthew 28:19-20, Acts 1:8, 1 Peter 4:10-11, Matthew 5:16, Ephesians 2:10

Closing Question: Who is the one person you can envision sitting in that empty seat, whose life might be transformed if we embrace this vision of encouraging, equipping, and engaging our community for Christ?