

# Star Street Uniting Church

## Mission Plan 2023-2026

### **TELL the good news of the kingdom**

- Continually review worship to ensure it is joyful and engages all ages
- Tell the story of Star St through better signage and electronic media
- Equip members to become invitational and share their faith

These activities and principles support our Mission, Vision, and Values, adopted by the Congregation.

### **TEACH, baptise, and nurture new believers**

- Equip families to nurture faith in their young children
- Review and reinvigorate the Seekers Bible Study group
- Resource members to deepen their prayer life

### **TRANSFORM unjust structures in society**

- Maintain a strong Social Justice emphasis
- Co-ordinate the Emergency Relief Network for Belmont and Victoria Park
- Give generously to the Christmas Bowl Appeal
- Advocate for justice for refugees, the homeless, and those living in poverty

### **TEND by responding to human needs by loving service**

- Provide emergency food relief to the local community
- Provide social support through Seniors and Craft Group
- Pray for our local community
- Develop systems to ensure all members receive Pastoral Care
- Encourage community groups to use our buildings

### **CONNECT with our neighbour**

Develop meaningful relationships with:

- Our local community
- International students
- First Peoples
- Tapu Niue Faith Community

### **TREASURE God's creation and sustain life on earth**

- Celebrate Sustainable September
- Practice recycling
- Develop a shared nature space
- Reduce our carbon footprint

### **COMMIT to support the mission of Star St Church**

Encourage members to commit to:

- Improving the financial viability of Star St
- Being involved as a volunteer
- Engaging in lay leadership and training
- Maintaining Star St as a Safe Church
- Being always open to new ideas and opportunities