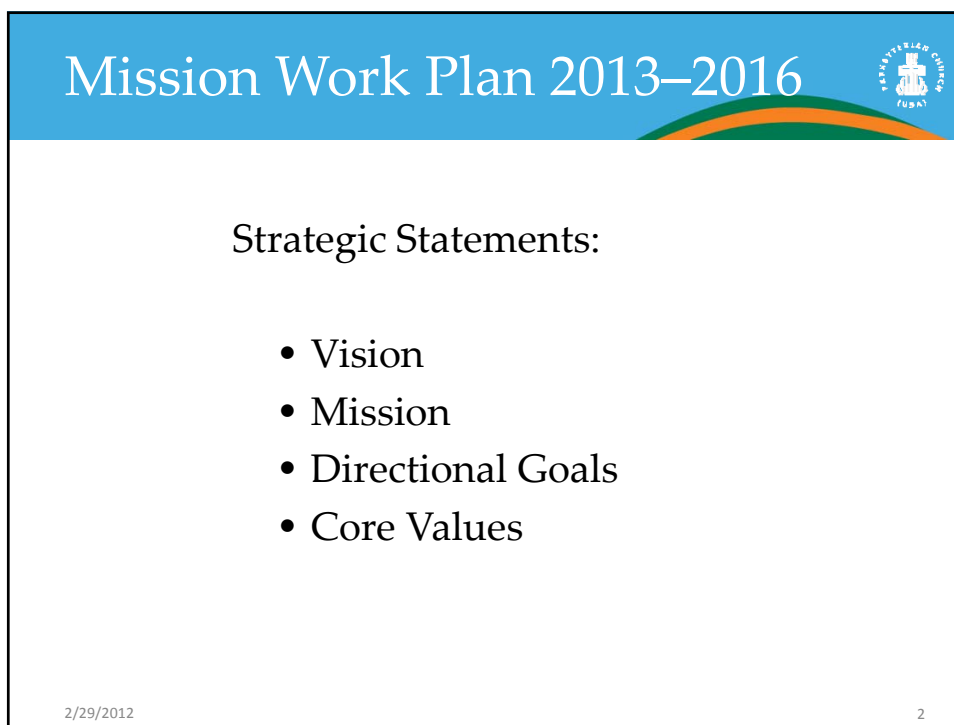


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2013–2016 Mission Work Plan Strategic Planning

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Mission Work Plan 2013–2016

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Strategic Statements:

- Vision
- Mission
- Directional Goals
- Core Values

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2013–2016 Objectives for Mission Work Plan



- Strategically aligns ministries to support common mission, vision and directional goals
- Provides clear direction, a guide for decision making and allocation of resources
- Focuses on those things that the GAMC can do best and that are of most value to the church

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2013–2016 Objectives for Mission Work Plan cont.



- Attracts engagement and support by congregations, mid councils and other constituents
- Is sustainable by the church
- Provides for periodic evaluation, continuous strategic thinking and innovation that enables the GAMC to anticipate and adapt to change in the world and the church

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Theological Reflection



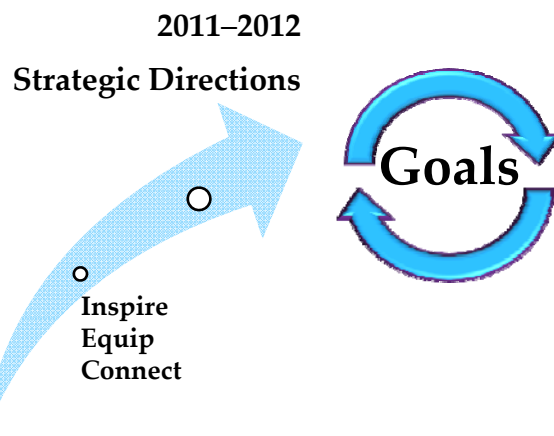
“Now is the time! Here comes God’s realm!
Change your hearts and lives, and trust the
good news!” Mark 1:15

- What is the gospel of Jesus Christ?
 - How do we as a church live that out? *Vision*
 - Whom does the GAMC serve? *Mission*
 - How do we serve? *Directional goals and core values*

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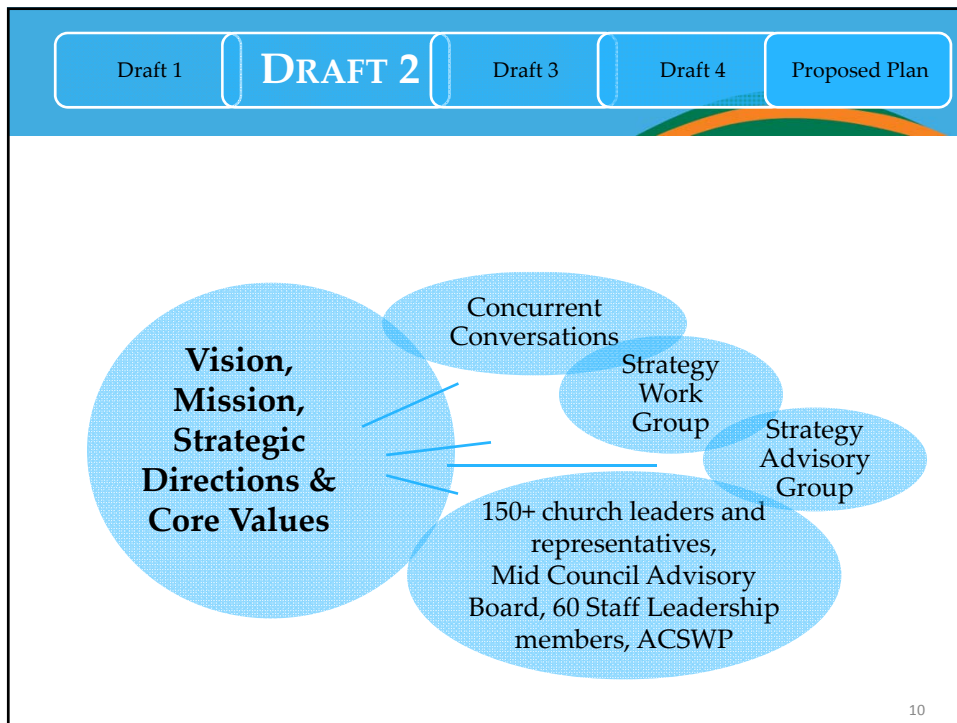
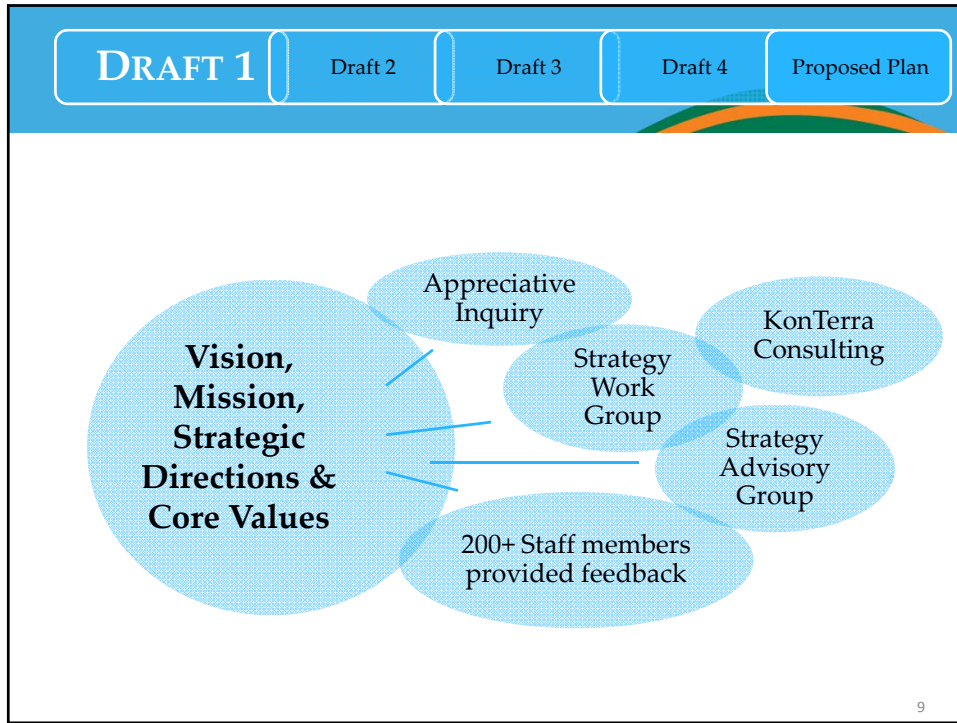
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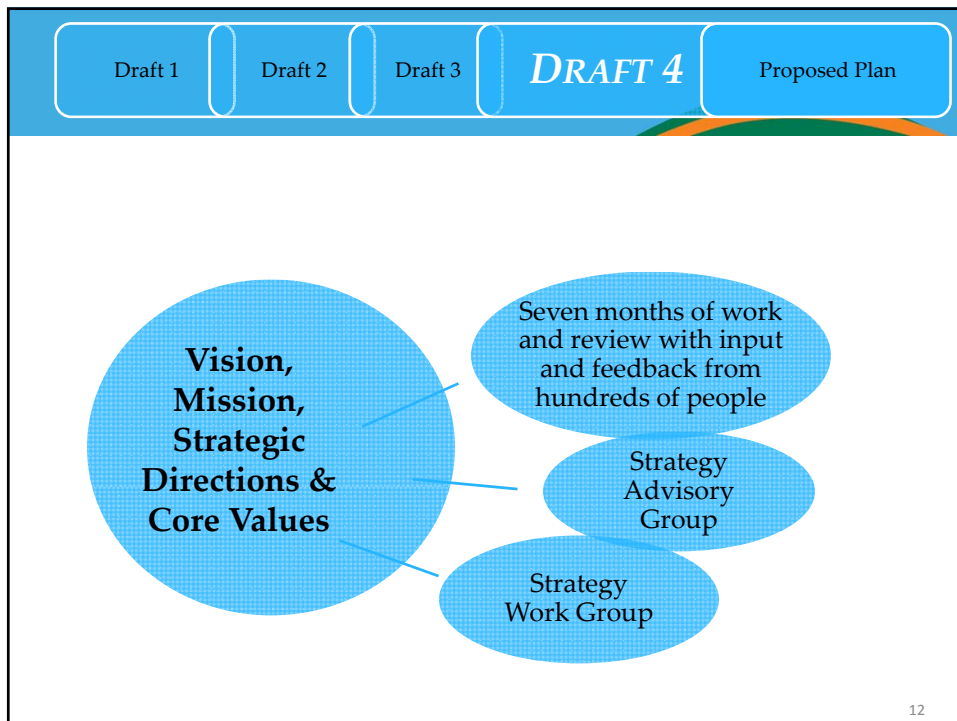


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- ## Strategic Planning Process
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- Strategy Advisory Group:**
- Melissa DeRosia, Aleida Jernigan, Mike Kruse, Reg Parsons, Kears Pollock, Heath Rada and Marta Rodriguez
- Strategy Work Group:**
- Linda Valentine and 13 leaders from Mission, Communications, Finance and Funds Development
 - Consultant: Rick Augsburg, KonTerra Group
- Concurrent Conversations:**
- Broad range of church leaders
 - All staff and staff leaders
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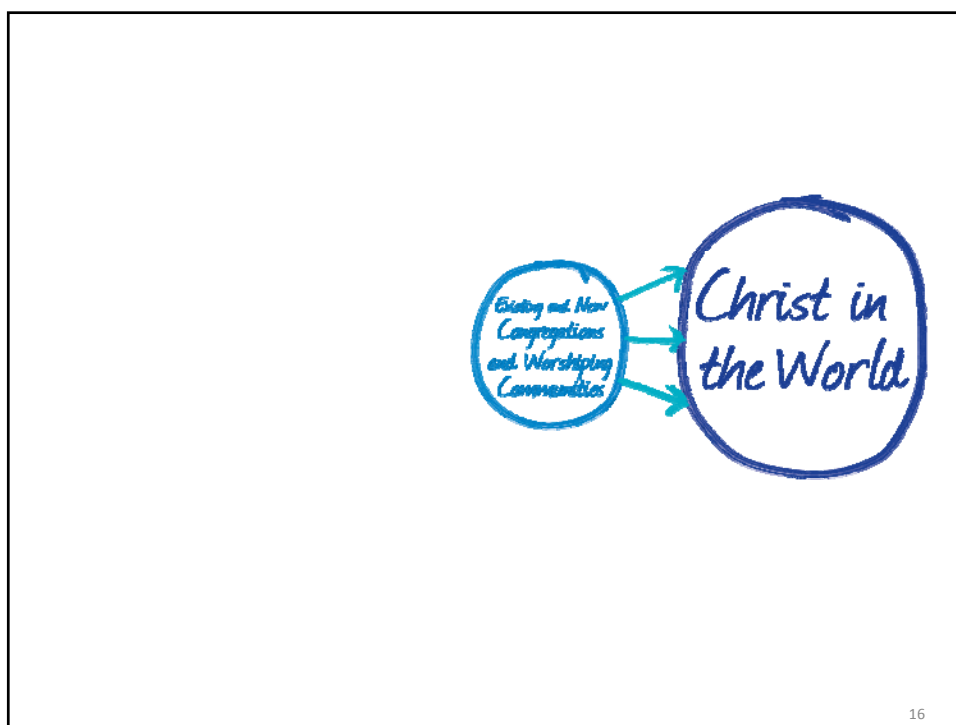
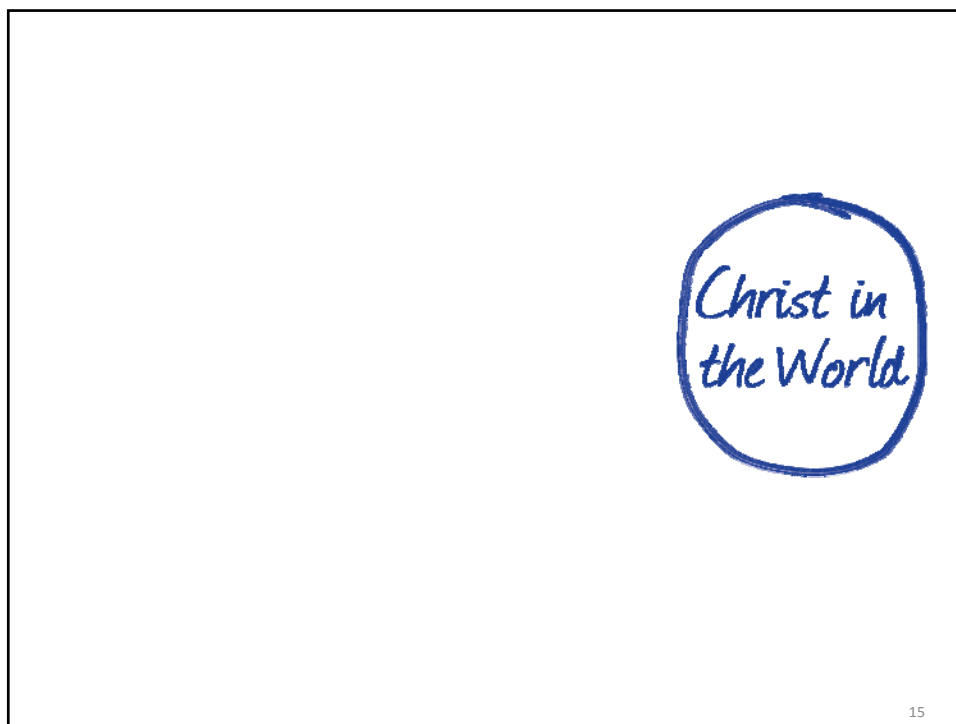


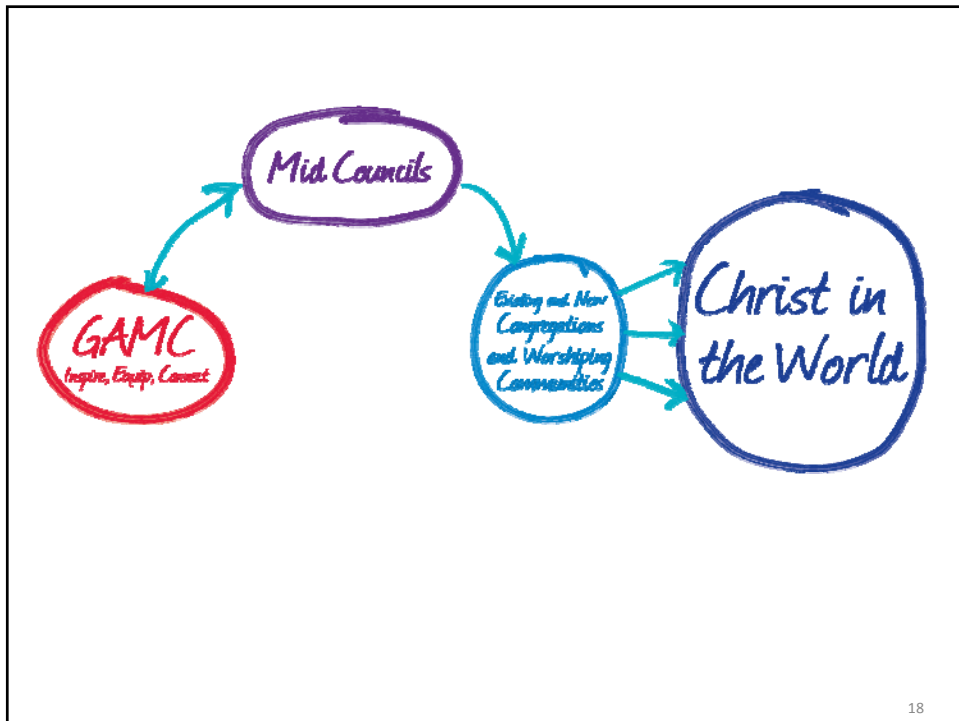
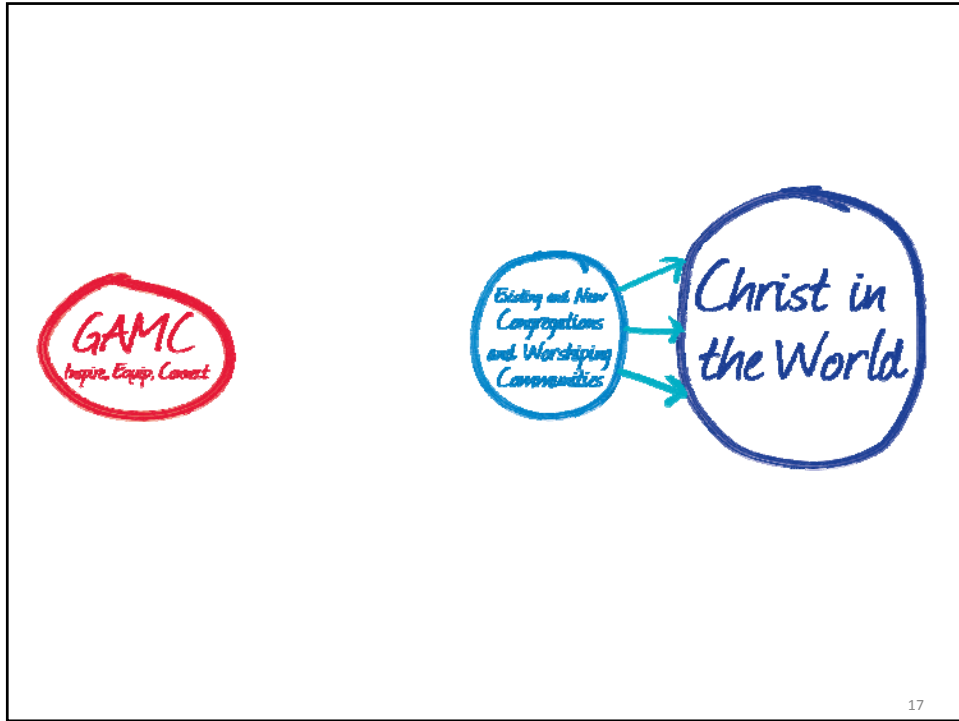


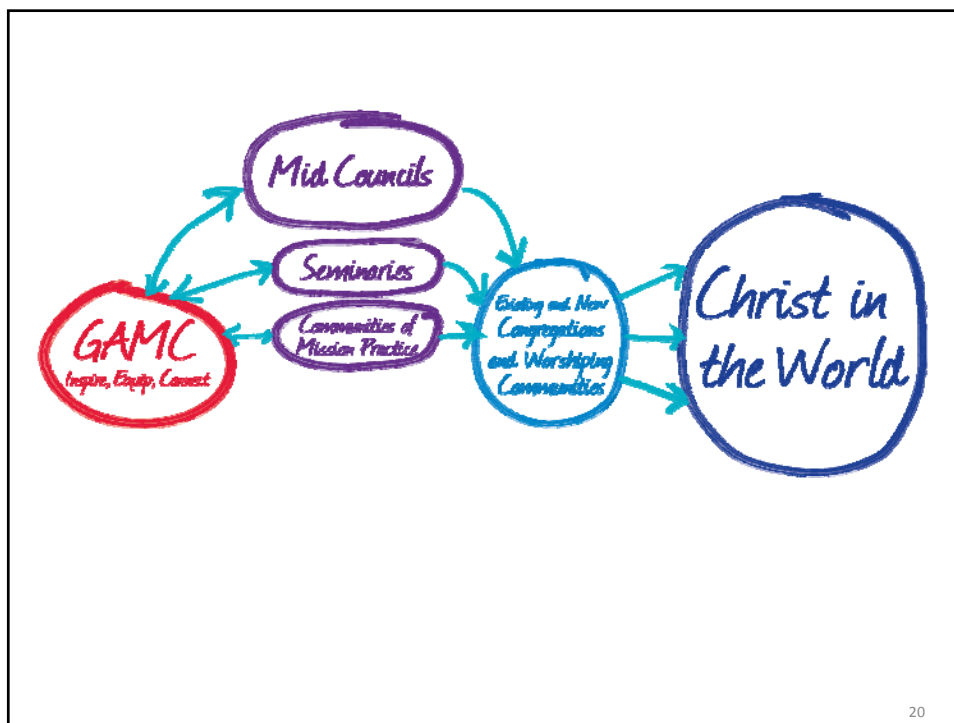
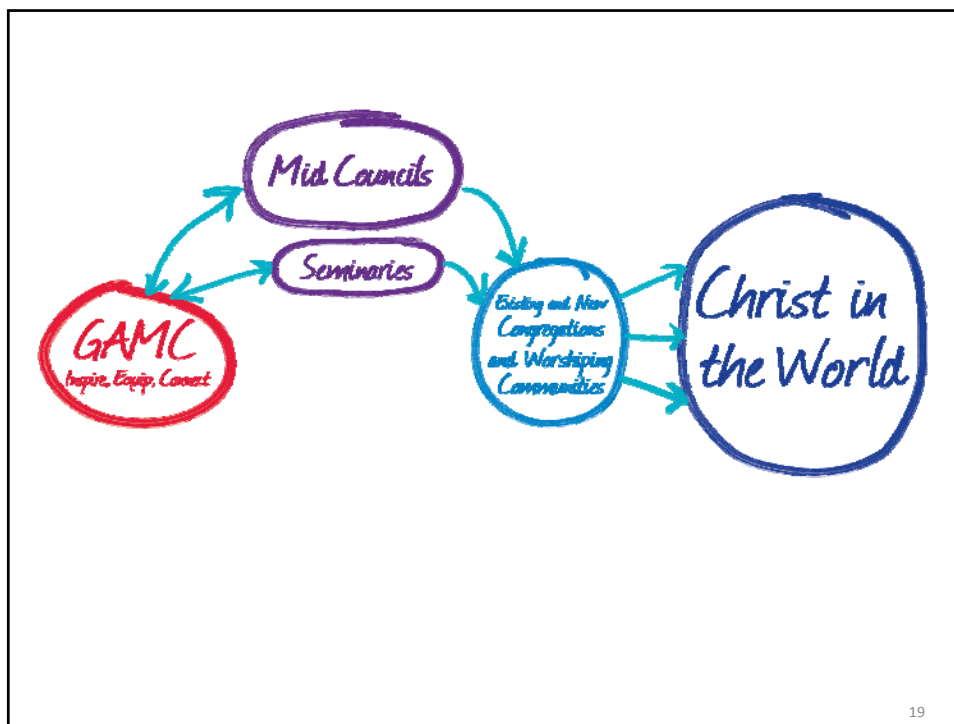


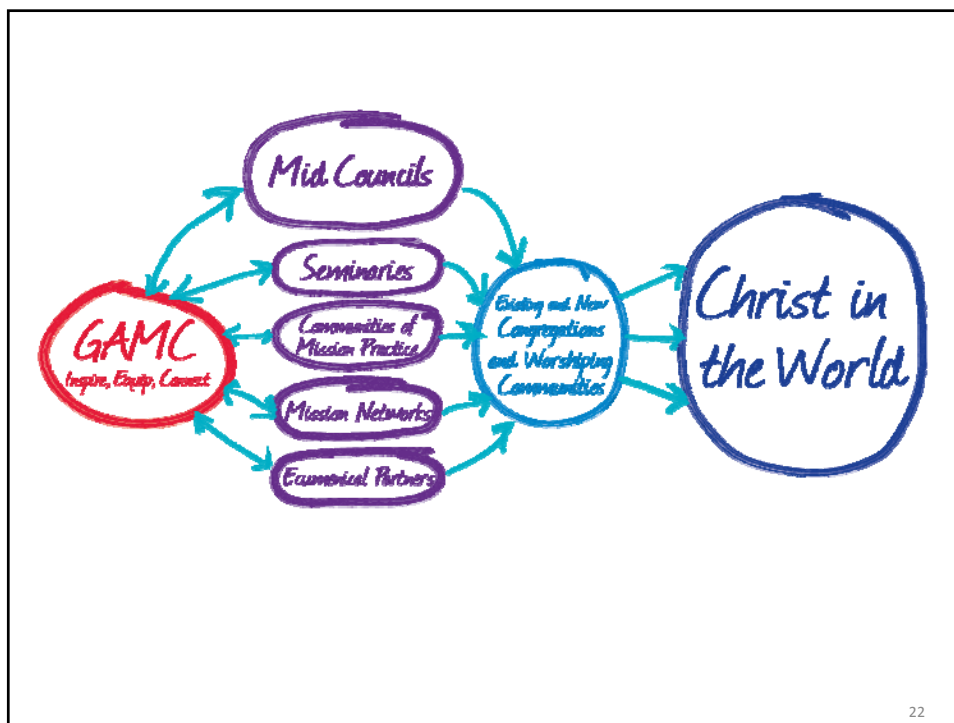
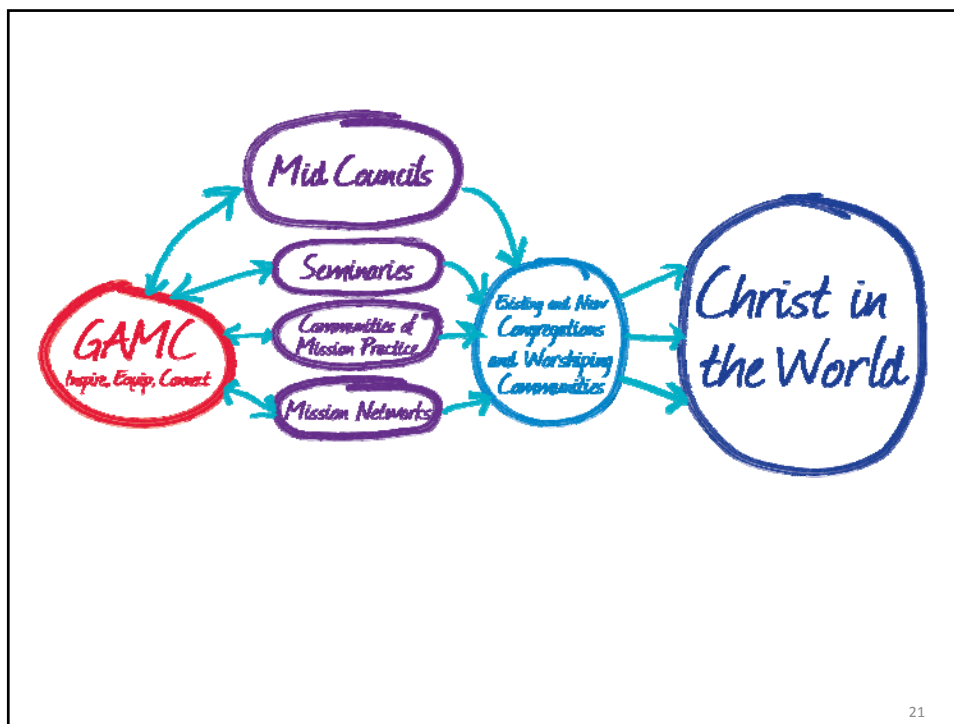
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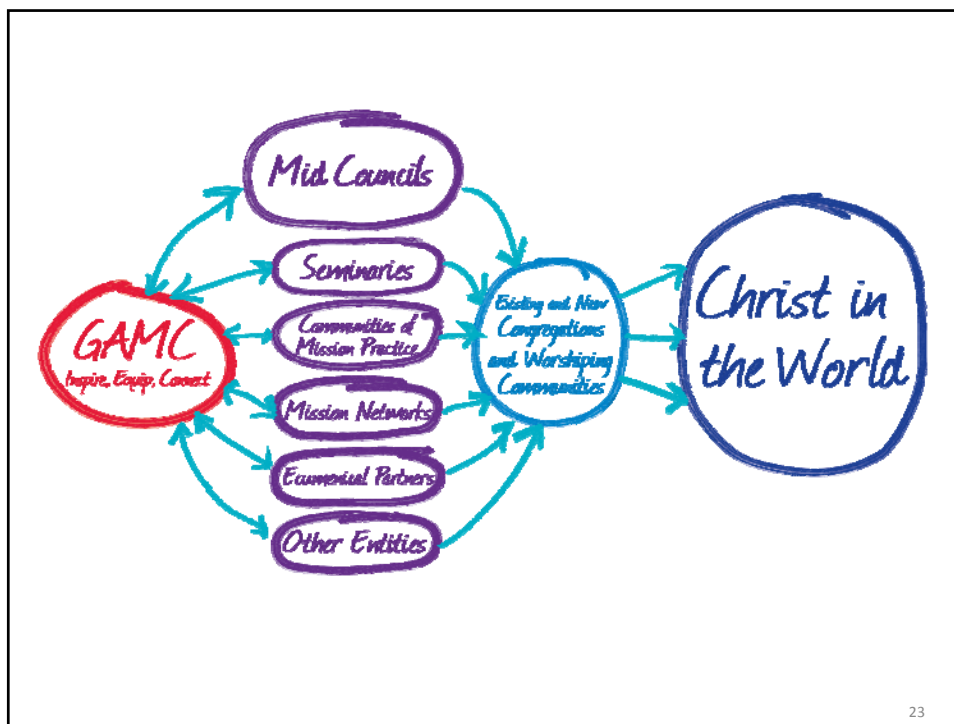
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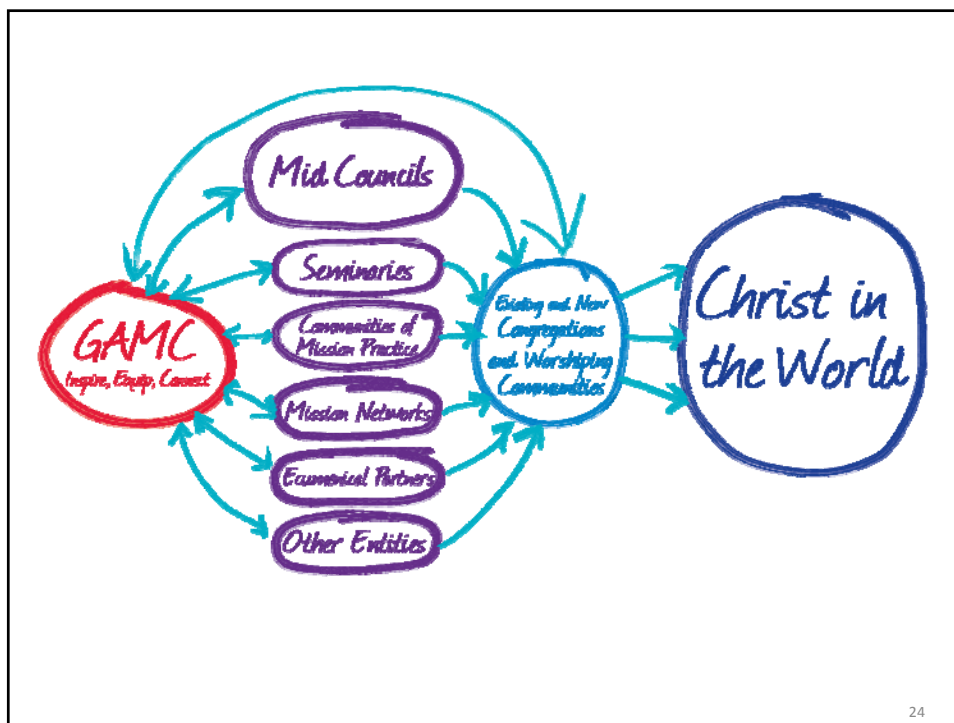




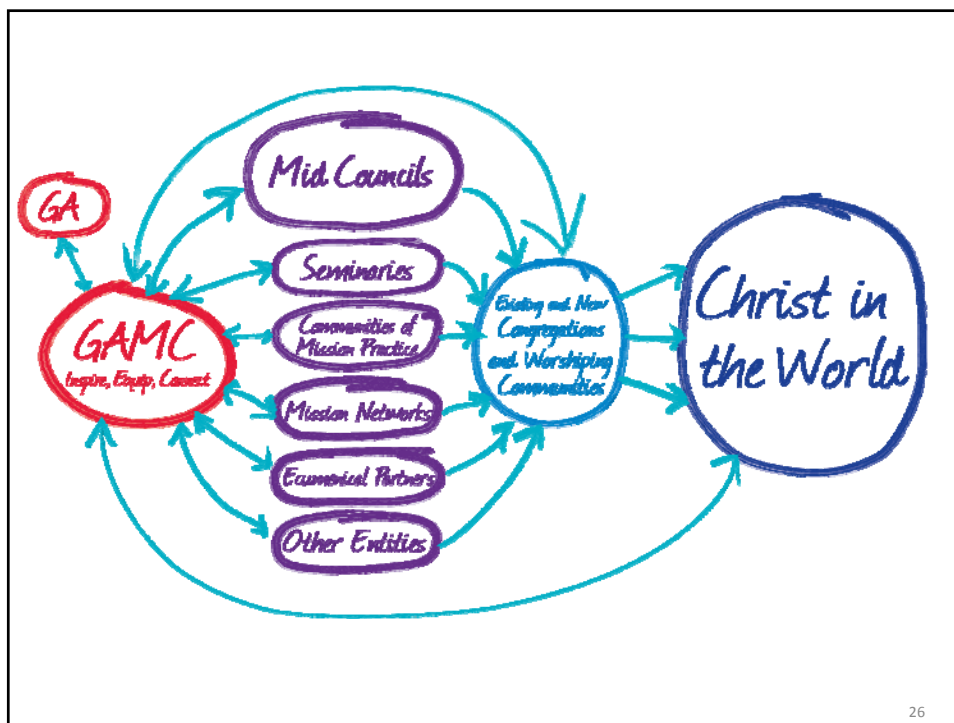
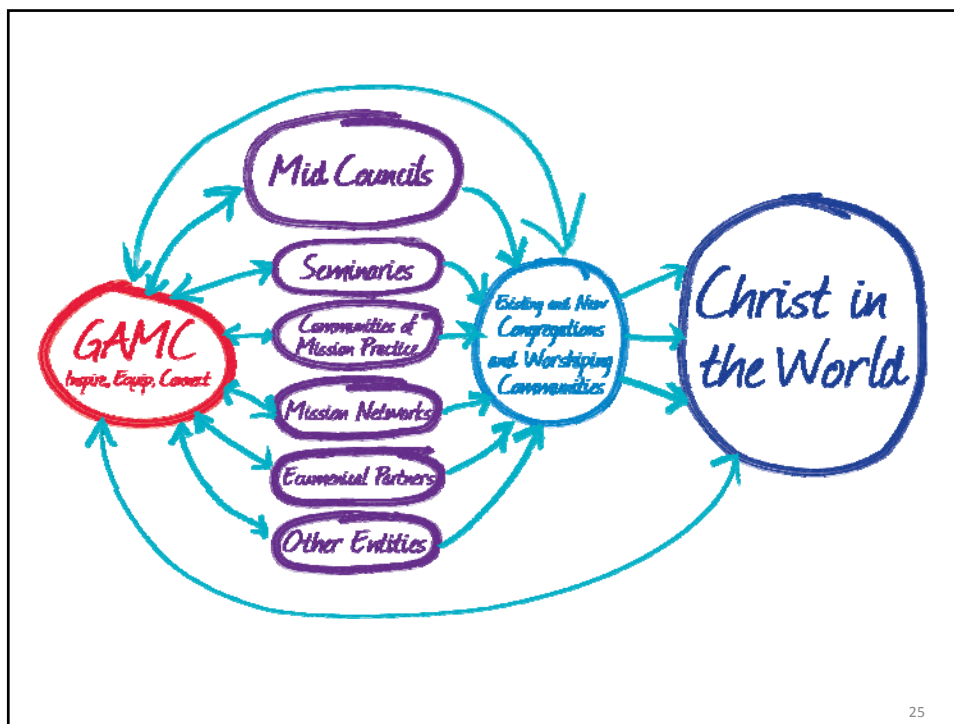




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Make, receive and send disciples who demonstrate and proclaim God's justice, peace and love in an increasingly globalized world.

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Relying on the Holy Spirit to enable us to trust and to be trustworthy, we will take responsibility for our actions and work with integrity, transparency and love.

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