



Hamlets of Hope

# A Framework for Doing Ministry

*Moving People of Faith from Pulpit and Pew to Pavement*

**Condition:** Some churches and communities of faith are “**Spiritually Obese**” and **Evangelistically Anorexic**” spending significant time doing “in-reach” rather than outreach, missions, and evangelism. Essentially the faithful are employing **a Tape Ministry to reach an iPad Generation**. Subsequently, action oriented, innovative, transformative is diminished.

**Who:** The Church, Communities of Faith, and Faith-Based Organizations [FBO’s]

**What:** a Christian framework and toolkit to assist faith practitioners and congregations align their vision, missions and **ministerial practices** in order to serve the local community.

**Why:** The church is well positioned to be a catalyst of spiritual, economic, and cultural transformation that leads to a renewed reality and the creation of the **Beloved Shalom Community**. In order to do this requires a shift in our understanding of the disciple’s role. Hamlets of Hope’s mission is to cultivate “**a ministry doing mindset**” among the faith community ---- moving people from pew and pulpit; to pavement thereby creating a balance to hearing and doing the Word.

**Outcome:** This strategy seeks to grow members into disciples who embrace and carry out the believer’s charge to serve the least, the lost, and the left out while fulfilling **The Great Commission** which calls disciples to be **Salt and Light**--witnessing and serving communities throughout the world.

**How:** Using HoH’s **repository of signature tools** we assist ministry practitioners and churches align their vision, missions, and ministries. Tools include but are not limited to *A Restorative Justice Simulator, Sunday’s with Neighbors, Hangers-A clothes closet ministry, Young Shepherds, and a Faith-n-Advocacy Advisory Council*.

- Do you and your congregation desire to be spiritually and evangelistically healthy, vibrant, and fit?
- What are you doing outside the walls of your church to fulfill the vision, mission, and goals of your church?
- Do you desire to be focused on People Development rather than Church Development?
- How are you cultivating a ‘Doing Ministry’?
- Are you looking to re-energize your disciples, but lack the tools and the resources to put plans in motion?

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