

## OBC CORE POSITIVE DREAMS

### Missions-Minded

OBC is a servant leadership church. We coordinate with other organizations and churches for the good of the community.

Ministry Center

English lessons

Spanish lessons

Affordable housing

Partner with other religions

Immigration alliance

Hope house

Education

Cultural events

We serve God by joining together in faith to meet the material and spiritual needs of the community.

Be an authentic presence in the community—go to the people we serve

Who: Ministry center clients, ODS families, Hispanic community, at risk Sullivan students, prisoners

Where: Ministry Century Pop-Up, family activities at OBC, Neighborhoods, City and County Jail

How: scholarships for trips, themed summer camps, movies and food (feed them and they will show up), parties, concerts, and hook the kids

Spiritual Group inventory—everyone (all ages) are committed to service in or out of the church.

More community involvement by church members

Offer learning opportunities more church members and community members such as financial planning, tax prep, budgeting, health care topics, learning Spanish, food acquisition

Mission minded and mission inclusive—off OBC campus worship and fellowship opportunities

A variety of time/day opportunities

Use our virtual knowledge gained from covid to continue to reach out

Interest groups—mingle age groups

Personal needs ministry—if it works, grow it

Careful with one time deals—keep building on topic/need

Stages of growth important

Mobile ministry outreach

### Relationships

It all starts with growing our personal relationship with God which drive our loving actions toward others.

OBC will be known as the church to attend in Rock Hill

ODS ministry

Special needs families

Sports programs for youth

Mission trips

Communication with minorities in Rock Hill

University relationships

Intergenerational relationships

Welcoming to people of all walks of life

A place for people of all ages and chapters of life

Special needs population

OBC works on an online method for members to learn details of the lives of other members. As learn common interests that we share we will strengthen relationships within our fellowship.

Use of nametags in church

Online software

Common interests

Growing Young—we will have thriving group of young adults who meet regularly and develop strong connections to OBC (college-30). Find ways to draw them in and help them grow in faith and community service. Give them internships or other ways to let them lead.

Intentionality-Purpose—relationships grow as commonalities arise

Identifying limitations—finding ways to accommodate

OBC encourages and celebrates all people through programs, services, sports, trips, mission opportunities and connecting to each other throughout the year.

Calendar of events and outings that appeal to everyone

### **Inclusive**

Growing membership with young families; intentional inclusiveness(breaking age groups, ethnicity, socio-economic barriers)

Connect with Black Eco-Leader-League

OBC not only says they are welcoming but actually has people from every race, economic status, ethnicity

Partner with many churches

Visit other churches

Partner with music groups/choirs from other church groups

Build awareness of OBC activities by creating written invitations, bookmarks, signs, social media influence, and share facebook postings

Every person participate in some way

Include services for those who cannot attend physically

Give every member a “pin/t-shirt/bumper sticker that could be worn as a “story starter” in public events

Expand and grow our relationship with the Hispanic community

A significant portion of OBC members and read and write Spanish

Grow our ESL program by providing more teachers from OBC

### **Individual Freedom**

No answers given