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Consistory Report

1. Goals for Summer
 - a. Become familiar with Elvanto
 - i. Working on making a Guest Pathway and Connection Report to gain a perspective on where attendees are at
 - b. Volunteer Groups
 - i. Work with Derek, Sheila, other ministry leaders to get an understanding of where we are at and think about future growth
 - ii. Work on making clear and concise areas/teams
 - iii. Work on making a clear path and easy transition for new volunteers
 - iv. Trainings
 - c. Small Groups
 - i. Gather an overview of what Good News has and who leads them, reaching out to them presently
 - ii. Connection Groups- sermon-based groups (set up leaders and trainings)
 - iii. Identify leaders and make group listings available for new guests, trainings
 - d. Connection Team
 - i. Identify who would be the best fit for a team and how it should look
2. Things I've Been Working On
 - a. 1st Time Guest Survey and Guest Pathway through Elvanto
 - b. Interest Inventory, looking at having everyone in church retake it
 - c. Going to Denver with Arlan for Conquer Series Leadership Conference July 19-21
 - d. Reaching out to guests and people who haven't been here for awhile to try and get them reconnected
 - e. Moved library around to make space for hangout/coffee space
 - f. Met with Derek Harsch, Jerry Strating, Brad Koopman, Chad Focht
 - g. Working on Connection Groups and leaders... what groups we currently have and meeting with leaders of those to connect them to Connection Groups
 - h. Meeting people at church and enjoying the transition
 - i. Remake guest folders, bulletins and point people to Connection Center... make Good News very welcoming for guests, if we want new people to come and be a part of the church we need to be planning for guests to come and gear things towards them