Casting the vision 異象傳遞分享

我們傳揚祂、是用諸般的智慧、勸戒各人、教導各人·要把各人在基督裡完完全全的引到神面前·我也為此勞苦、照著祂在我裡面運用的大能、盡心竭力。

We proclaim Him, admonishing and teaching everyone with all wisdom, so that we may present everyone perfect in Christ. To this end I labor, struggling with all His energy, which so powerfully works in me. (歌羅西書 Colossians 1: 28-29)

Four of us are casting what the (9) elders agreed and cannot mandate them unless all three congregations catch the same segment.

Our paradigm shift : Sr. Pastor Rule → Elder Led (=/= Rule)

In today's fragmented culture, could we be: an oasis of unity? family of God? Peacemaking agent? Gospel that Cultivate & Communicate a forgiving, reconciling culture according to His teaching? 溝通和培育出福音中的和解體諒文化 Building intentional relationship within us? 建交

- 1. God's Purpose 上帝的目的 Healthy children of God in His church
- a. increasingly reflects His character;
- b. His character has been revealed in Bible;
- c. link arms with others:
- d. caring about them and about what they do. (Mark Dever's What is a Healthy Church? 9marks.org)
- 2. Our needs 我們的需要 -- All have sinned and fall short of the glory of God (Romans 3:23)

We care less and people do their own thing

We communicate little or none with others

We were unforgiving and lose patience with ...

3. God's provision -- Christ

Theme: Healthy Church has Christ as The HEAD of CBCOC

- A. Know His Teaching 懂祂話; B. Care by Reaching 顧他人
- 4. Our response Return to Him and His teachings in the Bible
- How? 1. Return to God for better equipped discipler in order that we may fulfill

His Great Commission as well as His Great Commandment.

- 2. God's provision 上帝的供應 CBCOC Three congregations with multiple style
 - A. Carry out the GCs &
- B. Carry out the daily ministries
- 3. Our response 我們的回應 -- communication
- 1. High view of the Gospel
- 2. High view of Leadership through Biblical elders
- 3. High view of Membership

Discussion: Are we clear on the session? Any modification, implemental suggestions?

What are the real issues that keep us from being FAMILY out of these three (Gospel- centered; elder system; membership) categories?

How can we resolve them as family within these three congregations?