

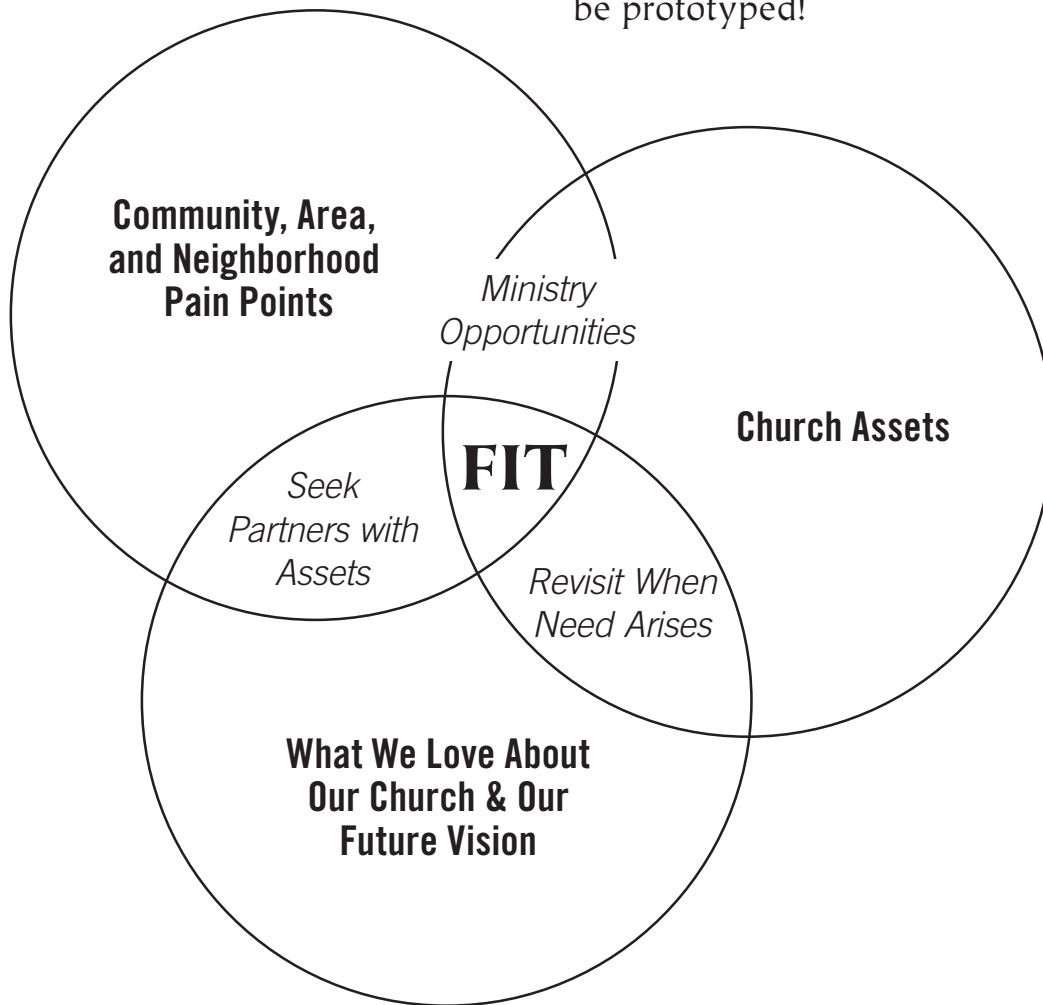
Workshop Pages

Workshop Purpose

The purpose of the workshop is to **name what people love about this church, articulate a future vision, and leave with a plan** for moving forward towards pilot ministry proposals and prototyping.

About the Workshop

When building new ministries, we are looking for the intersection of community need, church assets, and activities that fit with what we love about ourselves and are in line with where we imagine our future. These steps will help help clarify what ministries might have legs and could be prototyped!



Categories of Love

Assets

What are our assets?

(starter ideas below)

People (Human Resources & Brain Trust)

- experiences of note
- interests and hobbies
- pastor and staff skills
- professional experience and skills

Community Connections

(both formal and informal personal connections across town “count”)

- businesses
- community
- local churches and faith communities
- local government
- non-profits
- schools
- UMC
(other congregations, district, annual conference, jurisdiction, and denomination)

Digital

- web presence
- online worship
- social media

Financial

- annual operating budgets
- memorial funds and trusts
- special gifts

Programs and Ministries

- community
- discipleship
- education
- fundraising
- seasonal
- service opportunities
- social
- worship

Facilities

- spaces
- uses
- condition

Other

- children’s costume closet
- goodwill of neighbors
- hand chimes and choir
- something else

People

Facilities

Community Connections

Programs & Ministries

Financial

Digital / Other

Mapping Assets

TRANSFORMATIONAL DISCIPLESHIP

What does it feel like, look like, and sound like to be a part of this church in 3-5 years?

Look Like

Feel Like

Sound Like

Heart for Ministry

Neighborhood Mapping 1

What is near your facility?

Businesses

- convenience store
- grocery & markets
- hotels & motels
- industrial
- liquor stores
- manufacturing
- medical
- offices
- pubs & bars
- shops
- services (e.g.: haircuts, nails)
- recreation (e.g.: movies, pool)
- restaurants
- other _____

Churches and Religious Places

- place of worship
- religious school
- religious program
- offices or administration
- outreach or resource distribution site

Lots

- empty
- parking

Community Gathering & Transportation

- parks
- open spaces
- sidewalks
- bike lanes
- major roads
- highways
- safe routes to schools

Government

- city hall
- police
- fire
- services
- other _____

Housing

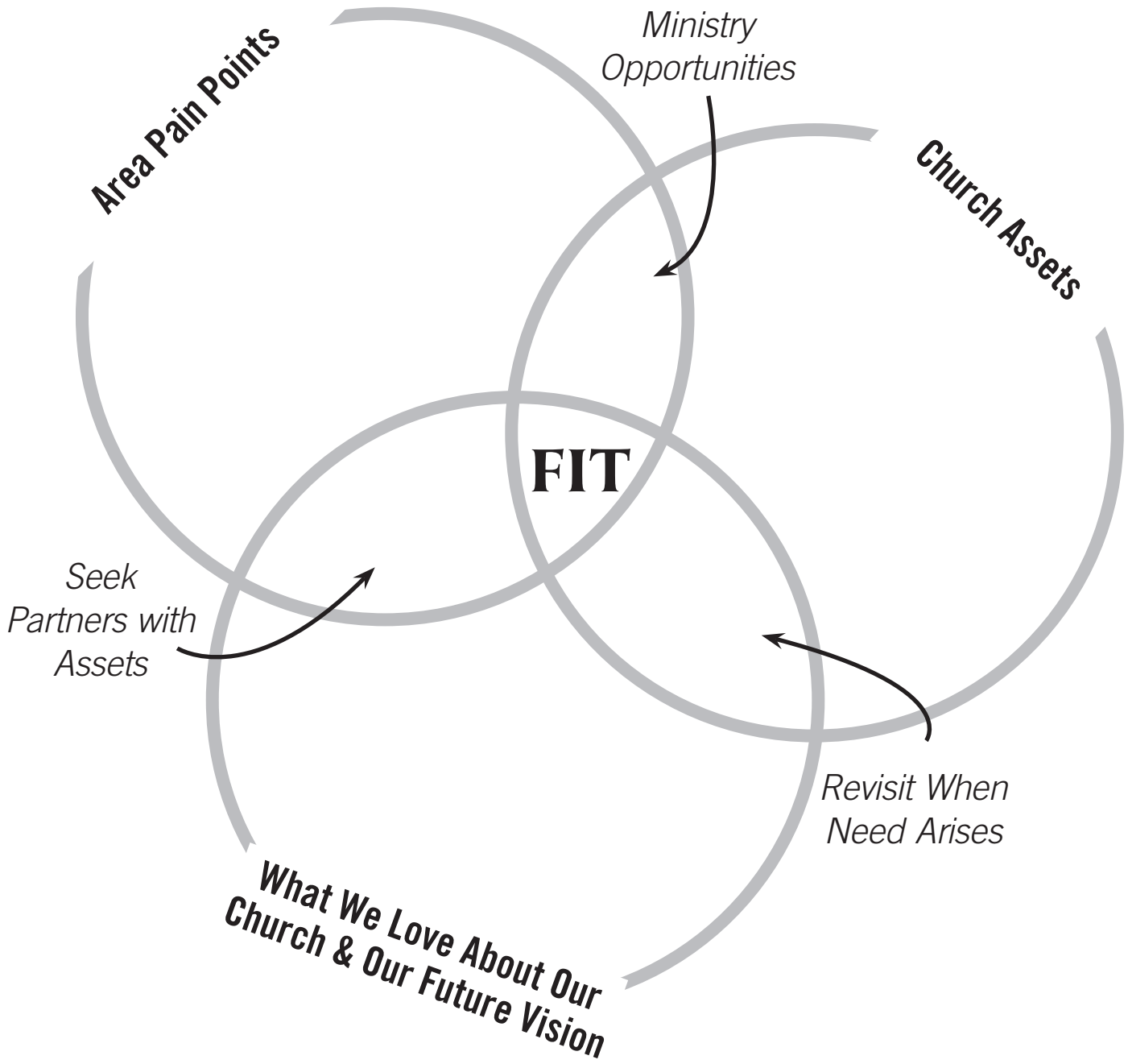
- single-family homes
- duplex or triplex
- apartments or condominiums (multi-family high density)
- shelters
- other _____

Schools

- child care
- educational institution
- after school programs

Neighborhood Mapping 2

Pilot "Good Fit" Ministries



Community Pain Points	Church Asset	Ministry Opportunity	Fit?

Brainstorming