## **GEN1K**

#### "1000 healthy churches in a generation"

# CHURCH MULTIPLICATION TEAM

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"We already have plenty of churches that have lots and lots of room for all the new people who have come to the area. Let's get them filled before we start building any new ones." "Every church in this community used to be more full than it is now. The churchgoing public is a shrinking pie. A new church here will just take people from churches that are already hurting and will weaken everyone."

"Help the churches that are struggling first. A new church doesn't help the existing ones that are just keeping their noses above water. We need better churches, not more churches."





"The vigorous, continual planting of new congregations is the single most crucial strategy for (1) the numerical growth of the body of Christ in a city and (2) the continual corporate renewal and revival of the existing churches in a city. Nothing else-not crusades, outreach programs, parachurch ministries, growing megachurches, congregational consulting, nor church renewal processes—will have the consistent impact of dynamic, extensive church planting."

#### **Tim Keller 2002**

# WHY CHURCH MULTIPLICATION?

## 1. It's Biblical

<sup>18</sup> Then Jesus came to them and said, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. <sup>19</sup> Therefore **go and make disciples** of all nations, **baptise them** in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, <sup>20</sup> and teach them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age."

#### Matthew 28:18-20

# 2. New Churches reach new people

#### "All organisations are perfectly aligned to get the results they get."

#### **Arthur Jones**

"The Church is the only institution that exists primarily for the benefit of those who are not its members."















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#### **Resource churches**

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#### **Self evaluation**

#### Self evaluation Mission Plan

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Self evaluation Mission Plan Referees Interview Report

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#### **Multiply**

Multiply Leadership Pipeline

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- **Regional teams and relationships**

Multiply Leadership Pipeline Regional teams and relationships Church health team

#### Form

#### Form Simple Church taster

#### Form Simple Church taster Training events

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