



ACM - Helping Build Hope-Filled Churches

We aim to help build hope-filled churches in Aotearoa, New Zealand and Polynesia. We will endeavour to follow our calling to be a people of WORD and SPIRIT, discerning what the Holy Spirit is saying to the Church and responding in all humility, as,

“A missional community inspired by Mark 1:15, empowering and uniting like-minded church communities and individuals in the proclamation of the gospel around our five foundational values.”

1. The Lordship of Jesus Christ over the Church and the world;
2. The supreme authority of the Bible as God’s living word to all;
3. The Holy Spirit’s gifting of all Christian women and men to their varied ministries;
4. The centrality of evangelism, personal conversion, and discipleship for the mission of the Church; and,
5. The Lambeth Conference 1998 Resolution I:10

Through:

- 1) Continuing to develop a **Community of like-minded Christians** with a sense of connectedness and relationship across Aotearoa, New Zealand and Polynesia
- 2) Building an active **Community of Leaders** - within ACM and beyond
- 3) Partnering with those **Developing new Worshipping Communities** and new models of church, taking their learning and sharing with others
- 4) **Resourcing** leaders to lead thriving churches.
- 5) Building for the future by progressing a **Leadership Pathway** to ordination
- 6) Assisting to **Strengthen Churches** that are struggling
- 7) Creating an active space for **Resource and Wisdom Sharing** to bless the whole Church
- 8) Continuing to develop **Positive Relationships** with all our Bishops and other denominational leaders and Church organisations where possible
- 9) Seeking relationship and **Community with the three Tikanga Church**, to share learning and community across the three Tikanga, aiming to bring together all peoples of Aotearoa, New Zealand and Polynesia under the one banner of Jesus Christ
- 10) **Actively Connecting** with all dioceses, all current and potential ACM church leaders and members, and any who are isolated.