

Church DNA & Culture

Church DNA

First Order

Uniqueness of Christ
People are lost
Church gathered
Resurrection

Making and growing disciples
Necessity of kerygma
Christ as substitute
God as Trinity

Authority of Scripture
Priority of Gospel preaching
Incarnation
Substitutionary Atonement



Second Order

Committed to planting
Male headship
Corporate singing/prayer
Expository preaching

Ecclesiology/Governance
Denominational allegiance
Communion/Baptism
Hospitality

Responsibility of Christians to give

Church Culture

Members & Mission Field

Third Order

Music style
Kids ministry pattern
Number of songs
Bible translation
Sermon length
Evangelistic strategy
Decision making

Welcoming/Integration pattern
Giving patterns
Gender/age appropriate
teaching
Preaching program
Explanation in service leading
Morning tea/type

Artwork/visuals/promo
what/how
Training strategy
Ordered/organised
Shape of Sunday
Communion pattern
Service time/venue/lengths

Individual

Gospel Impact

Hear & understand the gospel
Conviction of sin
Growth in Christ-likeness
Shepherded & disciplined

Good Impression

Feels welcoming & friendly
"I could see myself here"
"We are looked after"
"Meets my needs"

Mature Disciple