

# Overview of the 13 Essential Qualities for Church Planter/Revitalization Pastors

## **\*Visionizing Capacity**

“Generates vision, initiates plans and builds significant projects from the ground floor up.”

## **\*Intrinsic Motivation**

“Demonstrates the ability to be a self-starter who works with diligence and excellence.”

## **\*Creating Ownership of Ministry**

“Passes on the baton of ministry so that others continue the race.”

## **\*Reaching the Unchurched**

“Consistently reaches out to the unchurched and influences them towards relationships with Christ and the church.”

## **\*Spousal Cooperation**

“Collaborating as a husband and wife team in marriage and ministry.”

## **\*Relationship Building**

“Evidences the ability to meet new people and engage them in relationship at varied depths.”

## **Commitment to Church Growth**

“Embraces growing the church, both numerically and spiritually, and implements church growth principles in an effective manner.”

## **Responsiveness to the Community**

“Understands local communities and implements culturally responsive ministries.”

## **Utilizing the Giftedness of Others**

“Assesses, develops, and releases others to serve in their area of giftedness.”

## **Flexibility**

“Negotiates change successfully while staying centered on the overall vision.”

## **Building Group Cohesion**

“Orchestrates widely differing people to function as a unified body.”

## **Resilience**

“Stays the course in the face of major setbacks, disappointments and opposition.”

## **Exercising of faith**

“Evidence a strong and vital relationship with God and demonstrates a willingness to significant faith risks.”

## **\*Denotes Critical to effectiveness.**