

Planning

Pursue clarity don't just use labels!

1. We need to be clear on our idea of the future

We're answering questions like:

- What is the thing that we want to bring into existence?
- What does success in our particular endeavour look like?
- What does the preferred future look like?

2. We need to be clear on our plan for success

We're answering questions like:

- What do you think you need to do to bring the future into the present?
- What has to happen to get to the preferred future?
- How will you get from where you are to where you want to be?

3. We need to be clear on our in play principles

We're answering questions like:

- What's allowed or permissible play and what's out of bounds?
- How do we know which decisions can we make?
- What are the things that we want to keep on doing?

Reverse Engineering your Strategic Anchors 'Wisdom in Leadership' pp340-342

1. Helping everyone grasp the gospel
2. Everyone needs training to live the Christian life
3. Relationships are critical to congregational health

Three Layer Clarity

Time	Decisions	Example
Ultimate	The end goal towards which we're working	Building a diverse church
Intermediate	The things we need to do to get us there	Minority ethnic leadership
Immediate	Specific decisions and practicalities	Talk to LCM & Cornhill