

VOCATIONAL-nextSteps draws from the skill-set, career, life experience, and advice of human resources specialists and corporate professionals within the Stanwich Church community who serve on a voluntary basis.

We have established and are continuously expanding a “network” of vital resources, contacts and tools to assist you in this outreach Ministry which focuses on:

- **Job/Career/Vocation**
Situational assessment
- **Preparation for Search**
Reflection, discernment, resumes, further skill development
- **Interviewing Skills**
Personal preparation
- **Networking “How-to”**
Best practices sharing, successful ideas, sharing of resources, developing and maintaining contacts
- **Prayer Support**
Personal contact
- **Monthly Networking /Info-Exchange** meetings at Stanwich Church

For I know the plans I have for you, declares the Lord – plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future.

Jeremiah 29:11

Mission of

VOCATIONAL-nextSteps at Stanwich

- **Offer** help and a reliable support environment to members, families, relatives (or close friends), and regular attendees of our Church in need of vocational reflection, discernment, training and assistance;
- **Demonstrate** love, passion and commitment of Jesus Christ, caring and encouragement of Stanwich Church community, prayerful support, fellowship and sensitivity to those in vocational needs;
- **Assist** those who are in a job-seeking situation, experience difficulties and stress in an existing job environment or are unsure how to transition into a next and more fulfilling vocational role;
- **Expand** the ministry by recruiting highly motivated and qualified volunteers who wish to serve and share their gifts and talents (and “give back” to our Church community).

