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- **Build up the Wednesday morning service with sermon, more music, and coffee afterwards, starting this month**
- **Once a year host a lay ministry appreciation service**

Repeat this pattern for each of the ministries which you are focusing on in your church and in your MAP.

Mission Action Plan
(Year 20XX to Year 20XX)

Name of your Church Here

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Where is your MAP aimed? Life of the church as a whole? One specific goal?

When are your review days planned for? What is the review process?

List your priority, the overarching goal which ties everything together.

Ex. Proclaiming the gospel in your community
Reaching out to those who used to go to church
Growth
Preparing/planning for the future

The next section is repeated for each ministry in your parish:

List the title of the ministry (Christian Education, Worship, Music, Communication, Children, Youth, Outreach, Financial etc.)

Example: Worship

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