



Lausanne Movement
Proclamation Evangelism



Proclamation Evangelism Issue Network

2025

Growth Reflection

Based on the Lausanne Issue Network Health Framework



Why Health Matters

The health of a network determines its ability to bear fruit that lasts.

The Issue Network Health Assessment exists to help catalysts and your teams reflect prayerfully on the state of your network and discern what the Spirit may be inviting you to nurture next.

This process is not evaluative but formative – an opportunity to pause, celebrate, and re-root in God’s calling.

As the Proclamation Evangelism Issue Network participates in this growth reflection, the focus is on deepening vitality, strengthening connections, and extending impact.

Health, in this context, is not static but dynamic: a continuous process of tending the soil, pruning where needed, and rejoicing in new growth.



Understanding the Report

Each assessment question was rated on a 1–5 scale, producing average scores for each area of health. These scores correspond to stages of health that are relevant to Proclamation Evangelism’s size and growth stage, and are:



(Your top 3 scores)

Flourishing and healthy



(Your middle 6 scores)

Active growth, but with room for strengthening



(Your bottom 3 scores)

Fragile or underdeveloped, requiring renewed focus

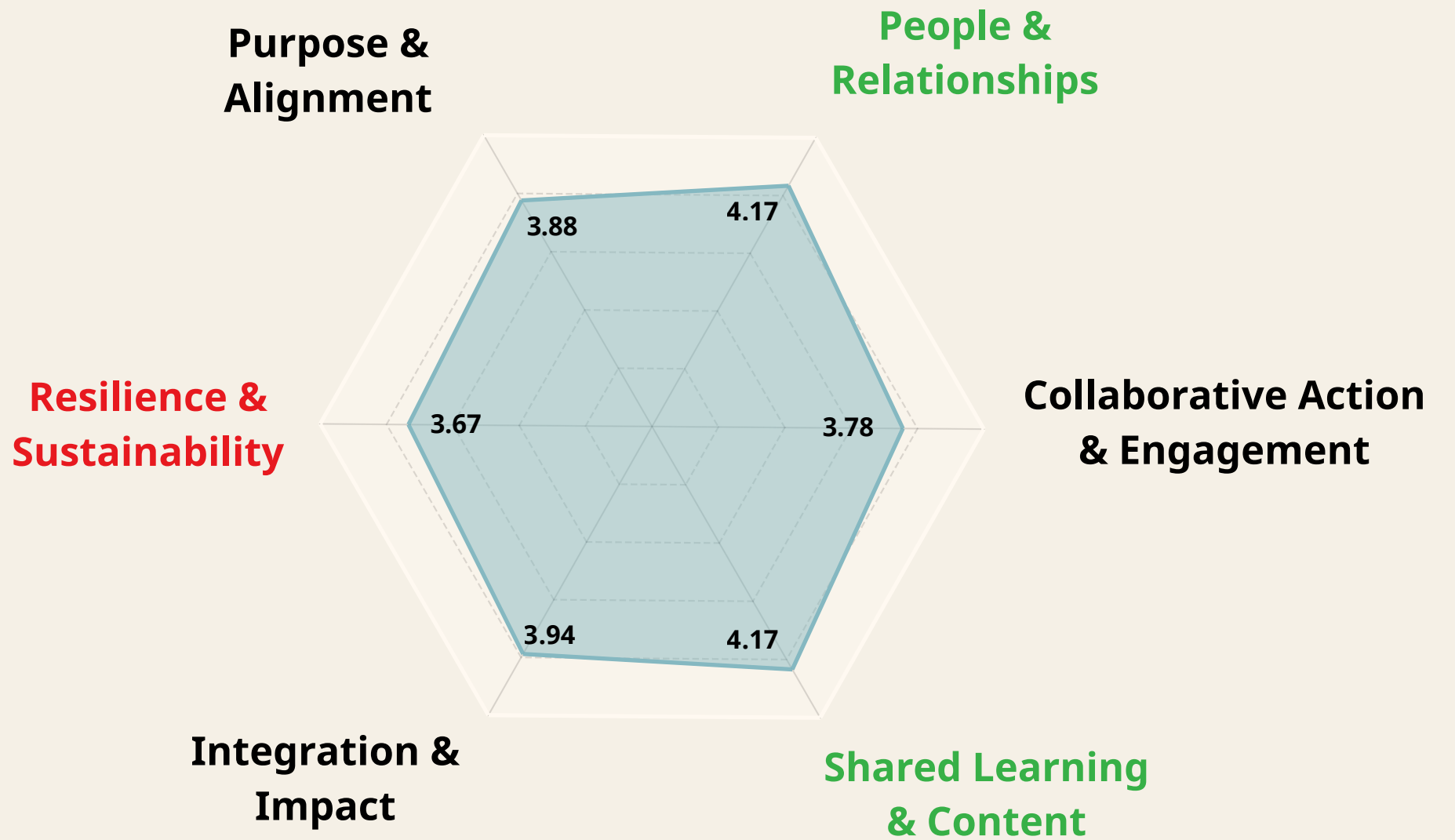
Assessment Summary

Overall Network Health Status



GROWING

Proclamation Evangelism shows encouraging growth, marked by trusted leadership, meaningful diversity, and strong content that serves the global church. Strengthening communication, structured resourcing, and intentional multiplication will help translate gospel momentum into broader participation and sustained impact.



These numbers reflect the combined scores of the 2 areas of assessment under each dimension of health.





Purpose & Alignment

Spiritual vitality and strategic clarity rooted in God's purposes





Spiritual Vitality

How rooted the network is in prayer, biblical truth, and dependence on the Holy Spirit as the foundation for all vision and collaboration.

STATUS



Living

Average Score

3.83

Range

2.7-4.8

Variance

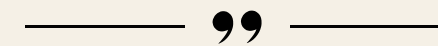
Moderate

Reflection

There is clear alignment with God’s mission, and leadership seeks the Spirit’s guidance in shaping plans and priorities. Members sense spiritual empowerment. Yet communal rhythms of prayer and shared dependence are uneven, limiting deeper unity. More intentional shared practices will strengthen collective discernment.

Encouragement

Your mission is Spirit-led and confident. The next step is consistency – establish regular spaces for prayer and testimony to deepen shared dependence on Christ’s leading.



When prayer and dependence on the Spirit anchor your work, every strategy becomes an act of worship and obedience.





Vision & Objectives

The degree to which the network operates with clearly defined, Spirit-aligned purpose and measurable, obtainable objectives that directly contribute to Lausanne's fourfold vision.

STATUS



Living

Average Score

3.93

Range

2.5-4.8

Variance

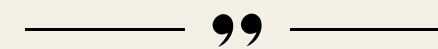
Moderate

Reflection

Strategies reflect genuine alignment with your stated vision, and objectives are largely realistic and missionally grounded. However, articulation of the shared vision is not yet consistent, and some goals remain broad. Greater clarity and measurability will help translate conviction into focused, Spirit-guided progress.

Encouragement

Your direction is strong and well aligned. The next step is precision – clarify shared vision language and refine measurable, Spirit-led objectives for greater unity and impact.



Clarity of purpose gives direction; when your vision is Spirit-led and shared, the network grows with unity and confidence.



Additional Reflections



Spiritual Atmosphere

Described by words like **passion, dependence on God, unity, collaboration**, but also **functional, diverse**, and **admonishing**, revealing a mixed experience across the team.



Vision Metaphors

Common imagery included a seedling, a lighthouse, and a sunrise. 🌱 🔦 🌅

This suggests early promise held within a clear and hopeful horizon.





People & Relationships

Christlike leadership and inclusive, polycentric community with shared values





Leadership & Governance

The effectiveness, integrity, and structure of the network's leadership – how leaders model Christlikeness, provide direction, share decision-making, and uphold good governance.

STATUS



Thriving

Average Score

4.12

Range

3.5–5.0

Variance

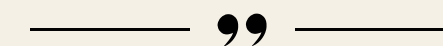
Low–Moderate

Reflection

Leadership is marked by Christlike humility, integrity, and spiritual maturity, providing clear and compassionate direction. Trust is strong, and leaders are accessible and grounded. As the network grows, widening participation and clarifying shared decision-making structures will strengthen transparency and long-term inclusivity.

Encouragement

Your leadership is trusted and Spirit-shaped. The next step is inclusion – broaden shared leadership roles and formalise transparent decision-making structures.



Servant-hearted leadership nurtures trust and credibility – where humility guides, integrity protects, and shared decision-making brings peace.





Diversity & Inclusivity

The breadth of the network's representation (across cultures, ethnicities, genders, denominational traditions, and generations) and how intentionally it includes and values all voices in unity.

STATUS



Thriving

Average Score

4.21

Range

3.5–4.8

Variance

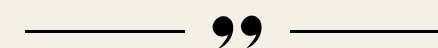
Low–Moderate

Reflection

The network reflects the global church with meaningful diversity across cultures and generations, and members experience genuine honour and belonging. Diversity is embraced as a strength. Greater inclusion of under-represented voices through clear structures, not just individual initiative, will strengthen this foundation.

Encouragement

Your diversity is life-giving and visible. The next step is structure – create regular, intentional pathways for underrepresented voices to contribute consistently.



When every culture, generation, and voice is valued, the network reflects the fullness of Christ's body in mission.



Additional Reflections



Conflict Resolution

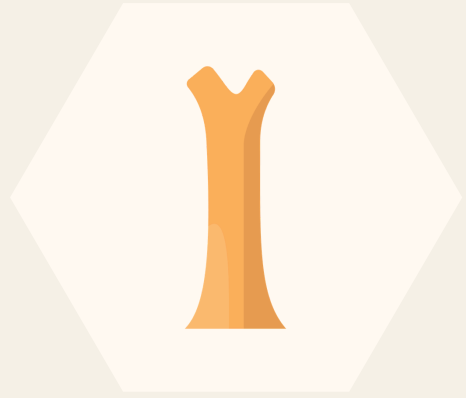
If a disagreement arose, most envision **healthy dialogue**, though some express **uncertainty** – indicating room for growth in governance clarity.



Network Diversity

Diversity in the network is mostly **cultural/ethnic**, although representation of **generational** as well as **theological** diversity is also recognised. There is a need to have more **gender-inclusivity** and diversify across **professional lines**.





Collaborative Action & Engagement

Trusting partnerships and clear
communication, upholding unity





Collaborative Engagement

The degree to which the network fosters participation, trusting partnerships marked by shared initiatives, mutual support, and unified pursuit of its mission.

STATUS



Living

Average Score

3.93

Range

2.3–4.8

Variance

Moderate–High

Reflection

Relational trust and shared identity provide a strong foundation for collaboration, with members actively partnering in fruitful initiatives with diverse voices contributing. Yet sustained collaboration and full inclusion in planning remain uneven, and partnerships would benefit from deeper, long-term commitment.

Encouragement

Your collaboration is vibrant and relationally strong. The next step is depth – cultivate sustained partnerships and ensure broader voices consistently shape planning and action.



True collaboration is born from trust; when members serve one another, and shared mission flourishes beyond individual strength.





Communication

The effectiveness of communication within the network (between members and leadership) and to external stakeholders (to the broader Lausanne Movement, church, and public).

STATUS



Thirsty

Average Score

3.62

Range

2.3–4.7

Variance

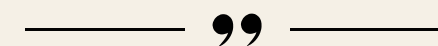
Moderate

Reflection

Communication reflects spiritual warmth and shared faith, yet engagement remains irregular and largely one-directional. Vision messaging does not consistently reach all members, and platform use varies across regions. Clearer rhythms, accessible tools, and stronger two-way dialogue will deepen alignment and participation.

Encouragement

Your tone is encouraging and faith-filled. The next step is consistency – clarify core channels, strengthen accessibility, and build regular two-way communication rhythms.



Healthy networks speak with clarity and grace – amplifying vision, inviting participation, and ensuring every member is heard.



Additional Reflections



Collaborative Relationships

There is a strong sense of collaborative potential within the network. Everyone could name 3 people they could collaborate with on a shared initiative.



Communication Channels

Information flows through Email – reflecting an accessible communication platform.





Shared Learning & Content

Thoughtful theological reflection,
missional leadership, motivating and
equipping the outworking of the vision





Content & Training

Does the network equip others through quality, theologically grounded resources and training that meet real missional needs in diverse contexts?

STATUS



Thriving

Average Score

4.33

Range

3.0–5.0

Variance

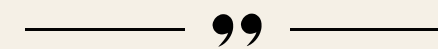
Moderate

Reflection

Rich, biblically grounded content is clearly serving others, combining theological depth with cultural sensitivity and practical relevance. Training responds meaningfully to real missional challenges. While storytelling is present, it is not yet consistent or widely visible. More intentionality would deepen engagement and collective encouragement.

Encouragement

Your content is strong and impactful. The next step is consistency – establish regular storytelling rhythms to broaden reach and sustain inspiration.



Networks that equip others through biblically grounded learning multiply wisdom and strengthen the church for global witness.





Thought Leadership

The extent of the network's contribution to biblically faithful, Spirit-led insight that shapes global mission thinking and guides others in their practice.

STATUS



Living

Average Score

4.00

Range

2.8-4.7

Variance

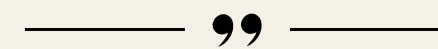
Moderate

Reflection

Your ideas and resources are influencing global mission conversations, with your leaders contributing credible theological insight, and emerging voices being elevated. Deepening collective discernment before addressing complex issues and strengthening consistent, accessible invitations to learn and participate will further extend your influence.

Encouragement

Your voice carries weight globally. The next step is intentional discernment and invitation – deepen shared listening and create simple, consistent entry points for engagement.



Spirit-led thought leadership inspires the church to think deeply, act courageously, and pursue mission with prophetic clarity.



Additional Reflections



Most Shared Content

<https://lausanne.org/about/blog/gospel-fluency-in-a-world-of-skepticism>

Lausanne Proclamation Evangelism Global Classroom Videos

Webinars

Zoom meeting interviews



The Network's Voice

Most judge Proclamation Evangelism's voice as **clear and respected**, while one sees it as **mostly internal**.





Integration & Impact

Shared initiatives marked by innovation and relevance, achieving tangible global impact





Missional Impact

The degree to which the network makes a meaningful spiritual and strategic difference in fulfilling its mission.

STATUS



Living

Average Score

3.95

Range

3.0–5.0

Variance

Moderate

Reflection

Proclamation Evangelism shows evidence of Spirit-led impact and fruitful initiatives, with tangible change and testimony strengthening collective faith. Yet evaluation and reflection lack consistent structure, and data collection remains uneven. More intentional rhythms for measuring and aligning impact will provide a fuller picture of your gospel influence.

Encouragement

You are bearing lasting gospel fruit. The next step is structure – establish simple, regular systems for evaluation and data collection to better demonstrate your network’s impact.



Healthy networks bear visible fruit – lives changed, communities renewed, and the gospel taking root where it was once absent.





Adaptability & Innovation

The ability to adjust and innovate in response to changing circumstances or challenges, maintaining effectiveness and mission faithfulness over time.

STATUS



Living

Average Score

3.93

Range

3.0–4.5

Variance

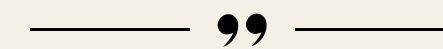
Moderate

Reflection

Creativity and prayerful experimentation are evident, with leaders seeking the Spirit's guidance in shaping new approaches and innovation. Yet feedback is not consistently normalised, and implementation can lag behind emerging realities. Clearer processes and faster responses will strengthen agility and sustained learning.

Encouragement

You are showing openness to adapt and learn. The next step is response – normalise feedback and streamline decision-making to respond more quickly to change.



Spirit-led innovation keeps the network fresh – ready to respond with courage, creativity, and faith to changing mission needs.



Additional Reflections



Network Impact

The most prevalent impact is **missional awareness, personal transformation, and change within the church**, although there were mixed views as to Proclamation Evangelism impacting **communities** or forming **new partnerships**.



Innovation Culture

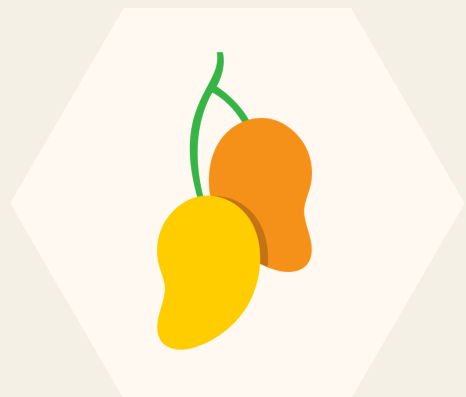
Most common responses:

🚄 High-speed train – Moving fast, but locked to a set track

🚣 Canoe – Collaborative, but drifting

The network sees itself as moving with energy and collaboration, yet navigating tension between fixed direction and shared discernment.





Resilience & Sustainability

Resources and generational continuity, ensuring longevity and multiplication beyond the network





Resources

The ability of the network to steward finances, people, and knowledge with transparency and interdependence, ensuring sustainability for its calling.

STATUS



Thirsty

Average Score

3.64

Range

2.2-4.5

Variance

Moderate

Reflection

Financial stewardship is marked by integrity and trust, providing a stable foundation. Yet capacity remains stretched, limiting consistency and long-term reach. Development of younger leaders and resource-sharing occur but lack structure, relying on individual initiative. Greater intentional mobilisation of time, funding, and shared ownership will strengthen sustainability.

Encouragement

Your stewardship is trustworthy. The next step is intentional structure – formalise mentoring pathways and mobilise shared resources to secure long-term sustainability.

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Stewardship done in unity – sharing time, gifts, and finances – builds interdependence that sustains mission beyond any one generation.





Multiplication

The extent to which the network cultivates leaders, initiatives, and contextual expressions that carry the vision forward with generational continuity and global reach.

STATUS



Thirsty

Average Score

3.69

Range

2.3-4.7

Variance

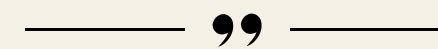
Moderate

Reflection

A commitment to discipleship and leader development is shaping a culture of growth. Though new working groups and regional expressions are emerging, coordination and support remain uneven. Also, replication of the vision is occurring, but is not consistently sustained or strengthened across contexts.

Encouragement

Your growth culture is evident. The next step is structure – strengthen coordination of working groups and intentionally support local leaders to multiply the vision.



When leaders reproduce leaders and vision gives birth to new expressions, the network ensures lasting fruitfulness for God's glory.



Additional Reflections



Resources

All feel confident that the network can be sustained over the next year, yet the greatest present need is:

Volunteers or leaders

With **Financial support**, **Administrative systems**, and **Access to knowledge and data** also needed.




Multiplication and Growth

Most common responses:

 Flowing river – consistent multiplication

Although some also see:

 Trickling Stream – Small beginnings

 Blocked stream – something is blocking the desire

Multiplication is strong in places, yet not consistently experienced — with steady growth evident for some, while others sense slowed progress and unrealised potential.



Visual Dashboard Summary



THRIVING AREAS
3



LIVING AREAS
6



THIRSTY AREAS
3



Suggested Next Steps



Enable Two-Way Dialogue

Create regular opportunities – online or in person – for two-way communication.

Share Vision Regularly

Schedule regular sharing of your network's vision and updates with members and the wider church.

Choose Accessible Platforms

Choose communication platforms that are accessible and relevant across your regions.



Invest in Emerging Leaders

Prioritise investment in the growth and development of younger leaders.

Assess Resource Needs

Develop a rhythm for regularly identifying and addressing resource needs.

Mobilise Network Resources

Invite members to contribute time, skills, and finances to sustain the network's mission.



Form New Initiatives

Form working groups to launch new initiatives or regional expressions.

Encourage Network Replication

Support and celebrate efforts to replicate the network's vision in new contexts.

Create Leadership Pathways

Create a clear pathway for emerging leaders to take on meaningful roles.



Voices of Reflection

Final recorded thoughts

Rooted in Christ, Working Together

"We're really rooted in Christ and we're rooted in working together as a team."

The network understands proclamation as Christ-centred and carried forward through shared teamwork.

Bearing Fruit

"We see fruit – people come to Christ."

Fruitfulness reinforces the network's conviction that collaborative proclamation is effective and worth multiplying together.



In closing...

The Proclamation Evangelism Issue Network reflects passion for the gospel and a sincere dependence on Christ's leading. Your leadership and theological clarity are evident. May the Lord deepen your unity, strengthen your growth, and multiply your proclamation for lasting fruit across the nations.

*"...that they may be called oaks of righteousness,
a planting of the Lord for the display of his splendour."*

- Isaiah 61:3b

