# **THE LIFE CYCLE AND STAGES OF CONGREGATIONAL DEVELOPMENT**

PHASE THREE: PRIME/PLATEAU

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V: Vision/Mission/Dream/Energy/Purpose/Leadership

I: Inclusion/Evangelism/Outreach/Assimilation/Discipleship

P: Programs/Ministries/Services/Activities/Training

M: Management/Administrations/Structure/Resources

PRIME

REDEVELOPMENT

GROWTH

(Vipm)

BIRTH

(m)

DEATH

(vipM)

OLD AGE

AGING

PHASE FIVE:

LATE AGING

PHASE FOUR:

EARLY AGING

(viPM)

RETIREMENT

(vIpM)

EMPTY

NEST

(VIpm)

INFANCY

PHASE ONE:

EARLY

GROWTH

(ViPm)

CHILDHOOD

PHASE TWO:

LATE

GROWTH

(VIPm)

ADOLESCENCE

(vIPM)

MATURITY

(VIPM)

ADULTHOOD