

2018 MASTER CLASSES

A Meeting Rhythm for Your Team

JAN

Most church staff meetings only deal with the urgent stuff. And let's face it, the people attending these meetings don't love them. This intentional system will make your meetings truly matter.

Creating Staff Values

FEB

How we work with each other does more to create culture than almost anything else we do. In this module, you'll learn how to create and call out staff values. And as always, there are lots of real-church examples.

Making a Volunteer Org Chart

MAR

How many volunteers do you actually need? Do this exercise to find the real number answer to that question. You'll also have a visual representation of how pastoral care can work with your volunteers.

A Better Way to Do Volunteer Training

APR

There's a secret weapon for training, leading, and inspiring all of the volunteers in your church. We'll get into the nitty gritty and show you exactly how to pull off this quarterly event.

Telling Stories for Greater Impact

MAY

Facts may inform but stories will inspire. We'll walk you through five types of stories you should tell in your church on a regular basis, and give you lots of ideas on how and where to tell them.

The Pastor and Worship Leader Relationship

JUN

If the senior pastor and worship leader aren't on the same page, the effect can be disastrous. This month, Todd Fields gives practical advice for improving one of the most important church relationships.

Three Courageous Conversations

JUL

Every leader in your church needs to know how to lead these three specific conversations. And the tools we'll give you to help facilitate these conversations will help you create a culture of honesty.

Building a Team Scorecard

AUG

What numbers are we going to track as a church? When and where are we going to look at them together? In this module, we'll lay out the case for specific metrics and talk about tools to keep them front and center.

What Pastors Need to Know About Money

SEP

This module won't help the church budget at all, because it's all about you. We're talking about financial issues that only pertain to pastors and ministers. The result = money saved and better managed.

The New Rules of Church Fundraising

OCT

Fundraising in church has gotten stale and outdated. In this module, we will lay out seven new rules about money and the church.

Building Your 2019 Preaching Calendar

NOV

We will walk you through what to include, who to involve, and give you practical tools to plan next year's teaching calendar.

Checklists!

DEC

For many, checklists are boring. But for the rest of us, we know they are a key to smooth operation and increased creativity. We'll give you principles, and of course, lots of checklists to serve as templates.