

***Cutting Edge
Ministry***

Small Groups

South
CHURCH

EQUIPPERS 2011
LIFE CHANGING SMALL GROUPS

Week I A Vision for Life Changing Small Groups

- Session 1 a. Begin at the end
 b. Details of Small Groups
- Session 2 a. Law of the Learner (VIDEO)
 b. Seven Maxims
- Session 3 a. Overview Life Groups (so what are we cellin)
 b. Ice Breakers
 c. Worship

Week II The Making of a Small Group Leader

- Session 1 Overview/Spiritual Leadership
- Session 2 "Inside Out" Leadership
- Session 3 Leadership Training Guide

Week III Leading a Life Changing Small Group

- Session 1 Planning for Spiritual Growth
- Session 2 Leading Dynamic Discussions
- Session 3 a. The Law of Application, Part 1 (VIDEO)
 b. Seven Maxims

Week IV Leading a Seeker Centered Small Group

- Session 1 Guiding Through Scripture (VIDEO)
- Session 2 Sparking Interest with Questions (VIDEO)
- Session 3 Misc. Worksheet (work exercise sheets)

Week V Shepherding Small Group Members

- Session 1 Shepherding Overview
- Session 2 Shepherding vs. Administration
- Session 3 Shepherding in the Context of Discipleship (work exercise sheets)

Week VI Keeping a Healthy Balance in your Small Group

- Session 1 Overview W.I.F.E.
- Session 2 Worship for the Purpose of Godliness
- Session 3 Evangelism for the Purpose of Godliness
- Session 4 Evangelism as a Lifestyle (VIDEO)

Week VII Effective Small Group Helps

- Session 1 How to be an Effective Small Group Leader (SGL)
- Session 2 How to Shepherd and Pray for Your Small Group
- Session 3 a. How to Lead
 b. (Examples A & B)
- Session 4 a. How to build a Team

Week VIII Helping People Become Self Feeders and Future Leaders

- Session 1 Inductive Bible Study
- Session 2 The Law of Application Part II (VIDEO)
 Seven Maximizers
- Session 3 Bible Intake for the Purpose of Godliness

Week IX How to Pray in a Life Changing Small Group

- Session 1 Model Prayer
- Session 2 Personal Prayer Requests
- Session 3 Intercessory Prayer
 - a. Asking for Others
 - b. Praying for the Lost

Week X Living Out the Vision for Life Changing Small Groups

- Session 1 Three Objectives of Small Groups
- Session 2 Dynamic Small Groups Amidst the Cosmic Battle
- Session 3 Three Roles of a Small Group Leader

No Class: February 6, March 6

DISCIPLESHIP TRAINING PLANNER

Name _____

School Address _____ Phone _____

Home Address _____ Phone _____

	8	9	10	11	12	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Monday														
Tuesday														
Wednesday														
Thursday														
Friday														

PERSONAL

Birthday _____ Age _____ Year you became a Christian _____

Major _____ Yr. Graduating _____

Strengths _____

Weaknesses: _____

GOALS:

Personal _____

Ministry _____

Hobbies/Pastimes: _____

Other Important Information _____

DEVELOPMENT

VISION: If the Lord had His way in _____'s life long term, how might He use him? (5-10 years) _____

ROADBLOCKS: What will prevent _____ from progressing one step further as an active and vitally growing, multiplying disciple? _____

TRAINING: In what areas does _____ need training to continue progressing in his/her life and ministry as an active and vitally growing, multiplying disciple? _____

MINISTRY: In what ministry activities can we be involved together which will help _____ develop a multiplying ministry? _____

GROWTH ENVIRONMENT: In what movement or outside activities can I involve _____ which will help him/her develop as an active and vitally growing, multiplying disciple? _____

POTENTIAL BELIEVERS I COULD DISCIPLE

1. _____

2. _____

POTENTIAL NON-BELIEVERS WHO, IF THEY CAME TO CHRIST, I COULD DISCIPLE

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

Participate

Seven Commitments/Disciplines to Help Us Live Out a Healthy Walk and a Fruitful Ministry

1. Personal Quiet Time
Luke 6:12, Ezra 7:10
2. One to One Discipleship
II Timothy 2:2
3. Small Life Group
Hebrews 10:24-25, Acts 2:42
4. Local Church Commitment (South)
Ephesians 4:16, Romans 12:5
5. Ministry Service Commitment (college ministry)
I Peter 4:10, Matthew 20:28, I Corinthians 12:7,17
6. Outreach/Evangelism
II Corinthians 5:20, I Peter 3:15
7. Equipping (this class)
Ephesians 4:11-12

COLLEGE EQUIPPERS
Carrying on Christ's Ministry
Luke 9:10
Ephesians 4:11-12

Daily Log & Lifestyle Disciplines
Weekly Report

1. Have I adjusted my life this week for Christ's purpose and been seeking first the Kingdom of God?

Yes No

(Briefly Explain Option) _____

2. Did I spend time with the Lord, committing my day and looking to His Word? Yes No

(Briefly Explain Option) _____

3. Did I pray for my five family and lost friends or classmates this week? Yes No

People you are praying for: _____

4. Ask God to bring your way a follow-up opportunity of working with a new or newly committed Christian. Have you made any progress, and has God brought any possible opportunity your way this week?

Briefly explain: _____

5. Ask God to give you the opportunity to disciple (train, build into two faithful people and keep accountable for the kingdom of God). (If you have never been discipled, ask God to bring someone into your life or find a partner to build into one another's life). I Thessalonians 2:8

Have you made any progress, and has God brought any possible opportunities your way this week in this area?

Progress, explain: _____

6. Did I meet a new person this week? Yes No

Who? _____

7. Did I pray for God to bring any outreach/evangelistic opportunities this week? Yes No

(Briefly explain option) _____

8. Did I pray for or contribute to the growth of other members in my Life Group this week? Yes No

(Briefly explain option) _____

9. Identify your most significant spiritual investment you made this week: (something you did, not for your personal benefit but for contributing to the Kingdom of God and serving the body of Christ)

(Briefly explain option) _____

10. How are you stewarding your time, resources, responsibilities and relationships this week?
(rate yourself 1-5)

1/poor 2/fair 3/good 4/very good 5/excellent by the grace of God

How is Equippers Class going for you, and is there any exciting news, elaborations, or praises you may want to share about:

Emergency Box (help! I'm sinking)

Please check and turn into Neil

Honest, I will get in touch with you and try to help.