



COMPASSPOINT

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GROUP LIFE THIS WEEK



State of the Church Address

What is a discipleship relationship?

A discipleship relationship is formed when 2-12 people interact to identify the next step(s) in their walk with God and to cheer each other on (i.e. encouragement, support, and challenge). They will invite accountability for previously identified "next steps" and pray for each other...these will all take them forward in the process of becoming mature, multiplying disciples of Jesus.

Where do I start?

- 1) Pray: God, who would you like me to approach and invite to be part of a discipleship relationship? Who at CP would you like to get to know better, spend time with for the purpose of mutual spiritual growth?
- 2) Check out the CP website small group list; where could you join in? (Some groups are full; some have room).
- 3) Look for a ministry you can be a part of where you can begin to make connections and form meaningful relationships?
- 4) Open up your own home so that others might join you; start with 2-3; grow to 10-12.

Individuals I will pray about or contact:

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Quotes on Discipleship

We must assess our thoughts and beliefs and reckon whether they are moving us closer to conformity to Christ or farther away from it. --John Ortberg

I dare not say with Paul that I am the slave of Christ, but my highest aspiration and desire is to be the slave of Christ. – George MacDonald

Nothing is really lost by a life of sacrifice; everything is lost by failure to obey God's call. --Henry P Liddon

The Christian ideal has not been found tried and found wanting, it has been found difficult and left untried. GK Chesterton

Until you have given up yourself to Him you will not have a real self...– C.S. Lewis

At the back of it there lies the central citadel of obstinacy: I will not give up my right to myself--the thing God intends you to give up if ever you are going to be a disciple of Jesus Christ.--Oswald Chambers

The spiritual disciplines are essential to the deliverance of human beings from the concrete power of sin.

Dallas Willard