



Summer 2016 Initiative

A. Discipleship

Secure a copy of the One to One Discipling materials for each of you. These are available in the church office. Follow the nine lessons in this material and review what you are learning with your partner from week to week.

B. Mutual Accountability

Agree on a scripture format that you can follow over the coming weeks. The Spiritual Disciplines Guides in the church lobby would be a good option for weekly Bible reading and discussion. Use the 8 Accountability Questions each time you meet to guide your discussions.

*Your meeting times should include:

1. A check in time to casually overview how the previous week has gone for each of you.
2. Opening prayer that the Holy Spirit would work in and through your time together.
3. Personal sharing from each of your study of scripture the past week, what you are learning, and how it applies to your life.
4. Updates and accountability for any past prayer requests, important decisions, or significant circumstances since you last met.
5. A closing time of prayer for one another asking God to continue to work in and through your lives and circumstances. Agree on the time and place of your next meeting.

GUIDELINES

Spur one another on to love and good deeds. (Heb. 10:24)

**Agree on A time and place that you will meet with your accountability partner. The ideal would be to meet weekly or at least twice a month. The time frame will vary each week from 20 minutes to an hour or so.*

**Choose the mentoring format you want to follow.*

Eight Accountability Questions

1. *How has this past week gone for you personally?*
2. *What have you read this week that has been especially meaningful (convicting, challenging, inspiring, enlightening, or helpful)? Be specific.*
3. *How do you sense your faith is being tested? Are you dealing with any specific temptations or sin?*
4. *What scripture applications or lessons do you sense God is teaching you? Are there any steps of obedience you are taking or need to take this week?*
5. *How do you see God answering your prayers since we last met? How can I pray for you this coming week?*
6. *Rate (describe) your relationship this past week with the your...*
 - A. *Family*
 - B. *Neighbor or friends*
 - C. *Colleagues at work*
 - D. *Church family*
7. *Who is a "non-Christian" you are trying to reach out to? How is that going?*
8. *What is one personal goal or project you would like to tackle this coming week?*