

Concept in Leadership II



Welcome

The concept of leadership varies with the context in which it is needed. Leadership within the church requires additional preparation or requirements. Leaders in the church are called to be spiritual leaders who set an example for those whom they lead. This short course is designed to prepare church leaders to focus on their role as spiritual leaders and to function as role models or examples for others in the congregation.

It is our hope that, by transforming church leaders into spiritual leaders, the church will be renewed and the laity will take on the roles in ministry to which God calls them.

Course Objectives

At the end of this course the participants will be able to:

- Recognize God's call upon them to leadership.
- Describe the spiritual nature of leadership and utilize spiritual practices to aid their personal faith growth and that of their congregation.
- Demonstrate an understanding of the mission and vision of the local church as it relates to the core process of the church.
- Formulate specific purposeful leadership techniques in a process of discovery and evaluation of their church's unique missional response.

Class materials

The following materials are found on the course material tab

- [What Every Leader Needs to Know About Mission and Vision](#)
- [What Every Leader Needs to Know About Spiritual Leadership](#)

Length of course

5 Sessions will be posted weekly on the website starting January 29, 2011.

Participants have until March 11, 2011 to complete the course.

Participation

The weekly sessions will consist of reading and research assignments, discussion questions, journaling and other activities.

Requirements

Participants are required to:

1. Log in weekly to the website to read and complete weekly assignments
2. Connect with at least one other participant by email, Skype, phone or face to face meeting to discuss questions.
3. Post comments on the website blog to contribute to the whole class discussion on the weekly topic.
4. Log at least 10 hours of class participation, discussion, activities and readings and email hours to teacher between February 26 to March 11, 2011.

The five sessions are

1. Call to Leadership
2. Utilizing Spiritual Leadership Practices
3. Developing Mission Statements
4. A Shared Vision of Ministry
5. Reevaluating Your Leadership and Mission

Certificate

When you have participated every week and turned in you log you will get a certificate of participation mailed to you and can use this course towards your requirement as a Certified Lay Speaker.