

6.30 Leadership 2011-2012

Aims of 6.30 Leadership – training leaders

6.30 Leadership is a 10 session course for those wanting to grow in their relationship with God, understanding of the bible and leadership gifts. It will happen on the 4th Tuesday of every month starting on 27th September 2011, 6.30-7.30am. The year costs £20 and includes breakfast. Please contact Katie Hawcutt to sign up - katie.hawcutt@mosaic-church.org.uk

The course is open to everyone and is ideal for those who serve in leadership in the church in any capacity or who are looking to get more involved in the year ahead.

Structure of 6.30 Leadership

Timings

- 6.30-7.30am
 - 30 minute teaching
 - 30 minute discussion, application and prayer

The Course is split up into 3 main areas for the following reasons

Leadership – the course is for raising up leaders so we'll look at what makes a good, effective, godly leader.

Bible – a vital role of any leader is that they can apply biblical truth to their own lives and the people they are leading.

Discipleship – More importantly than being able to apply God's truth to their area of leadership a leader must be a godly person; this is stressed again and again in the bible. So we'll provide some teaching on discipleship in these sessions.

Other commitments/recommendations

In addition to attending the sessions each person will be expected to write two 1000 word reflections (one half way through and one at the end). Additionally, we have outlined a framework of disciplines that we will encourage participants to engage in. We will not check up on this or making it mandatory, and are very wary of slipping into joyless legalism (and ticking boxes for the sake of looking like a good Christian). However, these are some tools which, if our motivation is right, can help us grow in God. Please engage as much as you would like to.

1. A commitment to read the bible in a year either using – Murray McCheyne or a chronological version. Or to reading 25-30 chapters for accountability reading each week.
2. Commit to learning the memory verses each month (given out each session by the leader and relating to that topic)
3. Be in regular accountability with 1-2 others (not necessarily people on the course)
4. Fast once a month (for the purpose of prayer, humility and personal holiness and greater dependence on God).
5. Serve as leader or core-team of MG (or when MG multiplies)
6. Serve on a Sunday serving team at least once a month
7. Aim to go on a Mission Trip if possible

6.30 Leadership Timetable

The idea is that this would be a 3 year rolling programme. Dates and topics for year 1 are shown below.

1	September (27th 2011)	Leadership 1 Year 1 – Servant-hearted Leadership (Nouwen)
2	October (25th 2011)	Bible 1 Year 1 – Genesis 1: The Big Picture
3	November (22nd 2011)	Discipleship 1 Year 1 – The Disciplines (in Grace)
4	December (13th 2011)¹	Leadership 2 Year 1 – Getting Things Done (Time-Management, Planning & Delegation – monkey management)
HAND IN REFLECTION ON ONE OF THE SESSIONS BEFORE CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS – 1000 words		
5	January (24th 2012)	Bible 2 Year 1 – Genesis 2: The Big Picture
6	February (28th 2012)	Discipleship 2 Year 1 – When People are big and God is small
7	March (27th 2012)²	Leadership 3 Year 1 – Church Planting part 1
8	April (24th 2012)	Bible 3 Year 1 – Genesis 3: The Big Picture
9	May (22nd 2012)	Discipleship 3 Year 1 – Growing/Learning through suffering
HAND IN "Personal Review" by the end of May for discussion in June month – 1000 words		
10	June (26th 2012)	Personal Review – lessons learnt, character change and future plans Year 1 – Submit 1000 words in advance for discussion, application and prayer on the morning

¹ NOT 27th December which would be the 4th Tuesday of the month

² May switch to February to follow on from Love Nations