



THE ESSENTIALS OF  
**LEADERSHIP**

WITHOUT WISE LEADERSHIP,  
A NATION IS IN TROUBLE ...

PROVERBS 13:14a LB

# The Essentials of Leadership

HEBREWS 13:7, 17

To be a leader that God can use, you must:

1. Understand who you really are and how God \_\_\_\_\_ you.

*Jesus answered, "I am the way and the truth and the life.  
No one comes to the Father except through me." John 14:6*

2. Define your \_\_\_\_\_ and know what God wants you to accomplish.

*"I must proclaim the good news ... for I was sent for this purpose."  
Luke 4:43*

3. Decide who in your life you are really trying to \_\_\_\_\_ .

*"I have brought you glory on earth by completing the work you gave me to do."  
John 17:4*

4. Understand that God wants our leadership to be expressed in \_\_\_\_\_ .

*He appointed twelve—designating them apostles—that they might  
be with him and that he might send them out to preach. Mark 3:14*

5. Set aside time to talk and listen to \_\_\_\_\_ on a regular basis.

*Very early in the morning, while it was still dark, Jesus got up,  
left the house and went off to a solitary place, where he prayed. Mark 1:35*

**As a leader you build trust with others each time you choose  
integrity over image, truth over convenience and honor over personal gain.**

## Global Missions

**TA ETHNE MISSIONS LUNCHEON TODAY** at 12:30 p.m. in the Oak Room. Our Life Stage 3 and 4 teams will share amazing things that God did during their short-term trip to El Salvador and what He continues to do! Lunch and Children's Ministry provided.

## Music

**MUSIC PRAISE FOR K-4 BEGINS TODAY** from 4:45 to 6:15 p.m. in the Music Room. Just check in children at any kiosk – no pre-enrollment necessary. We'll perform for Veteran's Sunday and in the Christmas Cantata on Sunday, Dec. 2. Percussion is included in each class, so come and make a joyful noise, little ones!

**JOIN OUR CANTATA CHOIR** which will present the annual Christmas Cantata along with Christ Chapel's Sanctuary Orchestra on Sunday, Dec. 2 at all worship services. Rehearsals are every Thursday beginning Sept. 27 at 7 p.m. in the Music Room. No auditions are necessary. Children's Ministry is available. For information contact Jennifer at JenniferC@christchapelbc.org.

## Local Outreach

**BECOME A SITE LEADER** for one of our weekend Serve projects coming up in October. Contact Micah at MicahB@christchapelbc.org for more information.

**WE NEED HELP TUTORING KIDS** on Wednesday nights for Como Math and Reading Night. Volunteer once a week or once a month for a fun night of teaching and games. Contact Kathy at Kathy@paukune.net.

**"EMBRACE" REFUGEE MINISTRY** Use your gifts by serving refugees right here in Fort Worth. The Welcome Team sets up apartments; the Training Team teaches English; the Life Team spends time just getting to know great folks from another country. Contact Danella at DanellaH@christchapelbc.org.

**TEACHER FRIENDS** We need people for our Teacher Friend ministry at Como Elementary as a classroom resource for teachers. Contact Shay at cotter1@sbcglobal.net.

## Soul Care

**REDEEMED HEART RECOVERY** Mondays at 7 p.m. in the Winsor Building; Tuesdays at 7 p.m. and Saturdays at 8:30 a.m. in the Soul Care Conference Room. Recovery from addiction or obsession in a Christ-centered, supportive environment.



## Women

**OASIS FOR SINGLE MOMS** This Friday, Sept. 21, 7 to 9 p.m. in the Oak Room. Whether your children are infants or grown, come for fellowship, food, faith and fun! Oasis desires to encourage and support single moms to succeed in parenting while growing in intimacy with the Savior. For dinner reservations contact Susanne at Susanne.Moore.nb34@statefarm.com or 682-559-2921 by Sept. 20. For Children's Ministry contact LynnT@christchapelbc.org by Sept. 19 (children will be served pizza).

**WOMEN'S PRAYER RETREAT** Friday, Oct. 5 at 6 p.m. through noon Saturday at Riverbend Retreat Center in Glen Rose. We provide short messages on prayer, a personal testimony, lots of time with Jesus, dinner, a wonderful evening snack and breakfast. Cost: \$40/person for cabin bunk accommodations; \$60/person for hotel rooms. Sign up at cbcfamily.org/events.

**WOMEN IN THE WORD BIBLE STUDY** "Wise Up! Successful Living from the Book of Proverbs" is Thursdays through Nov. 15 at 9:45 a.m. in the Sanctuary or 7 p.m. in the Oak Room. Check out cbcfamily.org/womenintheword or stop by the Women's Kiosk. RSVP for Children's Ministry to age 11 with Lynn at LynnT@christchapelbc.org.

**DOWNTOWN AT LUNCH TIME?** Join other CCBC women for a meal (\$5) and discussion at Common Ground (120 West 3rd Street, Suite #111), our outreach to Fort Worth's working women. During September we look at Hosea (Mondays at noon) and "Questions That Keep You Up at Night" (Wednesdays at noon). Check out the full schedule at commongroundfw.org.

## Men

**MEN'S MID-WEEK BIBLE STUDIES** Mighty Men is back with a new study in Proverbs called "Wise Guys!" every Thursday. This practical study is taught by Ken Miller, 6:30 to 7:45 a.m. in the Oak Room (breakfast served), or 7 to 8:30 p.m. in Fellowship Hall (dinner served). Register at cbcfamily.org/men. Contact BenB@christchapelbc.org or 817-546-6178 for more information.

**MIGHTY MEN SMALL GROUPS** Real men. Real groups. Real life change. Find a group at cbcfamily.org/men or contact Ben at BenB@christchapelbc.org or 817-546-6178.

## General

**LIFE ACADEMY CLASSES** at 9:15 a.m.: **Ephesians and the Lone Ranger Myth** taught by Ken Miller in Link Classroom North focuses on the role of the body of Christ in our spiritual formation; **Beginnings: A Study In Genesis** taught by Stuart Lane in Link Classroom South is an in-depth look at the foundational book of the Old Testament. At 11 a.m.: **Looking For Christ in the Old Testament** taught by Nathan Rader in Link Classroom North surveys the entire Old Testament in light of Jesus; **What You Don't Know Can Hurt You** taught by Kyle Scarborough in Link Classroom South overviews basic doctrines of our faith. At 6:30 p.m.: **The Old Testament** taught by Dr. Bill Egner at 6:30 p.m. in Link Classroom South moves chronologically through the epic story of God, Israel and her Messiah.

**LIFE STAGE 2 YOUNG COUPLES' CLASS** "Breaking the Surface: Going Deeper with the Disciplines" meets TODAY at 10:45 a.m. in Fellowship Hall West. Contact Josh at jaburgess2000@msn.com.

**IGNITE** 10:45 a.m. TODAY in the Oak Room. In your 30s (married or single) or have younger kids? Come for teaching, table discussion and fellowship. Contact Rachel at RachelM@christchapelbc.org.

**EXCEL** 6:30 p.m. TODAY in Fellowship Hall West. We're 30-something singles meeting for fellowship and Bible study.

**THE GATHERING** 6:30 p.m. TODAY in the Chapel. In your 20s? Come and dig deeper into the sermon with us.

**S.H.A.P.E. DOWNTOWN** Learn your S.H.A.P.E. during your lunch hour for five weeks starting this Thursday, Sept. 20 from noon to 1 p.m. For more information or to register contact Brandon at BrandonS@christchapelbc.org.

**WE HAVE A GREAT AND GROWING MINISTRY** to our children with special needs here at Christ Chapel. This amazing ministry needs Special Buddies to work closely with our children on Sundays during any of our service times. Contact Janie at JanieS@christchapelbc.org.

**ISRAEL TOUR 2013** with Christ Chapel and Mansfield Bible Church. Dr. Doug Cecil leads us to the Holy Land June 11-21, 2013 (with optional Jordan extension June 21-24). For more information about this trip go to cbcfamily.org/events to browse a brochure detailing cost, itinerary and contact information. Contact Rachel at RachelM@christchapelbc.org.