

Small Group Leader Training

January 11th, 2009



10:45 Breakfast Snacks

10:50 9 Dots with 4 Lines

- challenge to connect 9 dots with 4 straight lines
- can't approach 09 like we did 08 and expect to be effective, accomplish the goal

11:15 9 Tools to Start 09

- An Open Bible**-no curriculum better than Scripture, don't be intimidated, Lifeguide Bible Series
- A Spiral Notebook**-personal reflection on Scripture, journaling, lectio divina
- The Open Chair**-must be evangelistic, accountability for sharing Christ, openness to new people
- Simple Steps to Leading**-give bite sized opportunities for co-leader, leadership development
- The Big Idea**-repetition leads to application, Gospels, reading guide, discussion guide, schedule
- New Pair of Pants**-holy knees is the power of life change, patches provided
- Fun Prizes**-affirmation provides inspiration, be intentional & demonstrative about growth
- Service Project**-research shows people want to serve others, builds community, resources
- Your Leader Coach**-here to serve, CARE,

11:35 CARE GROUPS DISCUSSION

- How did your group celebrate the holiday season together?
- What are you praying about for your group as you start 09?
- What is 1 concern you have about your group as you start 09?
- How are you determining where people in your group are on the spiritual continuum?
- Who is someone in your group you are going to invest in personally in 09?

11:55 Wrap Up

- Update profile (day,time/members)
- GOSPELS/VALUES beginning in January
- ADOPT-A-MEMBER Board (Angie Hilton)
- Service Opportunities:
 - Adopt Our Facility
- Next Training: Sunday, February 1st

Next Leader Training:
February 1st, 2009
10:45am | Discovery Room

CATALYST
February 4th | 6:30pm | Worship Center