

# Small Group Leader Training

## May 3, 2009



10:45 Breakfast Snacks

10:50 Drum Roll Please

March Mayhem Winner Trophy:

Food Drive Winner:

11:00 Prayer -The Most Meaningful Conversation

-value of prayer at WRCC (origin of church, power of ministry, only way mission/vision be fulfilled)

-most meaningful conversation...often run out of time (any group have more than 10% prayer?)

-Jesus' patten of prayer is simplistic

-relational (Jesus called God dad, not an object of worship, but a source of love and affection)

-reverent (focus on God's holiness, soverienty/

-reliance (God is source of our need and strength, forgiveness, and protection/bread = everything life)

-nothing wrong with structure (ACTS model) but can't become *battalgeo* "words without thought"

-the struggle is about relationship, reverence, and reliance

Resources:

-Lectio Divina

-www.echoprayer.com (show demo)

11:35 CARE GROUPS DISCUSSION

-How have you effectively incorporated prayer into your small group?

-What has helped your group overcome the hesistance or resistance to prayer?

-How will your group spend the summer?

-What is 1 way the Small Group Ministry could continue to improve?

11:50 Life of Christ small group guide

-will continue this summer AND this fall

-love to have others help write

11:55 Wrap Up

-Update profile (day,time/members)

-ADOPT-A-MEMBER Board

-Fellowship Opportunity:

-Family Picnic (June 7, \$10/family)

-Indians Game (July 26, \$8 ticket)

-Service Opportunities:

-Summer of Service

-Next Training: **Sunday, August 9<sup>th</sup> 6:00PM**

**Next Leader Training:**

**August 9th, 2009**

**6:00PM | Discovery Room**

**CATALYST**

**May 6th | 6:30pm | Worship Center**