

PEACEFUL REST MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH

“The Family of Faith”

Year-End Leadership Summit

December 7, 2018

9 AM – Noon

Greetings and Reading of Matthew 9:35-38

A Specific Prayer

Leadership Thoughts

Marry the mission. Date the model. [Andy Stanley]

We don't need a touchdown. We need a first down. That requires moving forward!

Some people are looking for solutions. Some people are solutions!

Old systems may not support new growth.

We are laborers together with God. [I Corinthians 3:9]

Group Exercise/Ice-breaker – “The Junk Drawer”

NOTE: Churches with more than 1500 members have less programs than churches with less than 500 members.

- Two questions –
 1. What are people “looking” for?
 2. What are people “longing” for?

- **The DNA [Culture] of Peaceful Rest**
 1. **Vision** – A church that grows [spiritual], serves [missional], and cares [relational].
 2. **Mission** – Make disciples who grow, serve, and care.
 3. **Core Values**¹ – Faith, hope, and love [I Corinthians 13:13]
 4. **Strategy** –
 - Enable people to grow
 - Equip people to serve
 - Encourage people to care

CLARITY

What do you do and how do you get it done?

- **Simplify the Ministry**
[Download e-book *Streamline* from www.peacefulrest.com]

¹ Values define who we are and direct what we do.

- Inspiration [in addition to influence]

What is a leader?

At Peaceful Rest, a leader is one who grows, serves, and cares in a manner that **INSPIRES** other to grow, serve, and care.

INSPIRATION

Purpose/passion
 Potential success in YOUR future
 Motivation
 My respect for you
 The motive is for good
 About you

INFLUENCE

Power/position
 Proven success in my past
 Can be manipulation
 Your respect for me
 the motive can be good or evil
 About me

LET'S INSPIRE PEOPLE!!!!

- **Ministry Teams and Systems**

1. Worship²
2. Discipleship³
3. Children and Youth
4. Family Care [deacons]
5. Outreach⁴
6. Governance⁵

- **BE Different[®]**

[Our church-wide discipleship journey; see bedifferent.church]

Be Different[®] is our church-wide discipleship journey. The goal is to turn every member into a disciple and every disciple into a leader.

December, 2018

PRAYER — The church prays for the success of the journey; design of the curriculum; and the emergence of leaders.

January, 2019

Design — Preparation and publication of the curriculum.

February, 2019

Leadership Enlistment — Recruit and train leaders and facilitators.

REGISTRATION — Online and physical registration begins February 3; groups formed and announced by month's end.

March 3, 2019

Launch Date — Small groups and courses of study meet for 12 weeks.

June, 2019

First Promotional Celebration — Persons completing the minimum requirements will be pinned.

² Includes the prayer team.

³ Includes hospitality and assimilation.

⁴ Evangelism, mission and media.

⁵ Executive Committee [includes stewardship and personnel].

▪ **What Excellence Looks Like**

1. **Simple** – “less is more”
2. **Consistent** – Do the right thing, the right way – EVERY TIME!
3. **Dynamic** – Purposeful/intentional [Do it well or not at all!]
4. **Organic** – Engaging and creates life [If it’s killing us to do it, it’s killing us to do it!]
5. **Visionary** – Bigger than us!
6. **Relevant** – Speaks to people’s lives today
7. **Inclusive** – Designed for the people we wish to attract (not the ones we want to keep)

▪ **Corporate Celebrations and Activities**

1. 66th Church Anniversary [February]
Chairpersons: _____

2. Resurrection Celebration [Sunday, April 21]
3. Church Trip [San Antonio/ Austin, Texas; June 8-10]
4. Family and Friends Day [August 26]
5. Super Sunday [October 7]
6. 25/50 Celebration [November]
Chairpersons: _____

▪ **2019 Preaching and Teaching Agenda**

- “Jesus Christ”
- “UnCommon Sense”
- “The Evidence”
- “LOST”
- “Happy People”
- “The Journey to Joy” [Philippians]
- “Be Different!”
- “Love Is...”
- “Perspectives”
- “A To ‘Don’t’ List”
- “Becoming”
- “Family Ties”
- “FLESH”

HOMework

- Spiritual Gifts Inventory
- Spiritual Growth Assessment