

Equipping and Training For Your Next Step

Opportunities To Find Your Next Step On THE PATH OF A DISCIPLE

August 10: Starting Point: At Clear Creek, we want to do everything we can to help you take your next step on the path to being a better disciple of Jesus. This is particularly helpful if you are new to our church family. But regardless if you've been here one time or one thousand times, if you are looking to find your next step or are interested in learning how to help others find their next step please join us on August 10 @ 7:00pm via ZOOM for our next Starting Point class. To register, go to clearcreekcoc.org/starting-point.

Opportunities To Take Your Next Step In The GROUPS Block

August 19 or 26: Special Training with Evan Aldridge. In a time of complexity, simplicity is king. We are asking our House Church leaders and co-leaders, Serving Team Leaders, and their spouses to join us for *one* of the two training nights as we talk through some very simple and practical ways to maintain a healthy leadership environment as we move into our new reality. The 1-hour training will begin at 6:30pm. Email Evan Aldridge to register: ealdrige@clearcreekcoc.org

Opportunities To Take Your Next Step In The INVEST Block

September 10, 17 & 24: Imprint DMM Training online, 6:00-9:30pm EST (5:00-8:30pm CST) on Thursdays. Imprint is an interactive, collaborative training experience designed to build your competence and confidence in how to make disciples. You'll engage in a hands on (albeit remote) learning journey where we will walk through the next steps in the scriptural call of disciple-making. [Register Here](#) and use the 100% discount code: MRNPARTNER

Opportunities To Learn How Others Are Restoring the Mission of Christ's Church

September 10-11: New Day Conference Online. The New Day Conference aims to encourage our sister churches by working together to restore the revolutionary mission of Christ's church: making disciples of all nations. *"Again Jesus said, "Peace be with you! As the Father has sent me, I am sending you." John 20:21.*

We have registered as a church, so you can register for **FREE**. Here's how:

- Go to newdayresources.org to see schedule and register
- Sign up to reserve your spot using registration code: clearcreek

Ideas to "go and make disciples"

For a lot of us, this pandemic has made us very aware of how our faith plays a role in our response to difficult times and change. We know our church family has servant hearts. We know you want to be outward focused. We know you want to disciple and share the name of Jesus in our community. Some do this easily and some don't know where to start.

We Want Your Input. Share ideas for serving or discipling our city as a group or an individual. Such as...

- Places to serve in-person or online
- Groups of people who may open doors to new opportunities
- Unique ways to share Jesus' name with others
- Practical ways to meet mental, physical or financial needs

Please tell us how you, your family, or your group, have been able to be the church to those you encounter. Please share your ideas with us so that we can share them with others who may not know where to begin.

Celebration Stories

Share your celebration story to show what Jesus is doing with examples of discipleship going on within our church family.

Celebration stories tell how God is working through an individual's (or a group's) love, actions and words to draw people to Jesus.

1. Celebration stories do not just tell about isolated acts of kindness or encouraging words. They show how God used those acts or words to draw people to Jesus.
2. Share God stories; not just examples of Christians being nice, but of God helping people take small steps of faith and Christ-like living. And remember to give God the credit!

Pro Tip: We both know that God is alive and working in each of the stories you will share with us. So to help us give Him the glory, we ask that you don't simply tell us what you did but instead what you did AND how God worked through it! For example... if you or your group helps someone financially, think:

- How did they react?
- Were you or they able to connect it to God? What did that look like?
- Did your act allow God to help them take any kind of step toward Him? If so, what was it?

Join us for training, tell us your ideas and share your celebrations. We look forward to taking our Next Steps with you!