**GOSPEL LEADER PERSONAL DISCIPLESHIP PLAN (PDP)**

This document is designed to help you develop a plan for growth in the key areas of a Gospel Leader during your nine months in the Gospel Leader Residency program. Based on your Pre-Assessment and what we doing this year in the program, record one to five goals for each sub-category (Learner, Missionary, Servant, Family) in light of how you want to grow as a Gospel Leader. While goals like “I want to love Jesus more” are great and truly are what we are aiming for, it is more effective to craft goals that are **S**pecific, **M**easurable, **A**chievable, **R**easonable, and **T**imed—what we call SMART goals. Using SMART goals will allow you to really pursue specific growth as a disciple this year. For example, instead of having the goal “to love Jesus more” (which will hopefully be true by the program’s end), you can craft a goal that has the same effect but is SMART—for instance, something like “Memorize two biblical passages that describe Christ’s glory by January 1st” under the category of Learner.

Directions for PDP

1. Review your Pre-Assessment prayerfully
2. Come up with 1-5 SMART goals for each sub-category based on desire and growth areas as seen in your Pre-Assessment
3. Turn in this first draft of your PDP to your cohort coach
4. Meet with your cohort coach to review, revise, and finalize your PDP

PDP Categories

The categories of the Gospel Leader PDP correspond with the four main learning areas of the Gospel Leader Residency. In each of these categories, you are working to increase your growth in the Gospel as you grow in the areas of learning the truth of God’s Word and sound doctrine, being missionaries enlisted by the saving grace of the gospel, family in community through the gospel and servants because Christ has served us in the gospel.

**Your Personal Discipleship Plan**

Learner

This Category May Include Goals Related to the Scriptures, Study, Doctrine, Mission, and Devotion

**Read at least 6 books for Next 6 months.**

***Goals from readings in June 2014 – December 2014: Grow in different areas for job (Presentation, Leadership & Communication) – Learn how to set up health systems as a leader so I have longevity to not burn out – Grow deeper in love with the word of God.***

 **Resources for Study**

* **Pick my 6 books that I want to read (*Presentation (HBL), Leadership (HBL), Knowable Word, Insourcing, Leaders that last, Communication (HBL))***

**Ways of Measure**

* **By January 2015 – Did I read all the books on my list**
* **Do I see the accomplished goals that I set met?**

Missionary

This Category May Include Goals Related to Personal Evangelism, Living on Mission, and Missional Engagement

**Host a once a month gathering for our neighbors (monthly).**

 **Resources for Goal**

* **Pray weekly with my family for God to save a neighbor within our neighborhood**

 **Ways of Measure**

* **Ask God to save someone from our complex by December 2014**

Servant

This Category May Include Goals Related to Serving in Your Neighborhood, Church Family, Leadership, and Beyond

**Host a once a month gathering for our neighbors (monthly).**

 **Resources for Goal**

* **Pray weekly with my family for God to save a neighbor within our neighborhood**

 **Ways of Measure**

* **Ask God to save someone from our complex by December 2014**

Family

This Category May Include Goals Related to the Local Church, Gospel Community, and Marriage if Applicable

**Being Healthy**

 **Ways of Measure**

* **Run at least once a week (Friday Family Run Days)**
* **Eat Healthy this year (One fruit and vegetable a day)**

**2015 PDP Ideas:**

**A Year with the Puritans – Read anything by a Puritan (Specifically read the Puritan Theology & The Book on the Different Puritans)**