



HOW DOES THIS TRACK HELP YOU BUILD A DISCIPLE-MAKING COMMUNITY?

The first thing needed in any church for it to engage in Jesus' disciple-making mission is leaders who model it for the congregation. This track will help you more fully develop the absolutely essential skill of making new disciples through sharing the gospel. It will also equip you to raise up another generation of people in your church who will be equipped with tools to reach their friends, relatives, associates, neighbors, coworkers, enemies, and strangers with the good news of Jesus.

TRACK DESCRIPTION

It's easy for pastors to be caught up in the life of the church family and to have a hard time connecting with non-believers. This track will help you experience transformation with Jesus and develop habits so you can love non-believers like Jesus loves them as a regular part of your life instead of trying to add it to your to-do list. It will also equip you to set an example in evangelism for your leaders and equip them to do the same.

DEVELOPMENT OUTCOMES

1. Develop a FRANCES list for increasing focus for your personal gospel impact among your friends, relatives, acquaintances, neighbors, coworkers, enemies, and strangers.
2. Experience transformation to love non-believers like Jesus loves them.
3. Practice BLESS practices that engage non-believers around you.
4. Root the evangelism training and motivation for your leaders in the good news of Jesus.
5. Equip a group of leaders in your church to engage their own FRANCES list using BLESS Practices

FACILITATOR

1. Alan Rathbun
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FORMAT

- Zoom and in-person cohort
- Combination of facilitator and peer coaching between meetings

SCHEDULE

- 5 cohort meetings in January - June
- 1 coaching meeting with a facilitator, 3 peer to peer coaching meetings

RESOURCES

1. [B.L.E.S.S.](#) by Dave and Jon Ferguson
2. [Organic Outreach for Ordinary People](#) - Kevin Harney
3. Various articles

COSTS

Cost of books

