

Master Plan of Evangelism Reflection Tool

This tool has been put together primarily to help key youth leaders who lead other youth leaders to reflect on the challenges on this book. Feel free to adapt it for your setting.

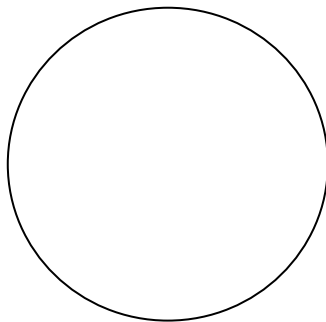
– Chapter 1 Reflection

Key points for you

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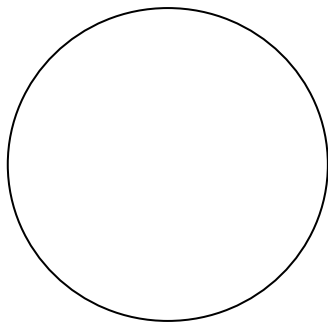
Focusing on the masses or the few...

In light of the first chapter, thinking about the amount of time spent per week in ministry, shade in the proportion of time you think Jesus spent discipling His 12 on the pie chart below



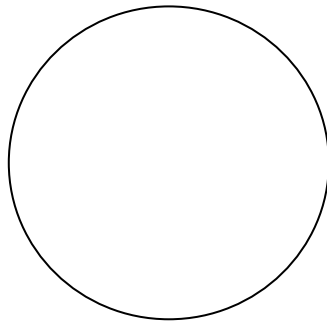
How much time do I spend on programmes for the masses versus discipling a selected few?

Review your diary of ministry time spent weekly and then shade in the proportion of time you spend discipling a selected few on the pie chart below



Are you happy with your time allocation on the pie chart or would you like to change it in some way?

If you would like to alter your time allocation, how would you like to use your time differently?



Outline some of the changes you would consider making to your weekly schedule in light of your reading and our discussion so far.

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Why is it often more attractive for us to focus our time on events for the masses and possibly neglect the call to concentrate on discipling a few?

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How can you use the inevitable programmes and events in your ministry more effectively as part of your intentional discipleship of a few people?

Who are your 3? Who are your 12?

Begin thinking about who you might focus your discipleship efforts on, starting with the 3 people that you will give most of your time to.

Note Jesus appeared to have taken about a year to choose His 12. This process doesn't have to be rushed.

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Can I stake my entire ministry on 12 these people?

Master Plan of Evangelism – Chapter 2 Reflection

This is the “how to” chapter of the book what are your reflections so far?

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Jesus’ example of discipling looks starkly different from most discipling efforts of our churches. How practical and realistic is it for us to follow Jesus’ example exactly? Why?

What are some steps that you can take to make your efforts in discipleship more comparable to that of Jesus?

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In light of this how could your church improve its discipleship strategy?

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Master Plan of Evangelism – Chapter 3 Reflection

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In Christ's model, those who would lead first had to follow. Who are you following? Who are you submitting to?

Is the way that you follow your leaders a good example for others? Would you want your 12 to mimic your example?

What, if any thing would you change about the way that you follow your leaders in light of the question above.

What are your expectations for your 12?

How does that fit in with the ethos of “Belong Believe Behave” that many of us have adopted?

Master Plan of Evangelism – Chapter 4 Reflection

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“Nothing less than a personal baptism of the Holy Spirit would suffice. The superhuman work to which they were called demanded supernatural help”

We have all heard many exhortations to make time and space for the Spirit of God to move in our lives. Often we reflect that our time is pulled more towards “doing” for God than “being” with God.

How well are we modelling the work of the Holy Spirit in our own lives?

What are 2 ways that you could improve your relationship with the Holy Spirit?

How can we prepare and model to those we disciple how to be led well by the Holy Spirit?

What is an area of your life that is negatively affecting those that you lead.
What are some steps that you can take to sanctify this area?

Master Plan of Evangelism – Chapter 5 Reflection

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Demonstration

What are some general principles that we can take from this chapter?

Prayer

Is your prayer life, both personal and corporate, a good example for those who you lead? Explain your why?

What would you change about your prayer life in light of the above question?

What are some ways you can expose your prayer life to those you lead and involve them in it?

What are some practical applications on how you will model and teach prayer?

How can we make our upfront teaching more effective in light of what we have been processing?

Scripture

What does your current handling of scripture say to others about how important scripture is to you?

What are 2 practical ways that you can increase your familiarity with scripture?

What are some ways that you can model the importance and leading of scripture in your life to those who follow you?

Evangelism

“...but what was most important in view of his ultimate purpose was that all the while he was teaching them how to win souls” pg 73

Are all your leadership efforts ultimately pointing those we lead towards a heart for evangelism, the lost, the hurting and the transformation of our communities?

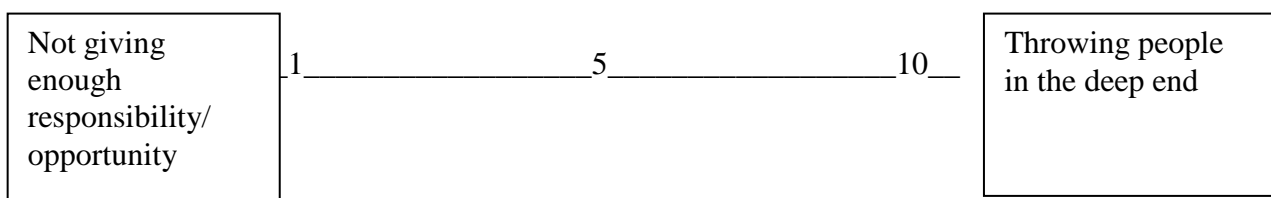
What can distract us from this ultimate purpose?

What are some steps we can take to focus our purpose on evangelism?

Chapter 6

Delegation

Take a moment to reflect on your delegation style. Mark where you sit on this continuum.



What are two action points to improve your delegation?

How big is the gap between hearing and doing for those you lead? (The gap between hearing a principle or challenge and putting it into action)

How can you reduce this gap?

What will you tell those you lead about expected hardships in the mission?

Master Plan of Evangelism – Chapter 7 & 8 Reflection

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Supervision

How do you currently supervise your leaders?

In light of Jesus' example how can you improve the way you supervise your leaders.

What does our current check in with leaders look like? Is it corporate /individual etc?

“To do” versus “to who”...

Ideally how many hours should you spend supervising leaders?

Total...../40

Corporately... /40

Individually?... /40

Ideally what would your corporate and individual supervision times look like?