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APRIL 6TH
11:30A - 2:30P
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OUTREACH
LEARN NEW WAYS OF BRINGING GOD'S HOPE TO OUR
WORLD AROUND US AT THIS ANNUAL OUTREACH
TRAINING TAUGHT BY PASTOR KEVIN AND PASTOR TOM
TRAINING

- W E D -
APRIL 9TH
6:30 - 8:30P
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Discover Your Unique Outreach Style

*God has made each of us unique and different.
There are lost sheep right where you are and
you are the perfect person to reach out to them...
(Luke 15)*

Prayer...Who are one or more lost sheep
right where God has placed me?



The Testimonial Style

- A Biblical Example (Blind Man) John 9
- A Modern Example
- What About You? Do you tend to be...
 - Clear communicator
 - Story teller
 - Good listener
 - You connect your experience to others
- Ways You Can Use This Style Organically

The Intellectual Style

- A Biblical Example (Paul) Acts 17:16-34
- A Modern Example
- What About You? Do you tend to be...
 - Inquisitive
 - Analytical
 - Logical
 - Like to debate (but not obnoxious)
 - Enjoy study
- Ways You Can Use This Style Organically

Interpersonal Style

- A Biblical Example (Matthew) Luke 5:27-32
- A Modern Example
- What About You? Do you tend to be...
 - Warm Personality
 - Conversational
 - Friendship oriented
 - Tend to focus on others and their needs (more than on ideas)
- Ways You Can Use This Style Organically

Invitational Style

- A Biblical Example (Woman at the Well)
John 4:4-42
- A Modern Example
- What About You? Do you tend to be...
 - Hospitable
 - Relational
 - Persuasive
 - Enjoy new people
- Ways You Can Use This Style Organically

Service Style

- A Biblical Example (Dorcus) Acts 9:36-43
- A Modern Example
- What About You? Do you tend to be...
 - Others-centered
 - Humble
 - Patient
 - Helpful
 - Notice needs and joyfully engage (in Jesus' name)
- Ways You Can Use This Style Organically

The Confrontational Style

- A Biblical Example (Peter) Acts 2:14-41
- A Modern Example
- What About You? Do you tend to be...
 - Confident
 - Assertive
 - Direct
 - May not like small talk
- Ways You Can Use This Style Organically

The Prayer Style

- A Biblical Example (Paul and Silas) Acts 16:25-34
- A Modern Example
- What About You? Do you tend to be...
 - One who believes in the power of prayer
 - Often praying for lost people
 - Comfortably praying with lost people
 - Someone people come to when they have prayer needs (even non-believers)
- Ways You Can Use This Style Organically

No Matter What Your Style, You Still Need to Be Ready to Share the Gospel...With Words!

*“But in your hearts revere Christ as Lord. Always be prepared to give an answer to everyone who asks you to give the reason for the hope that you have. But do this with gentleness and respect, keeping a clear conscience, so that those who speak maliciously against your good behavior in Christ may be ashamed of their slander.”
(1 Peter 3:15-16)*

Sharing the gospel through your story

- This is what I heard...
- This is how I came to believe...
- These were my questions and struggles...
- This is what helped me break through...
- This is how Jesus has changed my life...
- This is how Jesus is impacting my life today...

Does this make sense?

Would you like to know more?

Are you in a place where you want to receive this grace and love of God?

Note - Many ideas and thoughts in these sessions come from the “Becoming a Contagious Christian” study by: Mark Mittelberg, Lee Strobel, and Bill Hybels. To go deeper into the outreach styles, we encourage you to read their book.