

Welcome To The Ministry Collaborative

Your Ministry is Our Mission

During the night, Paul had a vision: there stood a man of Macedonia pleading with him and saying, "Come over to Macedonia and help us." - Acts 16:9

Our Mission

The mission of The Ministry Collaborative is to develop pastors and congregations for creative leadership in their community. We have three overarching goals:

- 1) To renew the personal and professional life of pastors, and to help them effectively expand their capacity for sustained ministry leadership.
- 2) To stimulate the vitality and spiritual growth and discipleship of the pastors' congregations.
- 3) To impact the broader community through community engagement by participating pastors and their congregations.

Here's Why It Works

Most pastors have participated in a variety of ministry associations, clergy groups, monthly gatherings, and other ways of connecting with local colleagues. These can all be helpful, of course. But, as The Ministry Collaborative pastors will tell you, the combination of support, bonds of friendship, and learning that can take place in a The Ministry Collaborative cohort is unparalleled. Why? Because of the high level of commitment made by the group for three years, which, as we've learned, evolves into a life-time network of support, resources, learning, and relationship.

One way to view The Ministry Collaborative is as an advanced Leadership Program or Executive MBA, but instead of requiring tests in pursuit of a degree, pastors are provided with a supportive learning community where deeper, more sustainable growth can take place. It is effective because the cohort provides a space where individual and group capacity are expanded for navigating long-term ministry challenges.

someone will **always be** *in your*
corner, rooting **for you**



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