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# Discipleship is Not a Program:

It's Time For Your Congregation to Make the Main Thing the Main Thing and Equip People to Live and Love like Jesus.

AN ONLINE, NATIONWIDE COHORT FOR MINISTRY LEADERS

#### **COHORT DETAILS:**

### OCTOBER 2023 - October 2024

After the opening retreat, Oct 17-19, this cohort will meet from 1:00 - 3:00 PM EST on the 2nd Thursday of every month. Once formed, the cohort will discuss more details about the schedule and make adjustments as necessary

## **REGISTRATION FEE: \$1,100**

\*Your financial contribution covers all sessions, workshops, resources, as well as lodging and content for a 3-day, 2-night opening retreat in Atlanta, October 17 - 19, 2023 (travel to and from the retreat will be covered by each participant). Scholarships available on an as needed basis. Please contact Laura Long for information at Llong@MMinistry.org

### **SPECIAL GUESTS INCLUDE:**



**Amy Valdez Baker** 

Congregational and Pastoral Formation Curator, The Ministry Collaborative



**Laura Murray** 

Director of Spiritual Engagement & Innovation, Fuller Seminary & Spiritual Director + Coach, <a href="https://laurabmurray.com/">https://laurabmurray.com/</a>



**Leon Stevenson** 

Lead Pastor, Mack Avenue Community Church, Co-Founder, MACC Development



Facilitated by: Rev. Matt Adair

What does it take to make a disciple of Jesus? How do we know if we're making disciples of Jesus? When does discipleship begin, and when does discipleship end? Why should a church make discipleship the focus of its life together? Where does discipleship happen in a church?

Join us as we explore those questions and help you design a plan to make more disciples who love like Jesus. Drawing from the gospel of Matthew, we'll develop a paradigm for discipleship in your specific context. Using cutting-edge research on how people change, you'll walk through a process that helps people be with Jesus, become like Jesus, and do what Jesus wants them to do. And you'll do all of this with a set of diverse and gifted partners to help you listen and respond to God. Imagine a church filled with people who love like Jesus.

Matt Adair, Pastor for Transformational Discipleship, Fellowship Bible Church in Roswell, GA.

### **Meet Matt!**



Rev. Matthew C. Adair (M.Div., Beeson Divinity School) is the Pastor for Transformational Discipleship at Fellowship Bible Church in Roswell, GA. Matt is also the Founder of Transformational Discipleship, an initiative to help churches make disciples who love like Jesus.

Matt has pastored churches in Birmingham, AL and Athens, GA, and also currently serves as the Director of Discipleship for The 95 Network. Matt and his wife, Lindsey, have been married since 1998 and have three sons, Jonathan, Will and Ben.

### Resources Available to You:

Published twice per week, our <u>blog</u> aims to advance conversation topics that we believe are the most crucial for navigating ministry today. Additionally, our weekly <u>podcast</u> features a series of honest conversations about the opportunities, challenges, and joy of ministry today.

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