



ENGAGE

INTRODUCTION

Our church is a stewardship. It isn't about us. It's not even about our city anymore. The church in America is undergoing a transformation . . . and we're part of it. Churches all over the country look to us for leadership. Our success gives them permission to do new things, to try new approaches. But to continue to be a church unchurched people love to attend, we need to be fully engaged.

We are serious about transforming the local church in our city and the nation. We want to change the world by changing the church. *How can you participate?*

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

1. How have you connected, served, or given to the church in the past? Was it worth the time, energy, and resources you invested? Why or why not?
2. Have you ever invited a friend to church? If so, talk about your experience.
3. When you think about connecting, serving, giving, or inviting, which appeals to you? Why?
4. When you think about connecting, serving, giving, or inviting, which challenges you? Why?
5. What step can you take this week to connect, serve, give, and invite? How can this group support you?

MOVING FORWARD

If you feel any sense of ownership of what's happening at our church or if you want to feel a sense ownership, here's what you can do: connect in a group, serve on a team, give a percentage, and invite a friend.

CHANGING YOUR MIND

"A new command I give you: Love one another. As I have loved you, so you must love one another. By this everyone will know that you are my disciples, if you love one another."

John 13:34-35

