



WHY WE DO WHAT WE DO

Don't just put some chairs in a circle and start a Cell Group. Cell Groups are an integral element in the DNA of a church.

Ephesians 4:11-15 (NIV)

11 So Christ himself gave the apostles, the prophets, the evangelists, the pastors and teachers, 12 to equip his people for works of service, so that the body of Christ may be built up 13 until we all reach unity in the faith and in the knowledge of the Son of God and become mature, attaining to the whole measure of the fullness of Christ.

14 Then we will no longer be infants, tossed back and forth by the waves, and blown here and there by every wind of teaching and by the cunning and craftiness of people in their deceitful scheming. 15 Instead, speaking the truth in love, we will grow to become in every respect the mature body of him who is the head, that is, Christ.

"So, if spiritual formation is the purpose of the church then personal transformation should intentionally be the purpose of the Cell Group ministry. Bible study is great. Fellowship is wonderful. Evangelism is essential. But changing and growing to be more like Christ should be the purpose of the Cell Group ministry. And believe it or not, you can focus on Bible study and still not arrive at personal transformation unless the leaders are trained and reminded to pursue that direction."

THE 5 C'S OF CELL GROUPS

5. Commitment



4. Community

3. Care



2. Challenge





