

The Standard for Leadership on the Ministry Team

Our role on the leadership team is twofold. First, we are here to discern the will of God for the ministry and to seek him in all decisions and directions. Following that discernment, our role is to fulfill his desires. Secondly, we walk alongside the people who attend our classes and help them find their way on their healing journey. In order to be effective and successful in these roles, certain things need to be true about each of us. While it is true that none of us have arrived or perfected our thoughts and beliefs, we do need to have settled certain matters in our lives.

1. I am a Christian. I have settled this matter and Christ is Lord of my life.
2. I have been called by God to be on the team. God has confirmed this to me. I realize this is the only criterion for team membership. I am not here because I believe in the work of this ministry or because I want to help others find healing or so that I can stay on my healing journey, although these may be true for me, as well.
3. I have the support of my spouse (if I am married). They understand the work of the ministry and the demands upon me.
4. I am exercising the basic disciplines of the Christian life. I am a member of my church unless I am actively seeking a new church home. I attend worship services at my church every week barring illness and vacations.
5. I am engaged in a regular routine of prayer and reading Scripture.
6. I am tithing.
7. I have taken the class and applied the tools to my own life.
8. I embrace the truth and on my continual journey believe:
 - God is my provider, protector, and source of power.
 - God is who he says he is.
 - God will do what he says he will do.
 - I am who he says I am.
9. I have willingly made the choice to:
 - Allow God into any and every wounded area of my heart.
 - Actively use all of the healing steps to work through my individual garbage.
 - Live victoriously, not a victim.
 - Be accountable to the team for my choices.

Signed _____ Date _____