



Saturday, May 1, 2010
8:30 AM - 4:30 PM
Estes Brook Evangelical Free Church
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Presenter: David Durey
Registration: 8:00-8:25AM
Conference Schedule: 8:30 AM to 4:30 PM

- The State of the Church – Why Intentional Discipleship is Important
- Jesus, on Intentional Disciplemaking
- Assessing the Health of your Church
- Principles for Whole-Church Disciplemaking Part 1: Building Relationships
- LUNCH – Resources for Intentional Discipleship
- Principles for Whole-Church Disciplemaking Part 2: Building Ministries

REGISTRATION (Cost is \$30 per person, pre-register by April 26th to insure lunch and materials)

Church Name _____ **Total Participants** _____

Church address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Pastor's Name _____ Church phone _____

Names of participant:	Phone:
1 _____	_____
2 _____	_____
3 _____	_____
4 _____	_____

(List additional participants on the back of this form.)

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Hint: Matthew 28:18-20 gives a great ~~suggestion~~ *mandate!*





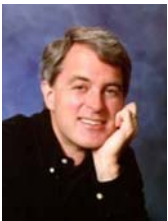
Why is intentional discipleship so important?



Bob Gilliam
President,
DisciplePath

While most churches "believe" in making disciples, very few are effectively making them. Consider the following statistics:

- The average "evangelical" church in America wins 1.67 persons (less than 2) to Christ and their church each year for every 100 persons who attend that church.
- One-third of church members state their greatest individual needs are not being met by their church.
- Less than 50% of church members pray for 5 minutes at least twice a week.
- Only 11% of church members have shared the gospel even once in the last year and 33% have never shared the gospel with anyone.
- Most church leaders, when asked, cannot even define "Disciple", and hardly any have been trained to "Make disciples".



George Barna

"**Discipleship does not happen simply because a church exists.** It occurs when there is an intentional and strategic thrust to facilitate spiritual maturity" (pg. 29).

"In a comprehensive study we conducted, we compared the beliefs, attitudes, values and behaviors of believers and non-believers.... We concluded that **it is difficult for non-Christians to understand Christianity since few born again individuals model a biblical faith** (pg. 63).

"If we hope to make a significant difference in the lives of individuals and in the nation's culture, then **we must increase our intentionality, our intensity and improve our strategies**" (pg. 13).

George Barna, *Growing True Disciples*



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