



From Membership *to* Discipleship

Saturday, September 9, 2017, 9:30am-4pm

Hudson UMC- 2600 Hudson Aurora Rd.

Hudson, OH 44236

Led by Dr. Phil Maynard and Hosted by Hudson UMC, Macedonia UMC and the Office of Congregational Vitality

Each church is encouraged to bring a team of people.

Topics to be discussed

PART 1: FOUNDATIONS- This session will introduce your discipleship team to a core definition for discipleship, differentiate between discipleship and Christian Education, describe six dimensions of a life lived as a disciple, present a flow of moving disciples toward maturity, and introduce the Discipleship Growth Survey as a tool to support personal discovery and opportunities for congregational growth.

PART 2: MOVEMENTS- Differentiate between membership and discipleship, make observations about the movement toward maturity, identify catalysts for spiritual growth, explore the practices necessary to move a disciple toward maturity between each of the phases of development.

PART 3: DISCIPLESHIP A CONTACT SPORT- Discipleship is not a one-size-fits-all but it does require a relational component. Explore a variety of discipling relationships, the value of each, and where each best fits in the discipleship process.

PART4: EQUIPPING FOR TRANSFORMATION- (How do we support the Discipling Process) – Discover what types of relationships and educational support work best for supporting disciples in the various phases of development. Understand the five components every disciple needs to grow and how the church can help.

PART5: BUILDING AN INTENTIONAL DISCIPLESHIP PROCESS - Learning from the best in history, participants identify the key elements of a transformational discipleship process, identify strengths and gaps in their current context, and build a plan for moving forward.



The cost for this event is \$10 per person which covers workshop materials and lunch. To register for this event email Nicole Nolan at vitality@eocumc.com