

Focus, Funding, and Staffing Community Care Ministry

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This seminar is designed for leadership and laity, beginners and professionals, who are committed to excellence in community care ministry. This session is especially valuable to those who have existing care ministry departments, and those who are exploring potential opportunities of community value.

For those in existing ministries, this seminar will provide ideas with successful applications to give insight and encouragement. The refining of current concepts and exploring new dimensions of care ministry will sharpen the *focus* most needed for *fundable* and sustainable ministries with the types of *staff* needed to fuel success.

For those who have recently initiated or are interested in community care, this seminar offers proven procedures and conceptual insight for curbside and citywide missions.

The value of this seminar is anchored in the evidence of God's unfailing provision for those who will provide the service of care in the villages of need in every community. Since no two communities or ministries operate the same, emphasis is given to principles, practicum, and procedures for *Doing Greater Things*.

I. Care Ministry Through the Ages

- A. Christians and Care Ministry
- B. Great Examples of History
- C. Little Principles with Great Results: Modern Examples

II. Focus...

- A. The Point Where the Whole Revolves
- B. The Clarification of Vision
- C. The Fuel for Favor

III. Funding...

- A. Ministry Moves Money; Money Moves Ministry: Careful Where You Move
- B. God is a Big Spender: He Pays for the Best When Providing for the Least
- C. Investors Are Always Interested in a Good Investment

IV. Staffing...

- A. Mercy is as Mercy Does: “You Do Mercy First”
- B. Better to Have One Who Knows Why Than Ten That Know How
- C. No Care Ministry Will Ever Grow Greater Than the Care You Give to the Staff

V. Summary

- A. Questions and Answer: Class Participation
- B. Specific Appointments to Review Personal Ministries
- C. Sign Up for Intensives, Site Visits, and Internships