

Worksheet A: Gaining the Support of Your Leaders

Whose support do you need?

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| 1. _____ | 6. _____ |
| 2. _____ | 7. _____ |
| 3. _____ | 8. _____ |
| 4. _____ | 9. _____ |
| 5. _____ | 10. _____ |

Why should they get behind a gift-oriented ministry process?

1. What needs in the church would encourage these leaders to support this process?
2. What kinds of expectations do you have for this process? Are they realistic?
3. If this process achieved its goal, what would the church look like in two years?
4. What concerns or preconceived notions exist that might hinder support for this process? (Do you truly understand and appreciate these concerns?)
5. In what ways could you meaningfully involve the leaders in this process?
6. Do you need to develop a better relationship with any of the “opinion makers” in the church?
7. Will you seek the coaching of an outside consultant? If so, who?

How should they experience the process?

1. When will you take your key leaders through a “pilot” experience with *The 3 Colors of Ministry*?
2. Jot some notes below as to how you will structure this experience.
 - (a) What format will you use? (regular leadership meetings, separate weekly or biweekly meetings, weekend course, other?)
 - (b) How much of the material will you cover? (12, 6, 3, or 1-week program, other?)