

## DISCIPLESHIP MINISTRY SURVEY

About This Survey: The Shenandoah District Discipleship Ministries Team is sending out this survey to all the churches in the Shenandoah District COB. Thank you for taking a moment to respond to these questions. Multiple responses from various people in each church is encouraged! Please answer each question to the best of your understanding, or within your best discernment. We hope to hear from each church in the district before the end of May 2022. Thank you!

1. We think of Discipleship Ministry in our church as:

*Please select the best matching category below, or you can select as many as apply:*

- a. Sunday School or Small Group engagements with Scripture.
- b. Training for new believers, or baptismal candidates, in the basics of Scripture and what it means to follow Jesus.
- c. Systematic Bible teaching for all believers to grow in Christ and mature in their faith.
- d. Opportunities for “hands on” service projects.
- e. Building relationships with the unchurched and non-religious.
- f. All of the above.
- g. Other: \_\_\_\_\_

2. In your opinion, which category of Discipleship Ministry mentioned above does your church emphasize, or in which category is your church more efficient than others?

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3. What resources have you found helpful in offering Discipleship Ministry to your own congregation?

*If you do not have a resource, or it does not apply, you may choose to leave that category blank.*

- a. For Sunday School or Small Groups: \_\_\_\_\_
- b. For training new believers/baptismal candidates:  
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- c. For systematic Bible teaching for all believers to grow and mature:  
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- d. For “hands on” service projects:  
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- e. For building relationships with the unchurched and non-religious:  
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- f. Other:  
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4. In which of the following areas do you think it would be helpful to have additional resources, or seminars/training from the District Office?

*Please select one category, or as many categories as you would be interested in:*

- a. Sunday School or Small Groups
- b. Training new believers or Baptismal Candidates
- c. Systematic Bible teaching for all believers
- d. Opportunities for “hands on” service projects
- e. Building relationships with the unchurched and non-religious

5. Please use the space below to tell us about Discipleship Materials or Discipleship Ministry resources that have been helpful to your ministry (either now or in the past). If possible, please direct us to a website, or to where we could obtain more information about this resource.

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Do you, or anyone in your church, have expertise or experience in offering Discipleship Materials or Ministries to the local church? Please share with us about your expertise or experience:

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6. Is there anything else you would like to share with the Discipleship Ministries Team that we might find helpful in our ministry to the District congregations?

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**THANK YOU FOR YOUR INPUT!**

Person completing Survey: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Church: \_\_\_\_\_

Best Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_