

What is a CWC Coaching Circle?

A Coaching Circle is a small group of people who come together weekly to disciple and be disciples. Everyone is uniquely called and being equipped to also disciple new and committed Christians to follow Christ as they re-enter society. All participants in a CWC Coaching Circle also need Jesus to continuously transform them, changing their lives from the inside out.

What does a CWC Coaching Circle do?

1. Uses the Bible, the Word of God, as the 'discussion guide'.
2. Meets weekly for one-hour.
3. Consists of one Re-entry Discipleship Coach and two to three Re-entry Disciples.
4. Each member listens more than speaks, treating all other members with the utmost respect

TIME TOGETHER

- 10 minutes Fellowship
- 30 minutes Guidance
- 15 minutes Training
- 5 minutes Prayer

INTIMACY : Everything in life is either drawing us nearer to our Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit or pushing us away. We were made for healthy, abundant, intimacy with each person of the Trinity.

WAR: On the playing field of life we have three enemies actively working against our faith - sin, the world, and Satan. All three strategically work to separate us from the love and faithfulness of God. In wisdom we learn about our enemies so that we can succeed in the fight.

FAITHFULNESS: Our secret weapon is the promised faithfulness of God our Father in all things. As He confidently leads us, we learn how to follow by faith, just as the men and women of Scripture teach us to.

MISSION

Advancing God's Kingdom through Seamless Re-entry Discipleship



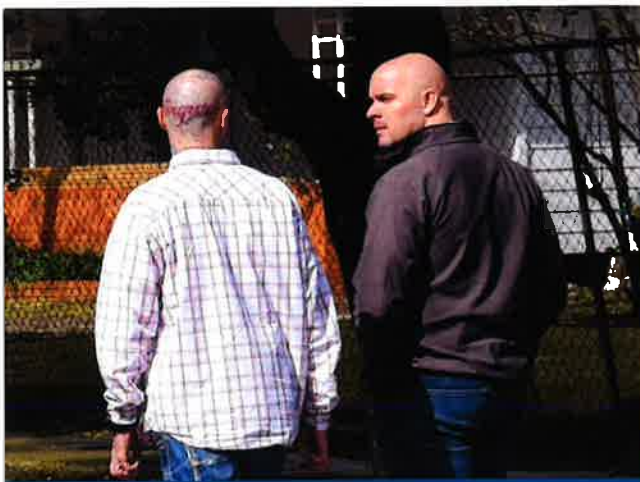
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COACHING CIRCLES

*As iron sharpens iron,
so one sharpens another.*

Proverbs 27:17



The Power of Coaching Circles

Power as a Group

From the start, God said it is not good to be alone.

Ecclesiastes 4:9-12

Power in Help

We need other people to help us live the way Jesus Christ wants us to live.

We need to help other people do that too.

1 Timothy 5:19

Power in Secret

Tell your sins to others in your group. Members will not tell other people or share with others what you have done, but rather will help you to live a life like Jesus Christ.

Matthew 18:15-17

Power in Ease

Coaching Circle members may meet anywhere and anytime.

Matthew 18:20

Weekly Coaching Circle Accountability Questions

How have you shown the greatness of Jesus Christ in both word and deed?

How have you honored or dishonored Father God with the use of your money and possessions?

What are your thoughts and/or feelings about something someone else has that you do not have?

In what ways have you been helpful and kind to others?

In what ways may you have spoken badly about or to someone else?

Have you done anything that brought on remorse, guilt, or shame?

What or who has made you angry or kept you angry?

What have you wished would happen badly for someone else?

In what ways might you have thought about sex or looked at materials of that nature?

What does your devotional time, your conversations with Father God look like?

SIX INTERCONNECTED AREAS OF NEED VITAL TO LIFE IN RE-ENTRY

Coaching Circles help returning citizens fully realize and experience the heartfelt vision CrossWalk Center has for each one of them and that is:

SPIRITUAL NEEDS

include a church home, fellowship, Bible study, and learning how to live in obedience to God. Spiritual strength helps returning citizens resist the temptation to sin and return to crime.

ENVIRONMENTAL NEEDS

include housing, transportation, and a living wage. Learning to pay bills and live on a budget is essential.

INTELLECTUAL NEEDS

include schooling, vocational training, and practical skills for daily living. Knowledge enables a person to build a better life.

EMOTIONAL NEEDS

may be intense for returning citizens. They need a great deal of support to overcome the distrust, anger, isolation, and stigma of incarceration.

SOCIAL NEEDS

are all about having healthy relationships with family and friends. Returning citizens need pro-social relationships as part of their support system.

PHYSICAL NEEDS

include proper medical, mental health care, and treatment for addictions. The returning citizen also needs exposure to proper nutrition.

