

Building Visionary Teams

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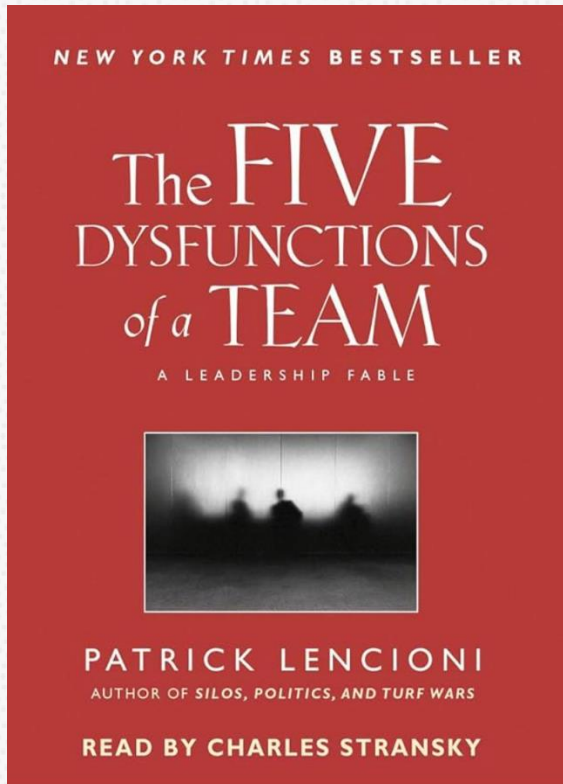


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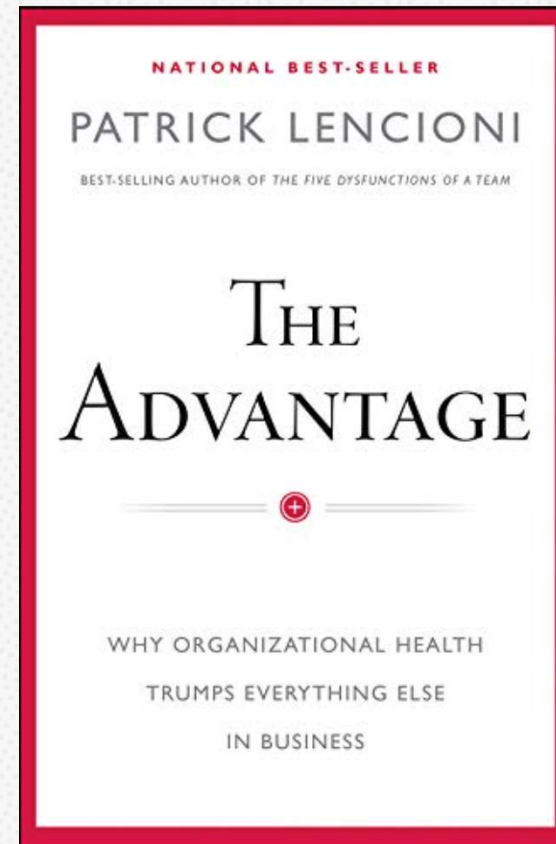
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Matthew 28:18-20

[18] And Jesus came and said to them, “All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. [19] Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, [20] teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, to the end of the age.” (ESV)

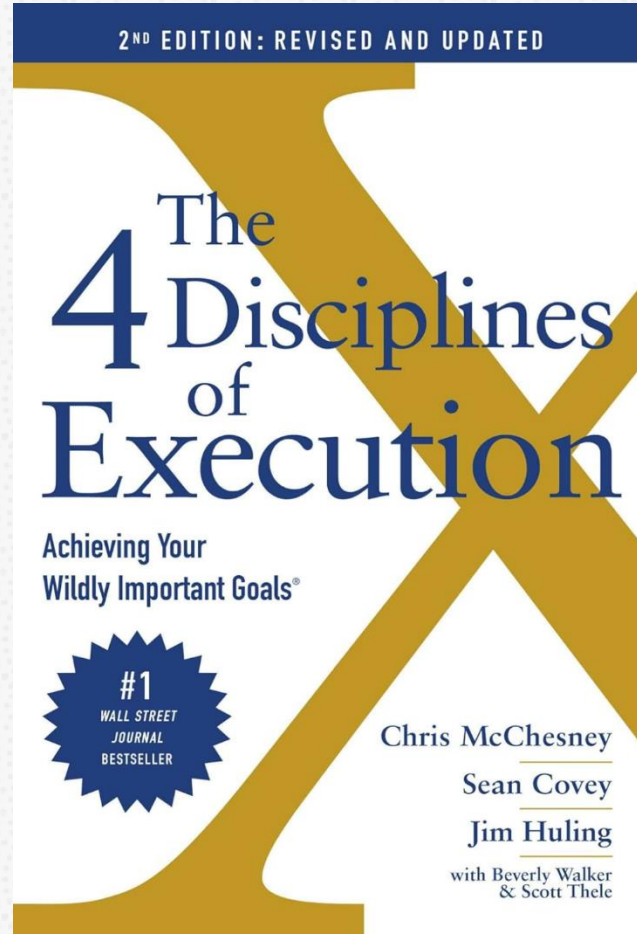


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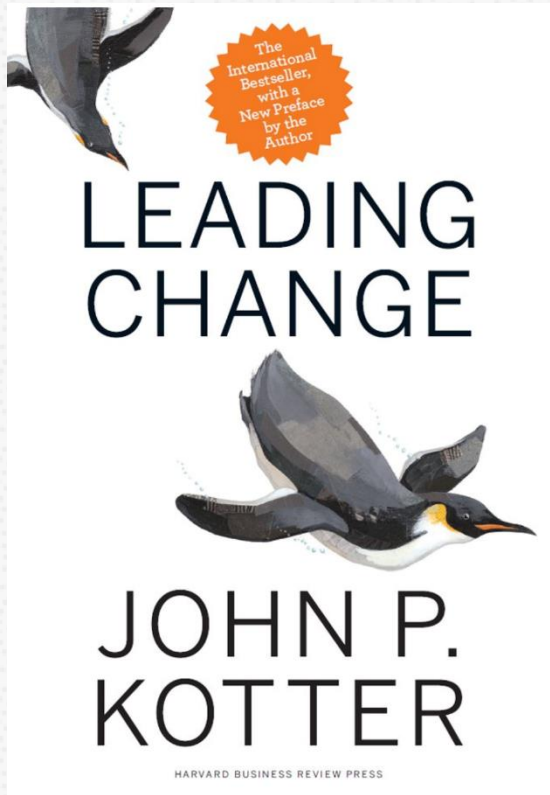


Three Essential Characteristics of a Visionary Team

1. Having A Clear Problem to Solve
2. Envisioning a New Future
3. Identifying and Executing a Shared Path Forward



1. Visionary Teams Have a Clear Problem to Solve



“Identify potential threats and opportunities to highlight the need for change.”



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Matthew 9:37-38 and Luke 10:2

“The harvest is plentiful, but the workers are few. Ask the Lord of the harvest, therefore, to send out workers into his harvest field.”



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What are some ways you can identify the missional challenges and opportunities within your church and community?



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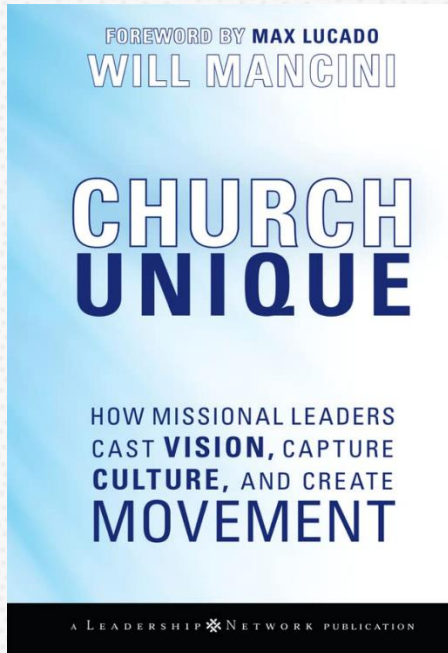
4 Steps To Identify Missional Challenges and Opportunities

1. Pray for God's Guidance
2. Survey Your People
3. Interview Stakeholders
4. Collaborate for Clarity



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Recommended Resources



Door Creek Church - Spiritual Health Assessment

This brief and anonymous questionnaire is designed to help us know more about the people who call Door Creek Church home. There are demographic and spiritual health questions organized around our eight discipleship values, and a few short answer questions. The more clearly we understand where we are as a church family in our faith, the better we can think through meaningful ministries and fitting next steps to help us grow as disciples of Jesus Christ.

1. Primary Campus

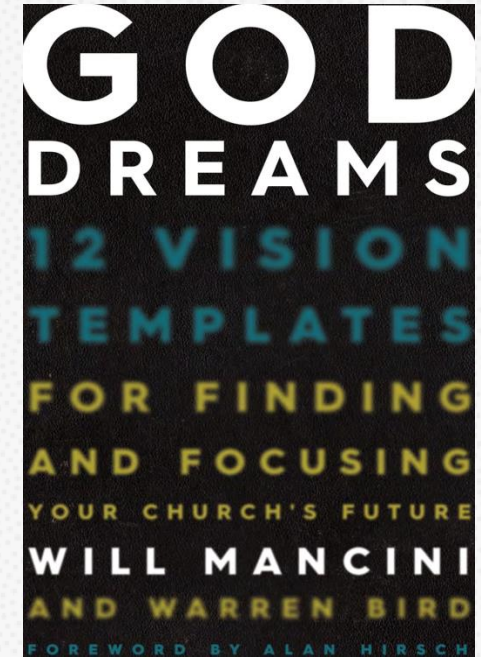
- Sprecher Road Campus
- DeForest Campus
- Northside Madison Campus

2. I am a...

- Member
- Regular attender
- Occasional attender
- Guest

3. How long have you attended?

- Less than 1 year
- 1-5 years
- 6-14 years
- 15+ years



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2. Visionary Teams Envision a New Future

The Problem to Be Solved

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Brainstorm a New Future

What are the characteristics of a small group that is living out the Gospel in Word and deed, being a loving community that provides a safe place for believers to be real and unbelievers to belong on their journey to belief.



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4 Steps to Envision a New Future

1. Pray
2. Review your mission, values, and strategy
3. Identify the characteristics of success and narrow to 4-6.
4. Add demonstrated by statements.



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5 Steps to Creating a Shared Pathway Forward

1. Clarify where you are
2. Clarify your envisioned new future
3. Set a realistic timeline for change
4. Brainstorm and refine steps for change
5. Use a guide to review progress



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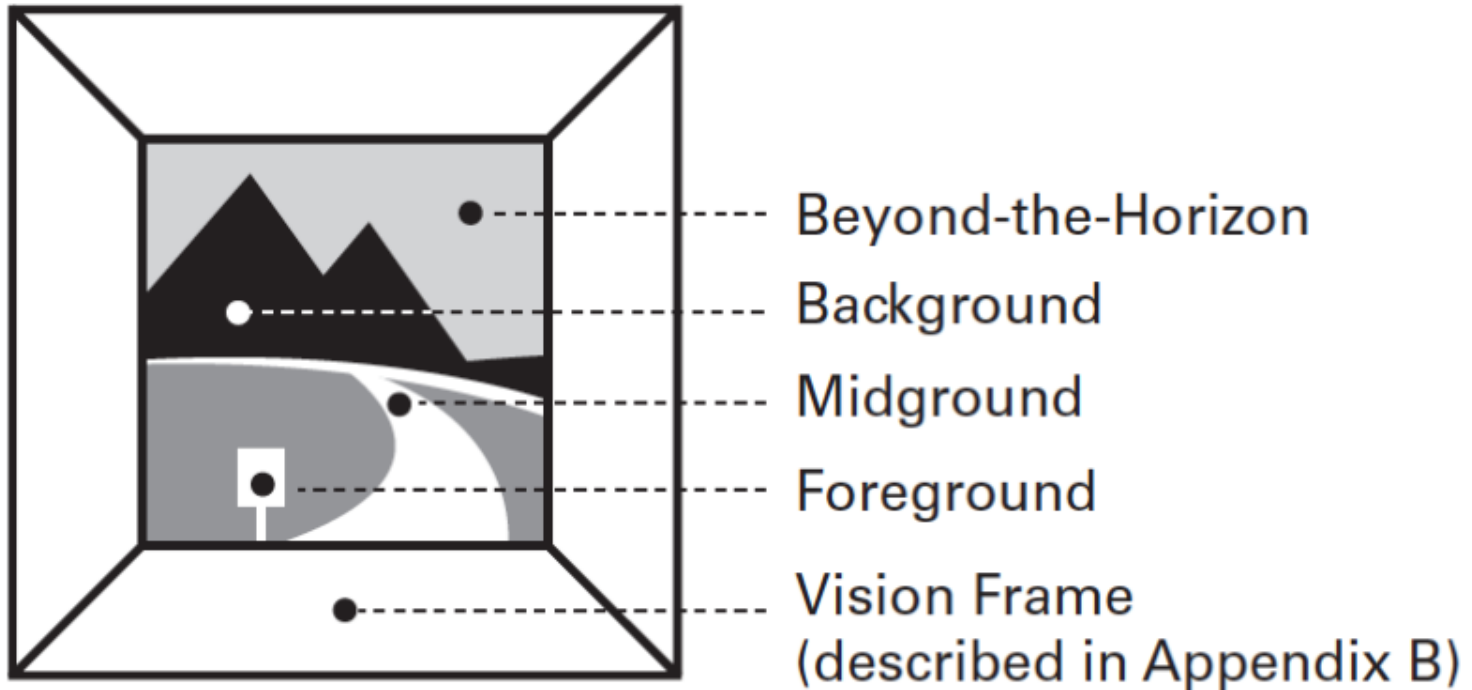


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Vision as Future Picture



Develop a Mechanism By Which You can Guide and Review Progress

1 YEAR HORIZON VISION

Beyond the Horizon Vision - 1 Year			
	Background Vision – 6 Month Goals		
Midground Vision – 90 Day Goal			
	Foreground Vision – 30 Day Goals		

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