#### WHAT YOU'LL LEARN:

How to be truly present to yourself, others, and God

How the love of Jesus Christ is actually the key to integrated discipleship

How to *listen* to the Holy Spirit and *discern* what God is saying and doing in the everyday situations of your life

How to become more responsive to the good news of Jesus in your life

How to proclaim good news to others in evangelism and discipleship

How to train others in reproducible tools for discipleship and mission

How to develop disciples into leaders who multiply themselves

#### THE OUTCOME IS PEOPLE WHO ARE:

At home in the love of God

Empowered on the **missional frontier** 

Able to **discern and proclaim the gospel** of the kingdom of God in every situation.

#### **ONLINE FOLLOW UP:**

The one day Bootcamps will be followed by online learning labs for Q&A around specific topics. This will help you to hear from others who are putting what you are learning into practice.

#### WE DONT WANT ANYONE TO MISS OUT!

#### Cost ...

\$50 is the cost of each Bootcamp. All fees will be considered non-refundable, but fully transferable. We encourage you to be creative in providing funds for a number of individuals to come from your church.

Limited scholarships available—contact Teresa Hellstrom or Paula Wilson for more information

Registration for Bootcamps 3 & 4 will begin Aug. 9th. To register ... go to https://orwacog.org/events/gravity-leadership-boot-camp/ Registrations are due a week in advance of the bootcamp attending.

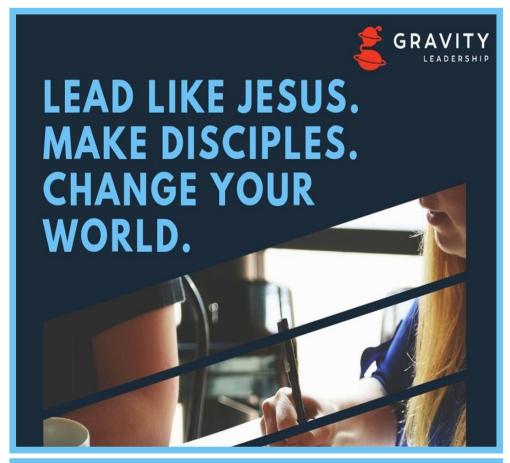
#### For questions ...

Contact Teresa Hellstrom, 209-499-9991 or Paula Wilson 559-269-9126

Video of Discipleship Dialogue with Ben Hardman ... https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=t7pGbSM5xag

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# **Discipleship Boot Camp**



Boot Camp 1: Paradigms—Nov. 9, 2019 Completed Boot Camp 2: Posture—Feb.29, 2020 Completed Boot Camp 3: Practices—Oct. 2, 2021 Boot Camp 4: Presence—Jan. 29, 2022

## Cost: \$50 Each Speaker: Ben Hardman @ Hoodview Church of God—Woodburn, OR



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#### A SPECIAL NOTE FROM OUR SPEAKER, BEN HARDMAN

It's been encouraging to see so many like-minded Christian pastors and leaders who realize we need a new imagination and concrete practices for leading like Jesus, living on mission, and making disciples in the 21st century. One of the things we hear often is that there is a need to train not just pastors but people in the pews—to train not just leaders, but everyday Christians who are trying to discern how to lead small groups, lead their families well, and simply live on mission in their everyday life.

We hope you will join us in Woodburn. Don't wait ... submit your registration today! Invite a friend or bring a team from your church. Let's see what God will do when we open space for learning, encouragement, and collaboration.

#### SPEAKER: BEN HARDMAN Gravity Leadership



Ben's vision is to awaken God's people, equip God's family, and unleash God's mission in the life of everyday leaders through mission and discipleship.

Ben was a team leader on the staff at Southeast Christian Church in Louisville, Kentucky, before becoming one of the founding pastors of The Avenue, a church plant on the campus of the University of Louisville.

Ben is a graduate of Anderson University with a degree in Bible & Christian ministries. He is currently the pastor of Grace Marietta in Atlanta, Georgia. He is a huge Ohio State Buckeye fan and a former high school basketball coach. Ben lives in Georgia with his wife Sarah, and kids Cole, Caden, and Claire.

### **Schedule for Boot Camps:**

9am Registration

9:30am Welcome & Worship

10am Session 1

11am Groups/Exercises/

Discussion

12:30pm Lunch Provided

1:30pm Session 2 + Ministry

Time

4pm Go Home

#### JOIN US... as we explore the 4 P's of Discipleship

Dive with us into a deeper understanding, not only of how to lead like Jesus and make disciples, but also discover the building blocks to create a culture built on disciple making. Learn the process of making disciples who make disciples through teaching, training, group exercises and future planning,

#### Boot Camp 1: Paradigms (Nov. 9, 2019) Completed

The paradigms we train in are the foundation of how we build our discipleship culture. The 7 missional truths are the foundation we build on. We've tried to reduce a lot of theology into these simple ideas because we need "hooks" like these to help us keep this reality in mind as we practice discipleship and mission. We need a way to keep these foundational truths present in our minds and bodies, because if we don't, the discipleship tools won't work as designed. In fact, unless we are running this "operating system" of missional theology, the tools may actually do counterproductive work in your culture!

#### Boot Camp 2: Posture (Feb.29, 2020) - Completed

No discipleship process will work unless we learn to actually lead like Jesus. Discipleship is not simply knowledge and behavior, but it is learning to live the life Jesus would live if He were you. We will discuss not only how we lead, but how we lead in the way of Jesus. Most of our time will be spent discussing how Jesus embodied grace and truth and how He modeled this for us. We will also discuss power and how we yield power in the kingdom of God.

#### Boot Camp 3: Practices (Oct 2, 2021)

We should not believe that discipleship is done without practice. Learning to make disciples, who make disciples, takes practice. We will teach the kingdom wheel and practice the process of discerning where God is at work and joining Him there. Most churches have created a healthy "teaching" culture, but we want to discuss how we become a "training" culture. Are we simply gathering people or are we equipping and sending them out?

#### Boot Camp 4: Presence (Jan. 29, 2022)

None of our discipleship training works without the ongoing presence of God in our lives. We will take a deep dive into what it looks like for us to learn to walk in God's presence daily. We will practice listening to him, discerning where he is at work, and we will work together to create cultures where we are encountering the living God weekly.