

Plus meet some of our "Engage" partners

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Dear Dianne,

Steve Stroope wows me every time I listen to him. I've heard an earlier version of his 12/5 Implementation Lab presentation, and you don't want to miss it. —

Dr. Warren Bird

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Need a Fresh Approach to Church Finances? Our Next Implementation Lab Session Can Help!

by *Todd Rhoades*

Would you like to learn how your church can use what God has given you in a more efficient way? **Join Leadership Network's Implementation Lab** featuring Steve Stroope on December 5, 2017 at 1pm Eastern for a discussion on *Going Farther with More: A Fresh Approach to Church Finances*. During this Lab session, Pastor Stroope from LakePointe Church will give you a fresh look at your church's finances and share tangible ways to efficiently use money to reach more people.

Also be sure to join us live for “office hours” the following week, on December 12 at 1pm. During this time Dr. Warren Bird will take your questions on that month’s topic and you’ll be able to really drill down, along with other lab members, into the topic of the month. Ask your questions... give some input... bounce off ideas. Our monthly office hours will be a great asset in moving your implementation plan forward.



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Meet Our ENGAGE! Partners; Emmanuel Church and Others

Our ENGAGE! partners are churches that have decided to join us in our mission: to foster innovation movements that activate THE CHURCH to greater impact for the Glory of God’s name. Because they have found tremendous benefit in our service to them, these churches are helping us to serve others with programs designed to inspire, share innovations, increase effectiveness, and grow the Kingdom.

In this series we will highlight our churches that help make the work we do possible. These generous partner churches are vitally involved in the



New Pastors Show Disproportionate Vision to Plant and Launch

by Dave Travis

Which pastors are more likely to have visions for planting new churches or new sites?

In an upcoming major research report from Leadership Network and Portable Church Industries, we found that pastors in their first 5 years at a church are 2.3 times more likely to have a vision to plant a new church or launch a new site than those who have been at the same church for more than 10 years.

purpose and mission of Leadership Network. They believe in the work we do and their partnership helps to support our work for the Kingdom. As ENGAGE! partners, they benefit by receiving admission to our programs, access to Leadership Network's team of leaders including CEO Dave Travis, and other opportunities including reports, assessments and personalized coaching programs.

First our caveats – Leadership Network's research is not a sample of all churches. We focus on growing, thriving churches as opposed to a random-sample group of "typical" churches.



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