

Handling Issues in my Small Group

Question: What do I do if someone will not participate?

Answer: Meet with the person individually

- Do they understand why? (Expectations)
- Do they understand how? (Never done this before)
- Do they understand what? (Fear/Not talked/Prayed in front of others)
- Do they understand priority? (Discipleship)

Don't assume, but ask questions.

Question: What do I do when a person is hurting others in the group? (Offend/Insensitive comments)

Answer: Matthew 18:15-20

- Meet with them personally
 - If they do not hear you, take another person with you (from group)
 - Pray they will own it/repent/make it right
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Question: How do I deal with different personalities?

Answer:

- Dominator
- Topper
- Comedian
- Emotionally needy

Confront (Carefrontation)

- Pray (they will hear you)
 - Personal (Do you mind sharing an observation/do you think it's true?)
 - Progress (celebrate when you see them applying)
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Question: How to handle controversial topics

Answer: Interesting topic/But not what we are focused on right now/Can discuss with you later

