

GCN CLUSTER CURRICULUM

1. January – Leadership

Book: The 21 Irrefutable Laws of Leadership by John Maxwell
Handouts: Christian Leadership in the 21st Century
Essentials of Leadership
What Leaders Do

2. February – Leadership

Book: Deep Change
Handouts: Same as January

3. March – Healthy Congregations

Book: Either Hit the Bullseye (If read) or The Very Large Church, Schaller
Handout: Revisiting the Concept of Life Cycles

4. April – Healthy Congregations

Book: Shaped by the Heart of God, Milfred Minatrea
Handouts: Finish Revisiting the Concept of Life Cycles
Shaped by the Heart of God – A Report on the book by Paul Borden

5. May – Healthy Congregations

Book: The Externally Focused Congregation by Swanson
Handouts: Evangelism: Making it a Congregational Value
Reaching our Four Mission Fields

6. June – Healthy Congregations

Book: Can We Do That? By Stanley and Young
Handouts: Finish Handouts from Last Month

7. July – Healthy Congregations

Book: John Kaiser's New Book on Structure
Handout: Organizing Judicatories/Congregations for Mission

8. August – Healthy Congregations

Book: Transitioning by Dan Southerland
Handout: Leading Congregational Change

9. September – Healthy Congregations

Book: How to Change Your Church by Nelson and Appel
Handout: Preaching and Leading Change I and II

10. October – Healthy Congregations

Book: Church That Works by Gary McIntosh
Handout: Basic Prescription for a Staff Led Church

11. November – Leadership

Book: Execution by Bossidy and Charan
Handout: Execution Report by Paul Borden

12. December – Leadership

Book: Good to Great by Collins
Handout: Leadership 2000
Potpourri on Leadership