

What is a Life Group Leader?

Purpose:

The priority for Life Group Leaders is to promote authentic, biblical community. Life Group Leaders should be motivated to see their members fully integrated and to continuously promote the process of their own spiritual growth as well as their members' through discipleship. Life Group Leaders are responsible for providing their groups with vision, direction and support. They primarily serve as spiritual leaders by facilitating and monitoring their groups.

Qualifications:

1. *Connected.* They have partnered with The Waters Church through membership.
2. *Culture.* They embrace The Waters Church vision, mission and core values.
3. *Character.* They are known for their integrity by those who know them best.
4. *Chemistry.* They have interviewed with the Life Group Director and have successfully completed The Waters Church Vetting Process for Leadership.
5. *Competence.* They have previously participated in a life group to some degree.

Priorities:

1. Surrender to the continual process of sanctification in our relationship with God and the expression of that love with each other.
2. Adhere to the *Values of a Spiritual Leader** by leading and facilitating the group and monitoring its health.
3. Guide decisions relating to The Waters Church Life Groups' strategy, vision and values within the group.
4. Meet with the Life Group Director for one-on-one discussion, as well as regular leadership training and accountability.
5. Encourage a Hebrews 10:24-25 mindset: "Let us consider how to inspire each other to greater love and to righteous deeds, not forgetting to gather as a community, as some have forgotten, but encouraging each other, especially as the day of His return approaches."

It is the belief of The Waters Church, the Life Group Director and this ministry that maturing believers are people that are growing in community with other believers, spending time together, encouraging one another and supporting each other. If this is ministry that you believe the Lord has called you to, or you would like to meet with the Life Group Director to discuss whether or not you are called to leadership in this ministry, then please contact Rebecca Ellington at rellington@iamthewaters.com.

**Values of a Spiritual Leader*, are given to all Life Group Leaders upon completing our vetting process for leadership.