

Transforming Discipleship

Questions for Chapter 4

1. What importance to you attach to Jesus's selection of disciples? What role did Pentecost play in shaping the leadership of the church in Acts?

2. What do you think of table 4.1? Is this how Jesus formed his disciples in your estimation?

3. If people don't care how much you know until they know how much you care, how does that translate to discipleship in the life of Northview?

4. How do we facilitate mental train wrecks and help disciples live with conundrums? When and how do we help people resolve the tensions?

5. What would be an equivalent of a short-term mission at Northview? How would we know when people are ready to move to this sort of challenge?

6. If we do invest in our leaders so they are equipped to be without us, then what? To what end are we equipping them?

7. "Every person may doubt that God is good, but my personal suspicions about the ways God may fail me will show themselves in the areas of my greatest vulnerability" (77-78). How does this insight help us to understand our patterns of sin?
