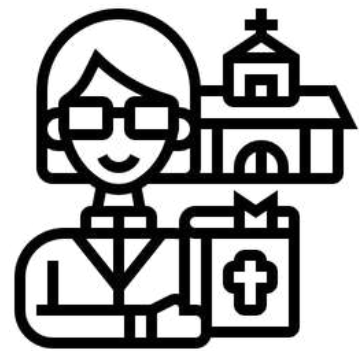




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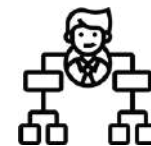


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OVERVIEW

1. What are the top 3 pressing issues for pastors?
2. Why approach pressing issues from a "biblically faithful, globally consistent, and locally contextualized" perspective?
3. How can pastors apply tools to address pressing issues?
4. What if you applied this teaching and used these tools?
5. Breakout Discussion for Established Stewards (5+ years experience) and Emerging Stewards (0-5 years experience)
6. Q & A
7. Wrap up

WHAT?

What are the top 3 pressing issues for pastors and what does the Bible say about these issues?



Gary Hoag
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PRESSING ISSUE #1

Personal and Spiritual Health and Professional Development

Lessons from David and others (Soak in the Psalms)

Psalms is the most quoted book of the OT by Jesus (24x)

1. Praise (Psalm 19)
2. Hymns (Psalm 98)
3. Lament (Psalm 88)
4. Imprecatory (Psalm 69)
5. Thanksgiving (Psalm 107)
6. Remembrance (Psalm 136)
7. Wisdom (Psalm 119)
8. Royal (Psalm 21)

PRESSING ISSUE #2

Building Ministry Teams

Consider the culture first (Paul, Peter, and John)

- Study the "Grace and Peace" culture of the early church
- G.R.A.B. – "Gracious, Relevant, Authentic, and Biblical" (FEFCF)

Help people identify their giftedness (Paul and Peter)

- Offer a Spiritual Gifts Inventory (1 Cor. 12, Rom. 12, Eph. 4, 1 Pet. 4)

Pray and take 4 intentional steps to grow people (Luke)

- Jesus prayed and formed his team of 12 in 4 steps: (1) I do, you watch. (2) I do, you help. (3) You do, I help. (4) You do, I watch.

PRESSING ISSUE #3

Financial Insecurity and Increasing Giving

7 NT shifts to help followers of Christ grow in the grace of giving

1. Law to Love (John 3:16; 1 Cor 13:3).
2. Merit to Mercy (Lk 6:27-36; Tit. 3:4-8).
3. Favoritism to Fairness (Mt. 22:34-40; 2 Cor. 8:13-15; James 2:1-11).
4. Percentage to Proportion (Acts 11:29; 2 Cor 8:2-3).
5. Surplus to Sacrifice (Luke 21:1-4; 2 Cor 8:12).
6. Obligation to Opportunity (Luke 10:25-37; Gal. 6:10).
7. Earthly to Eternal (Gal. 6:9; Col 3:2).

WHY?

Why approach pressing issues from a biblically faithful, globally consistent, and locally contextualized perspective?



Julieta Murillo

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BIBLICALLY FAITHFUL (STEWARDS)

If we take a "biblically faithful" approach to these pressing issues, we will experience many benefits. Pastors will...

1. Stay centered despite the ups and downs of ministry like David
2. Keep focus on God and maintain a posture of service and love
3. Create a ministry culture of "grace and peace"
4. Pray for God to raise up workers and intentionally grow them
5. Teach people to discern spiritual gifts and deploy themselves
6. Grow in gracious and proportionate giving rooted in love

GLOBALLY CONSISTENT (STANDARDS)

If we take a "globally consistent" approach to these pressing issues, we will experience many benefits. Pastors will...

1. Set an example for others to be people after God's own heart
2. Form ministry cultures of integrity
3. Follow standards in ministry administration and governance
4. Celebrate sacrificial giving that makes the most of opportunities
5. Reflect biblical and Christian rather than cultural generosity
6. Grow disciples who live for eternal rather than earthly purposes

LOCALLY CONTEXTUALIZED (SUSTAINABILITY)

If we take a "locally contextualized" approach to these pressing issues, we will experience many benefits. Pastors will...

1. Model the local relevance of soaking in God's Word
2. Demonstrate a distinctly biblical culture in a cultural setting
3. Help churches scale with prayer and putting people to work
4. Mobilize gifted people for their God-designed service
5. Encourage local giving based on biblical motivations
6. Release resources from God's people for kingdom work

HOW?

**How can pastors
apply practical tools
to address these
pressing issues?**



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DIAGNOSTIC TOOL

Do the GTP Diagnostic Tool

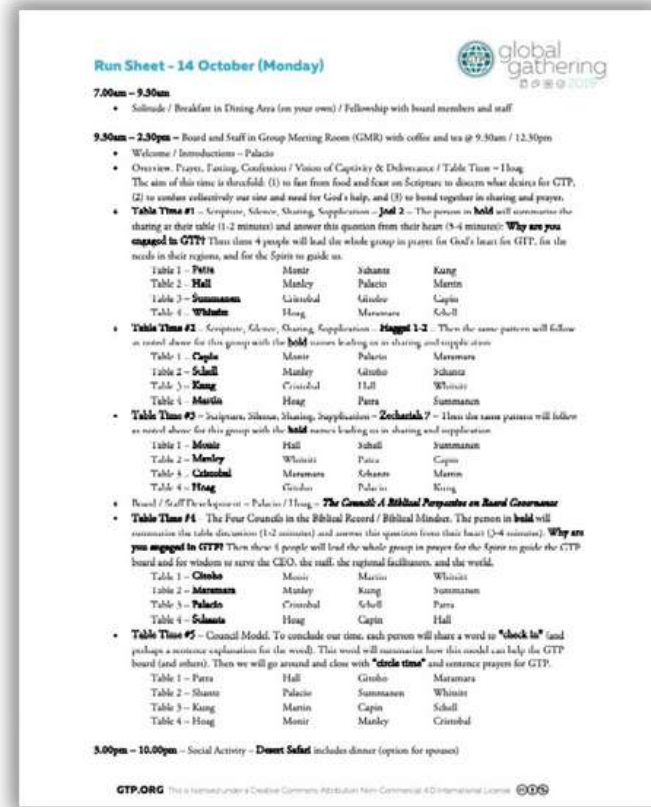
1. Answer 36 questions
2. Get your diagnostic report
3. Download free GTP templates
4. Put your house in order

www.gtp.org/resources/diagnostic-tool

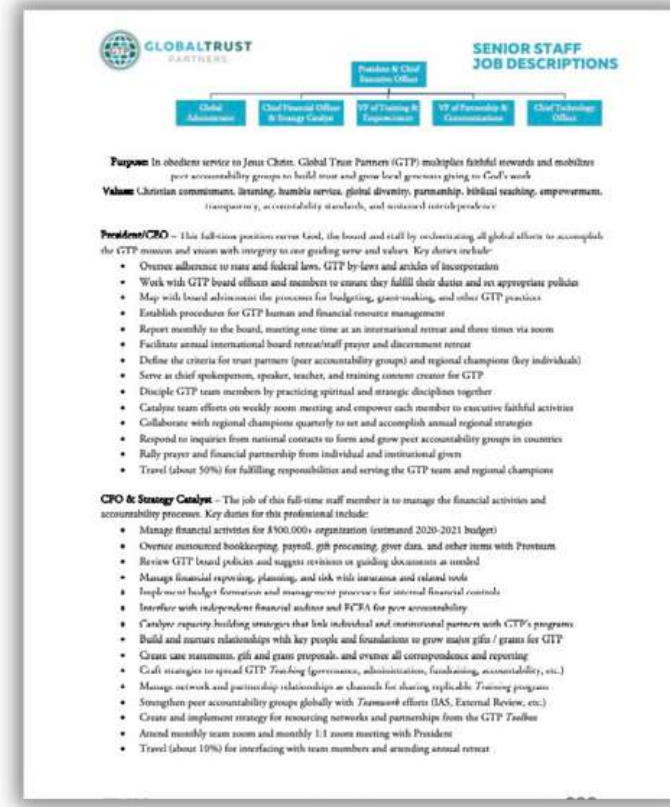
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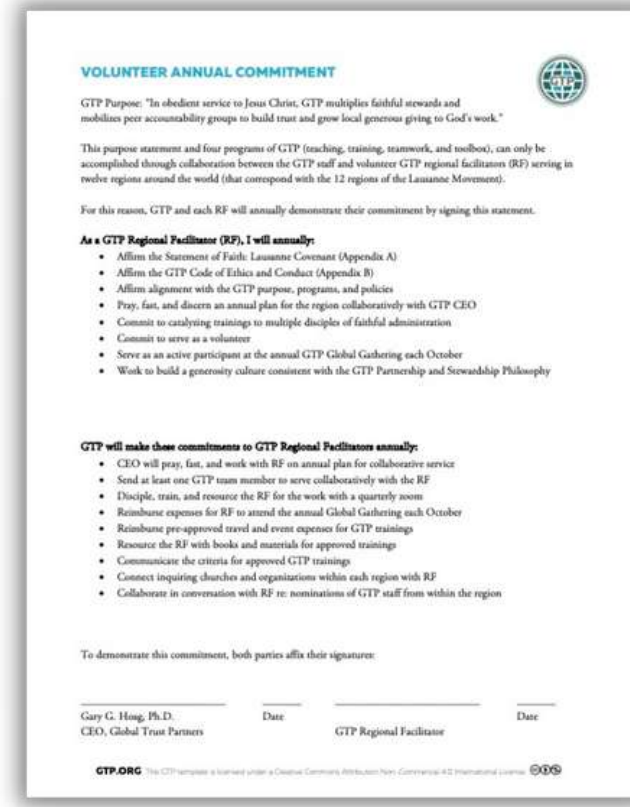
FEATURED TEMPLATES



Annual Meeting Run Sheets



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Volunteer Annual Commitment

Staff Guide



WHAT IF?

**What if you applied
this teaching and
used these tools?**



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BREAKOUT DISCUSSION

Established Stewards (5+ years experience)

Share an example that illustrates a point of today's webinar.

Emerging Stewards (0-5 years experience)

Share one biblical insight or practical idea you gained from this webinar.

Q & A



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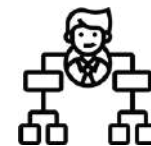


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