



ANTIOCH

What // A four day retreat for pastoral teams in Sovereign Grace focused on equipping churches at the intersection of ecclesiology and missiology to be sending churches.

Who // Antioch is for any Sovereign Grace pastoral team desiring to grow significantly in the area of church planting and mission, especially for any team feeling “stuck” in this area without a way clear forward. We highly recommend at least two members of the pastoral team attend together.

Where // Hosted by the Church Planting Group on the Sovereign Grace Campus in Louisville, KY March 20-23. Co-hosted by the Sovereign Grace Pastors College.

Why // We want to see SGC be a family of churches intentionally, effectively, sacrificially, and consistently pursuing church planting and mission work. We believe every church regardless of its size, location, and resources can participate in this work. Our prayer is to see our churches more and more becoming Antioch churches in the model of Acts 11-13.

"The Antioch Project has really served to shape my understanding of the role of church planting in the advancement of the gospel. Working through the material from Antioch discussions has helped our Pastoral Team plan for effective ways to lead our church in becoming a church-planting church. As a result, we are already seeing fruit in the culture of Greentree Church and an enthusiasm to see churches planted for the glory of God!"

- *Dan Mcmanus, Greentree Church in Egg Harbor Township, NJ*

Leadership // Antioch will be led by the Sovereign Grace Church Planting Group and have sessions led by Mike Seaver, Andy Farmer, Greg Dirnberger, Jeremy Oddy, and Ricky Alcantar.

Cost // The Church Planting Group will provide content, instructors, and meals. Our hope is to have the local church pay for transportation and lodging and the region cover coaching fees. Scholarships available.

Follow-Up Support// The retreat will be followed by coaching from a trained church planting coach in Sovereign Grace to help teams discern how to implement biblical principles in their unique context.

Questions // Contact program coordinator Ricky Alcantar ricky@crossofgrace.net or the Church Plant Group assistant Melissa Goins melissa.goins@sovereigngrace.com