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*“God has given each of you a gift from His great variety of spiritual gifts. Use them well to serve one another.”*

1 PETER 4:10 (NLT)

Leadership is influence. Nothing more. Nothing less. It is about influencing others in a worthwhile cause. It is not dependent on titles or positions. It is dependent on people discovering their gifts and passions and then using them to make a difference in the lives of others.

## What stands in the way?

*“But Moses said to God, ‘Who am I, that I should go to Pharaoh and bring the Israelites out of Egypt?’ And God said, ‘I will be with you. And this will be the sign to you that it is I who have sent you: When you have brought the people out of Egypt, you will worship God on this mountain.’”*

EXODUS 3:11–12

1. “Who am I?” \_\_\_\_\_
2. “What if they?” \_\_\_\_\_
3. “I have never.” \_\_\_\_\_
4. “Use someone else.” \_\_\_\_\_

*“But you are a **chosen** generation, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, His own special people, that **you may proclaim** the praises of Him who called you out of darkness into His marvellous light.”*

1 PETER 2:9 (NKJV)

## Qualities of a Leader

*“It pleased Darius to appoint 120 satraps to rule throughout the kingdom, with three administrators over them, one of whom was Daniel. The satraps were made accountable to them so that the king might not suffer loss. Now Daniel so **distinguished himself** among the administrators and the satraps by his **exceptional qualities** that the king planned to set him over the whole kingdom.”*

DANIEL 6:1-3

1. We \_\_\_\_\_

*“When they saw the courage of Peter and John and realized that they were unschooled, ordinary men, they were astonished and **they took note that these men had been with Jesus.**”*

ACTS 4:13

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2. We \_\_\_\_\_

*“Jesus called them together and said, ‘You know that those who are regarded as rulers of the Gentiles lord it over them, and their high officials exercise authority over them. **Not so with you.** Instead, whoever wants to become great among you must be your **servant**, and whoever wants to be first must be slave of all. For even the Son of Man did not come to be served, **but to serve**, and to give His life as a ransom for many.’”*

MARK 10:42-45

- Be a \_\_\_\_\_

- Be a \_\_\_\_\_

- Be \_\_\_\_\_

3. We pursue \_\_\_\_\_

*“People were overwhelmed with amazement. ‘**He has done everything well,**’ they said.”*

MARK 7:37

- Do \_\_\_\_\_

- Do them \_\_\_\_\_

- Do \_\_\_\_\_

4. We choose \_\_\_\_\_

*“...**sorrowful**, yet always **rejoicing**; poor, yet making many rich; having nothing, and yet possessing everything.”*

2 CORINTHIANS 6:10

• Be \_\_\_\_\_

• Be \_\_\_\_\_

• Be \_\_\_\_\_

# Next Steps

## 1. **Attend stepFOUR of the Growth Track**

In Step Two of the Growth Track, you discovered your unique design. Using the results of the personality and gifts assessments, choose a serve area that best fits your passion and gifting. In Step Four of the Growth Track, you will have the opportunity to attend an orientation session in the ministry area of your choice to learn how to get involved. For a comprehensive list of teams, see Appendix.

## 2. **Complete a Dream Team application**

At Step Four, complete the Dream Team application and submit it to a ministry leader during your orientation session.

We ask every person serving at CFC to agree to the Leadership Honour Code and other church policies.

## 3. **Connect with a Dream Team leader**

Participate in a one-on-one conversation with one of our team members at your orientation session to make a personal connection to the team.

## 4. **Serve others**

Get trained and equipped to fulfil your purpose by serving on the Dream Team!

# Leadership

## Honour Code

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As an essential part of the Christian Family Church International Leadership family, you have a responsibility to develop and exhibit mature Christian behaviour. This should be the basic premise of your desire to participate in a servant-leader position here at Christian Family Church International.

While serving the Body of Christ as a servant-leader at Christian Family Church International, you pledge to present a good appearance at all times. In both attire and behaviour, you should strive to demonstrate Biblical standards in all situations.

As Christians, the way we present ourselves to others is of vital importance to the way others perceive Christ. Our conduct should never be an embarrassment to Christ but should exemplify the best qualities of a mature believer and servant-leader.

Exemplifying the highest moral commitment, Christian Family Church International leaders are to maintain a disciplined life of Bible reading, prayer, and fasting.

You must also refrain from such things as:

- Profanity.
- Smoking or chewing tobacco.
- Gambling.
- Indulging in wine or other alcoholic beverages.
- Dishonest gain.
- Illicit drugs.
- Pornography.
- Sexual immorality:
  - o Fornication is sex before marriage.
  - o Adultery is sex outside of marriage.
- All behaviours which might cause Christ to grieve and others to stumble.

By providing an example in speech and action, we encourage others to grow in Christ and become servant-leaders themselves. This is a way of life measured by the heart and commitment of each leader in the Christian Family Church International family. We should regard it as an essential part of our development, not as an imposition or restriction.

Having read the CFC Leadership Honour Code, I commit today to live by the standards expected of a leader at CFC.

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Signature

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## **Leader Declaration**

Because God has called me to serve my generation, I will value worship over wealth, “we” over “me,” character over comfort, service over status, and God’s purposes over possessions, positions, popularity, and pleasure. To my Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ, I say: However, whenever, wherever, and whatever you ask me to do, my answer in advance is yes! Wherever you lead and whatever the cost, I’m ready anytime, anywhere. I want to be used by You in such a way that on that final day, I’ll hear You say, “Well done, good and faithful servant. Come on in, and let the eternal party begin!”