

Staff Prep:

1. What are we doing here

- what's the mission in 2006 (**presentation**)
- what is God doing with this generation and why
- what do our students expect and what do they need
- why are you here and where's the growth for you

2. Up, In and Out

- **Up**: what does the nature and character of God have to do with our students lives every day, how can we prepare them for this. (**presentation**)
- **In**: Assessment
 - Emotional intelligence and Learning (**presentation**)
 - Assessment: creating context for the course (intelligences, identity and callings)
 - Psychiatry, Physiology vs. counseling. What do we do, what don't we do well
 - Dealing with family (coping with the sum of dysfunction)
 - Father heart – long term discipleship
- **Out**: Life after YWAM and social entrepreneurship.
 - My Space vs. His space.
 - a new kind of mission in the hood.
 - the vocatio concept

3. Customer support. How we support and minister to our staff's short term needs and long term goals. Assessment, support and ministry for the staff

- The meaning of true community (Peck)
 - **Inclusivity**, commitment and consensus: Members accept and embrace each other, celebrating their individuality and transcending their differences. They commit themselves to the effort and the people involved. They make decisions and reconcile their differences through consensus.
 - **Realism**: Members bring together multiple perspectives to better understand the whole context of the situation. Decisions are more well-rounded and humble, rather than one-sided and arrogant.

- **Contemplation:** Members examine themselves. They are individually and collectively self-aware of the world outside themselves, the world inside themselves, and the relationship between the two.
- **A safe place:** Members allow others to share their vulnerability, heal themselves, and express who they truly are.
- **A laboratory for personal disarmament:** Members experientially discover the rules for peacemaking and embrace its virtues. They feel and express compassion and respect for each other as fellow human beings.
- **A group that can fight gracefully:** Members resolve conflicts with wisdom and grace. They listen and understand, respect each others' gifts, accept each others' limitations, celebrate their differences, bind each others' wounds, and commit to a struggle together rather than against each other.
- **A group of all leaders:** Members harness the "flow of leadership" to make decisions and set a course of action. It is the spirit of community itself that leads and not any single individual.
- **A spirit:** The true spirit of community is the spirit of peace, love, wisdom and power. Members may view the source of this spirit as an outgrowth of the collective self or as the manifestation of a Higher Will.