

Information on the Questionnaire

Core Church Mission:

From those on the outside looking in becoming those on the inside looking out.

The aim of the men's ministry in Core Church is to be a resource to the men in Core and to the men in the local community.

The aim of this questionnaire is to get information from the men in Core Church to enable the men's ministry team to get as much information as possible to providing a men's ministry that is worth while.

We want the men's ministry to be a resource rather than a list of events that men in Core have to attend. We want our presence to be a spiritual influence in encouraging men in Core to be the men that God intends us all to be.

Filling in this questionnaire is totally your own choice. If you do decide to fill in the questionnaire feel free to not answer any of the questions that you do not want to answer. The questionnaire is totally confidential. Information will be kept in a closed press and will only be available to those people involved in putting the result of the questionnaire together.

The questionnaire will take about 20 minutes to fill in and an envelope is provided for you to place it in once it is completed. Please leave the completed questionnaire at the welcome desk in Core next time you are in or post it into Core Church for the attention of Richard Jackson.

There is a section on the final page for any women in Core Church that want to say anything about the functioning of a men's ministry in Core Church.

There are 12 questions. In some you tick one box, in others you tick as many boxes that are relevant and in others you are required to write a short sentence or a few lines.

A report on the results will be available on the Core website by January 2008.

Finally during the questionnaire your ideas are asked for. If in giving these you would like to put a name and contact number on the completed questionnaire then go ahead and do so.

**Thank you for taking the time to fill this questionnaire in.
Richard Jackson.**

A Questionnaire to attain information from the men that attend Core Church:

Section 1 Mens events in Core.

Question 1a.

Which of the following social events for men would you attend?

Tick the boxes of events that you would attend

- Barbeque
- Go-carting
- Five-a-side soccer
- Basketball
- Sony play-station night
- Golf day
- Competition night
- Car Treasure hunt
- Hill walk
- Adventure Centre Day

Question 1b.

Do you have any other ideas for social events?

Please write your ideas in the space below. Go on to the next question if you do not have any ideas.

Question 2a.

At what intervals do you think a regular men's meeting should be held.

Tick one box only.

- Monthly
- Two monthly
- Three monthly
- I do not think there should be a regular men's meeting.

Question 2c.

If the men's meeting was held every month how many times a year do you think you would attend.

Tick one box only.

- Never
- Once per year
- Twice per year
- Three times per year
- Six times per year
- More than six times per year

Question 2c.

In the space below write down the evening in the week that suits you best to attend a men's meeting (Monday to Saturday).

Question 3a.

The men's group intend putting occasional spiritual events on in Core. Would you attend any of the following?

Tick the boxes of events that you would be interested in attending?

- Developing manhood as God intended.
- Developing healthy relationships.
- Personal development.
- A known speaker on men's issues.
- Worship exploration.
- Men's prophetic workshop.
- Men's healing workshop.
- Workshops on theology.
- DVD session of key speaker, e.g. John Eldridge, followed by a discussion.
- None of the above.

Question 3b.

Would you be more likely to attend one of these events if it was?

Tick one box only of your first preference.

- One evening only.
- A series of two or three evenings.
- A half-day workshop.
- A short series of half-day workshops.
- A full-day workshop.
- None of the above.

Question 3c.

**Do you have any other ideas for occasional men's events in Core Church?
Please write in the space below.**

Question 4a

Do you have a skill/ministry that you would like to be used as a resource for the men's ministry? This can be spiritual, social, emotional, economic or educational.

Write the skill in the space below.

Question 4b

Do you desire to learn a skill/ministry that you could learn and practice as part of the men's ministry?

Write about the skill/ministry you would like to learn in the space below.

Section 2: involving personal friends in Core.

Question 5a

If the men's group put on an event in a neutral venue that discussed men's issue in general, e.g. health issues, would you attend such an event?

- Yes
- No

Question 5b

Would you bring a friend that was not in Core Church to a neutral educational event such as this?

- Yes
- No
- May be if it met the need of my friend

Question 5c

Would you bring a friend to a social event organised by some men in Core Church?

- Yes
- No
- May be if my friend might enjoy it.

Question 5d

Do you have any ideas for a neutral educational or social event that you would like to bring friends to? These could be small or large group events. Go on to the next question if you do not have any ideas.

Please write in the space below.

Section 3: Involvement in the local community.

Question 6.

As a member of Core church how important do you think it is to be involved in a project within the local community?

Please circle the statement that describes your own thoughts the best.

Not important----If I had the time I would----important----very important---essential.

None of these.

Question 7

**Are you presently involved in any of the following?
Tick as many boxes as are relevant to you.**

- Kidz Club
- Solas after school project.
- Prison ministry.
- Bingo.
- Grandma's Ireland.
- Liberty Saints Rugby Team.
- D.I.Y. projects in the local community.
- Step Up
- I am involved in an international ministry, e.g. Nepal.
- I am not involved in any of the above.

Question 8

**The men's ministry would like to support men in the local community.
Would you be able to help out with any of the following ideas for community
projects with men in the local community? Tick as many boxes relevant to you.**

- A monthly men's games evening (darts, snooker, cards etc.).
- D.I.Y. projects in the community as the need arises.
- A music event in a local men's hostel for the homeless.
- An occasional Fathers and Sons day trip e.g. Fishing.
- An occasional Fathers and Sons sporting event e.g. five-a-side soccer.

Question 9

Do you have a skill that could help men in the local community?

Write down the skill(s) in the space below.

Question 10

**In the space below write down any ideas you have for getting involved with men
in the local community. Go onto the next question if you do not have any ideas.**

Section 4

Question 11

**If the men's ministry in Core was functioning well, what would it be doing?
Write in the space below and continue on the back of this page if necessary.**

Question 13

Is there anything else you would like to add?

Write on the space below. Feel free not to write anything on this question.

Thanks for completing the questionnaire. Leave it in the envelope provided at the welcome desk marked for Richard Jackson next time you are in Core.

This page is for any women in Core Church that have something on their heart to say about the direction of a Men's Ministry in Core Church.

Please write on this page any comments you have.