



## Strengthening the Church Resources Overview

Welcome to Logan Leadership's strengthening the church resources! Here's a helpful overview to help you find what you need and figure out how all the different resources fit together. We've also included a bonus resource to get you started!

Please reach out with any questions you may have at  
<https://loganleadership.com/contact-us/>.



## Releasing Your Church's Potential

Guide your church strategically and intentionally through the growth process. With special attention to the change process, this book provides direction for ministry leaders who want to develop holistic systems for strengthening congregations.

### From Followers to Leaders

If you are looking for some foundational thinking about how to develop leaders in your ministry, start by reading this book. It guides you through a customizable path for holistic development of people, strengthening not only your church but the Church universal.



## Storyboards and Coaching Guides

Storyboards are a powerful framework that you can use to create opportunities for discussion, insight, and action in 1:1 and small group settings. Companion coaching guides offer key questions for each section of the storyboard and a suggested path to help you direct the conversation in a meaningful way to produce value-driven results. We have several resources available in this category specifically meant for leaders looking to strengthen their church.



## Free Resources

### ViaCordis

This downloadable PDF document lists the 12 basic life commitments of those who are part of church leadership, organized around the three basic categories of love God, love others, and make disciples. Because a stated value means nothing if there is no behavior attached to it (see the book of James), we have created behavioral expressions for each of the 12 commitments, as well as an initial coaching question for each that people can use to help each other stay on track.

Logan Leadership is home to more resources that are related—directly or indirectly—to strengthening the church and we invite you to **browse and explore here**. (If you are holding a print copy of this overview, please visit the link below).

View all of our church planter resources at <https://loganleadership.com/strengthening-church-shop/>

## Bonus: Top Seven Questions for Leading Change



As you work toward strengthening your church, a big piece of that will be leading change. Leading change is never easy, even when you're leading people toward something that will be much better. Generally speaking, people don't like change. As you look over our resources for strengthening your church, here are some of the most important questions you need to be asking throughout the process... of yourself, of your leaders, and of your people. Take some time to sit down with a pen and paper and reflect on these questions as they pertain to a particular change you are looking at making.

- 1. How will you free up time and energy to focus on the change process?**
- 2. Who are the key people who can work with you to facilitate the change process?**
- 3. Who are the key influencers who need to embrace the vision and/or be included in the discussion and planning process?**
- 4. What permissions need to be secured? From whom?**
- 5. Who are the people/groups most affected by the proposed changes? What impact will each face?**
- 6. What can you do to help people embrace the change?**
- 7. How will you strengthen relationships during the change process?**

Are you considering leading a new initiative across an existing system? No matter how beneficial the change may be, it presents some unique challenges when you want to create something new.