



Coaching Children to Engage With Church

Learn how to disciple your children in the deeper values of church and help them find their next steps in engaging with it.

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The five values of church

There are things about church that we love and value. It's so much more than simply being present: church is a deep and powerful blessing God has given us that we want our children to know too. You can proactively disciple your children and teens in these values and so help them experience the beauty of the church.

1 Draw near to God

2 Radically love

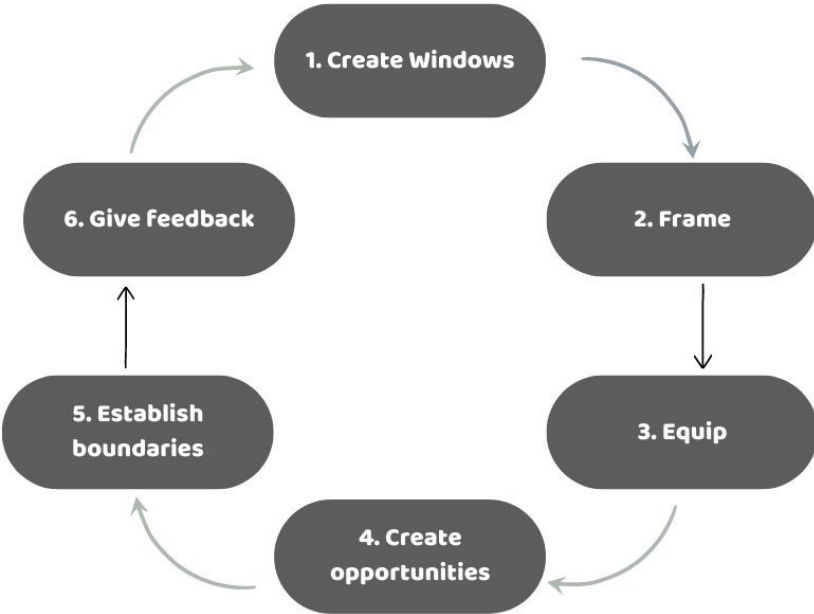
3 Spur and be spurred on

4 Find purpose in the body of Christ

5 Pursue the Spirit

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The six-stage circle



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- 1 Create windows
- 2 Frame
- 3 Equip
- 4 Create opportunities
- 5 Establish boundaries
- 6 Give feedback

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Finding your child's next step using the five values of church

Children and teens don't always like being in church. But there is so much more to church than just being present in services and groups. You can use the six-stage circle to disciple your child in any of the values of church – or anything you love about church – to help them find their next steps.

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Discussion questions

- Which bits of church do you really love? How can you share that with your children?
- Do you agree with the five values of church? Would you add any of your own? Which do you think your children experience?
- Which value of church would you like to explore with one of your children? Problem-solve how you might do that using the six-stage circle.

SPACE FOR YOUR THOUGHTS
