

Best Practice: The Vision of Discipleship

To see a renewed and invigorated church in Europe, we need mature disciples. In his role as the head of the Church of Christ in Poland in which he oversees forty churches and multiple fellowships, Andrzej has cast the vision and paved the way for a movement of discipleship across Poland. He will share some of the lessons he has learned along the way.

Andrzej Bajęński serves as the head of the Church of Christ in Poland and oversees 40 churches and multiple fellowships on their way to formalizing into new churches. Under his pastoral leadership, Puławska Church of Warsaw grew to become the largest evangelical church in Poland. Puławska was the first to go multi-site and has since multiplied churches throughout the greater Warsaw area. Just over 12 years ago, Andrzej transitioned the leadership of Puławska Church to his assistant pastors so that his time could be spent helping revitalize struggling churches throughout Poland, developing church leadership, and planting new churches. He created ProEcclesia: Center for Church Development which is paving the way for a movement of discipleship and church planting. Andrzej lives in Warsaw, Poland with his wife Urszula. He and Urszula have 2 children and 4 grandchildren.

I. Discipleship is simple.

- A. Jesus gave us a simple process to follow. How come we always complicate it more?

II. Discipleship is organic and cannot be programmed and packaged no matter how hard we try.

- A. Life on Life method does miracles when it comes to life transformation.

III. Discipleship is humbling

- A. “Humility is not thinking less of yourself, but thinking of your self less.”
- B. Equipping others for ministry says 2 things about you as a leader
 - 1. I can’t do it all myself.
 - 2. There are others who can do ministry better than I can.

IV. Discipleship is costly but it doesn’t cost any money....