

Men's Min 2022-23 Vision:

In my last two years as a member of Men's Ministry, I've been able to grow in my faith under the discipleship of the leaders and I've created deep bonds with each of them. Despite the low turnout these past two years, Men's Min has always been able to foster a strong community with those who show up. This year, as leader of Men's Min, I hope to extend this community to all the men of CCF. To create an environment that fosters the same brotherly bonds and to provide the same discipleship that I have received these past two years.

However, the primary obstacle in creating this brotherhood is the number of consistent members in Men's Min. In the past, once school picked up, most people stopped showing up. This year I would like Men's Min to be a place where the men of CCF truly desire to show up each week and won't push it to the bottom of their priority list once things get busy. To achieve this, I plan on hosting board games and study nights, to spark interest and allow everyone to get comfortable with one another.

Once a consistent community has been created, my next goal is to create a brotherhood within CCF. Stereotypically, men have always had difficulties opening up and being vulnerable with one another, and CCF is no exception to this. However, I believe that once everyone is comfortable with one another, they would be open to sharing. As brothers in Christ, we must support one another through hardships, but the only way we can do that is if people are willing to be vulnerable.

"A friend loves at all times, and a brother is born for a time of adversity." - Proverbs 17:17.

I intend to facilitate this by having nights similar to IG nights. Where questions will be prepared and everyone will have an opportunity to share about their lives and their struggles. I will also give everyone accountability partners, so that we can hold each other accountable and support one another in our walks of faith.

“Now concerning brotherly love you have no need for anyone to write to you, for you yourselves have been taught by God to love one another.” - 1 Thessalonians 4:9

My last goal for this year is to provide the same discipleship I myself received. I plan to have discussion nights and invite CCF alum back to discuss topics and share their experiences in their walk with Christ. In doing so, I hope to provide the younger men in this fellowship with role models and introduce them to my mentors.

Men's Min has immense potential to shape the men of this fellowship. I only pray that God will use me and this ministry to great effect and that the men of CCF will use Men's Min as the resource it is.