
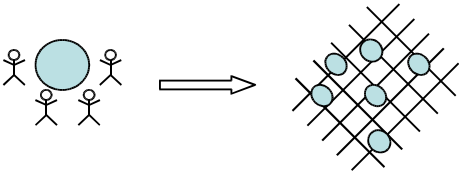

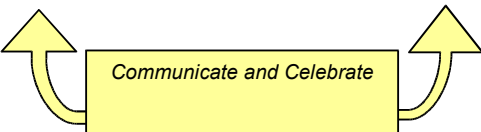


# SEVEN STRATEGIC STEPS TO COMMUNITY TRANSFORMATION

		STRATEGIC STEP	PRINCIPLE	PRACTICE
Envision	1.	 <p>Envision all followers of Jesus that they are called to full-time ministry where they work and where they live.</p>	<p><b>Every</b> believer in Jesus has been called by God to full-time ministry. All have been divinely assigned to impact the places of their <b>work</b> (or primary activity) and to grow in influence in the neighborhoods where they <b>live</b>.</p>	<p>KLA <b>envisions</b>, calling all followers of Christ to impact their spheres of influence by fervent prayer, extending love, showing practical care, and sharing faith. They are to influence everyone around them through effective leadership, exemplary conduct, and pursuing excellence.</p>
	2.	 <p>Connect by similarity, first in small groups, then similar small groups into networks.</p>	<p>Influence and effectiveness are multiplied when people with similar interests and concerns <b>connect</b>.</p>	<p>KLA <b>connects</b> believers in their fields of work and in their neighborhoods — first in small groups and then similar small groups in <i>professional</i> and <i>geographic networks</i>.</p>
Connect	3.	<div style="border: 1px solid black; background-color: #e0f2f1; padding: 5px; text-align: center;"> <b>KERN LEADERSHIP ALLIANCE</b> </div> <p>Connect diverse networks into a community-wide alliance.</p>	<p>Problems within a city, and their potential solutions, are best understood through input by people from <b>diverse fields of responsibility</b> and from <b>multiple locales</b>.</p>	<p>KLA <b>connects</b> <i>diverse networks</i> into an alliance with the aim to raise the quality of life for all in a community.</p>
	4.	 <p>Develop collaborative initiatives and establish working partnerships.</p>	<p>When leaders and organizations with diverse perspectives, skills, and resources <b>partner together successfully</b>, they can effectively contribute solutions to a community's most pressing needs.</p>	<p>KLA <b>empowers</b> leaders and organizations with diverse perspectives, skills, and resources to develop <i>collaborative initiatives</i> and <i>working partnerships</i> to address the community's most pressing needs.</p>
Empower	5.	<div style="border: 1px solid black; background-color: #e8f5e9; padding: 5px; text-align: center;"> <b>KERN LEADERSHIP ALLIANCE SERVICES</b> </div> <p>Pursue excellence.</p>	<p>Faith-based partnerships should be expected to provide service of the <b>highest quality</b> and with <b>lasting impact</b>.</p>	<p>Kern Leadership Alliance Services (KLAS) <b>empowers</b> faith-based efforts to overcome the roadblocks of <i>capacity</i> and <i>funding</i>.</p>
	6.	<div style="border: 1px solid black; background-color: #fff9c4; padding: 5px; text-align: center;"> <i>Implement Solutions for Our Community's Most Pressing Needs</i> </div> <p>Take on the giants, the most pressing needs of a community.</p>	<p>Through the combined strengths, wisdom, and resources of believers, solutions can be found for even the <b>most pressing needs</b> in a community.</p>	<p>KLA <b>empowers</b> <i>lasting impact</i> upon the most critical areas of our community's spiritual, social, and practical needs.</p>
	7.	 <p>Communicate and celebrate.</p>	<p><b>Communication</b> and <b>celebration</b> are critical to long-term progress.</p>	<p>KLA <b>empowers</b> community mobilization and prayer through <i>efficient communication</i> and the encouragement of <i>success stories</i> and <i>testimonies</i>.</p>