

CASE STUDY

WorkLife Ministry

Church: Mt. Paran North Church of God, Marietta, GA

Church Data: Located in Metro Atlanta, Dr. Mark Walker, Senior Pastor
Avg. weekly attendance: 2000, Launched church wide worklife ministry March 2004
church: www.mtparan.com
worklife ministry: www.northatwork.com



Weekly Workplace Influence: The church is intentionally influencing approximately 17,000 seeking people in the Metro Atlanta workplaces through the work lives of Mt. Paran North's congregation each week.

Ministry Overview:



Pastor Ed Stone

Mt. Paran North's WorkLife Director

"Helping the believer view their work with spiritual purpose and equipping them for ministry in their workplace needs to be a top priority for every church."

"Viewing people in the workplace as an "un-reached" people group will usher in a spiritual renewal like we have never seen."

"His Church at Work has been paramount in helping us change the mentality of our church. We needed more than a new ministry, we needed a paradigm shift."

"HCAW worked hard to help us with this shift by customizing their approach for what we needed in our church culture."

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Connecting Christ to the community and the world is central to Mt. Paran North's passion. Through the concept of "Build Up-Bridge Out", Spirit-filled Christ followers, "simply loving God and loving people", are reflecting the spiritual qualities of Christ's Great Commandment and Great Commission to thousands, directly through the work lives of believers. Areas of worship, relationship, growth and witness are increasingly being experienced and expressed.

Doctoral Study Results

Dr. Mark Walker, Sr. Pastor of Mt. Paran North was so convinced that a church-wide WorkLife Ministry could definitively change believer's work lives as well as societal culture, that he went to work and recently completed his doctoral study at Regent University on the subject. For the first time ever, Dr. Walker's research has clearly demonstrated empirical evidence on the impact of church based WorkLife Ministry in areas such as job satisfaction, organizational commitment and equipping satisfaction.

Here are a just a few highlights from the research.

- 58% increase in overall satisfaction with their church
- Increase in Job Satisfaction and Commitment to their Employers
- 168% increase in satisfaction with their church's equipping

Dr. Mark Walker speaks about how important it is for local church congregations to take action!

"His Church at Work is on the cutting edge of helping the local church make a difference in the workplace by making a difference in the work-lives of their members. For too long the church has been docile in equipping and empowering followers of Christ to integrate their faith at work, basically because we did not know how."

"I believe HCAW is a major tool God is using to show the church how to launch an effective faith in the workplace ministry. They did it for us. I highly recommend HCAW to any local congregation that is passionate about developing Christ-dependent, Christ-led workers of influence in the workplace"

Mt. Paran North excels as a church developing both depth and expansion through the steady growth of their WorkLife Ministry, intentionally equipping members for their largest ministry - at work. The Church on Monday is evidence that the Church on Sunday is real!



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