R3 Ministry Network

Pastor Advisory Team- <u>Advisor</u> Guide

Proverbs 11:14 shows leaders a tried-and-true way for making wise decisions: "…in a multitude of counselors there is safety." In an abundance of wise and godly counsel, the likelihood of making the right choice is much greater.

The need for the many pastors we serve at R3 is access to wise and godly counsel. Counsel that is capable, experienced, caring, strong in character, and willing to help. This describes you, the advisor. Thank you for being willing to share your wisdom and insight to help pastors lead and care for the ministry with which they have been entrusted. You have been selected because of these qualities, and you will no doubt bring great value to the needs presented on each call.

Proverbs 11:24-25 shares that leaders who give with generosity are themselves blessed, enriched, and refreshed. We at R3 are deeply grateful for your investment in pastors and others.

The Pastor Advisory Network is new, and we are in the formation stages. This is a beginning guide to follow:

- Each call will include a pastor in need of wise, godly counsel on matters of his choosing. The R3 Pastors Advisory Group team consists of two to three pastors and/or godly Christian business or professional leaders. There will be a total of three (or sometimes four) participants on each call.
- Each call will be a video call, utilizing the Zoom video call program or the like.
- Each call will have a leader who schedules the call, oversees the flow, and cares for each call.
- Each call will last no longer than one hour (or less, if possible).
- Each call is scheduled monthly on an agreed-upon date and time that works for the pastor and advisory team.
- R3 will oversee the connecting of pastors in need and the team participants for each group. An R3 leader will participate in the first introductory call for each advisory network group.

Call Guide:

- The pastor being advised presents the needs or topics two days in advance of the Pastor Advisory Group.

- Introduction/greetings
- Open prayer
- Each R3 advisor gives insight and then a group discussion takes place to address the pastor's current need. The call leader oversees the flow and cares for the call's progression.
- Recap the call and review recommendations for moving forward.
- Schedule next call date and time
- Close in prayer

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