

Total Member Involvement – Philosophical Foundations

1. With less pastors and more churches the members themselves need training in practical ministries so they can be involved in helping their own church be more effective.
2. Having the leaders, departmental directors, conference ministry team members, pastors, and teachers themselves conduct most of the seminars is an absolute must because they are the ones who are doing ministry and have the expertise and understanding of our conference mission territory.
3. Ephesians 4:12-13 is a key Biblical concept behind EQUIP.
4. Like most conferences we no longer have full time departmental people for Sabbath School, Personal Ministries, etc. so this is an attempt to provide the same service but packaged differently. It will also increase our visibility and willingness to support our churches and schools in their outreach to the communities where God has placed them.
5. Last, but certainly not least, our workshop/presentation choices will be coordinated to match our Man-Sask Mission and Vision with the goal that all of members of our ministry team in this part of God's vineyard will be joining Him in His work.