ChurchTeams Reference For Leaders

Contact Karen Mitchell if you have any questions: 746-4303 or kmitchell@mccag.org

To Login:

Address: www.churchteams.com

Find Mechanicsville Christian Center on drop down menu; Password: If you are a new leader or haven't set up your own, personal password, please email Karen at kmitchell@mccag.org.

To Create a new group:

- 1. Click the "Groups & Events" button (top left) and choose "Create".
- 2. Fill in the Basic Group Info.
 - Group names are easy to find if you use your last name.
 - Group description helps people identify your group distinctives.
 - When max group size is reached your group will be marked full.
 - Please choose "roster visible to members" unless there is a specific reason not to (i.e. anonymous groups like 'recovery', etc.)
 - Select 'Next' to continue
- 3. Enter *Leader Information*.
 - Select the appropriate leader option.
 - If your name isn't listed, fill out the form.
 - Select 'Continue'
- 4. Enter Group Preferences.
 - Pick the response most like your group.
 - People will select groups based on these criterion.
 - Choose "Yes" for the last question: Displays at main search link.
 - Select 'Save'.
- 5. Add group members.
 - Add members with the button on the bottom of the chart.
 - Enter today's date or the date the individual committed to the group
 - Be certain to select the correct name from the list if the individual is already in the database.
 - For members not in the list box, click the link below the search box and you will be given the opportunity to add the new member's information.

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To Update your group information:

An option to do this is offered in the weekly attendance report email you will receive, but it can also be done as follows:

- 1. Browse existing small groups to find your group.
- 2. Click on your group name.
- 3. Click 'Edit' to add or change the information that needs updated for your group.
- 4. Click 'Save' to retain your changes.

To Email your group:

- 1. At the bottom of your group info page, click the 'Action' button.
- 2. Choose either the option to:
 - > Email the group from your email account (not currently available)
 - > Email the group via GroupFinder within Churchteams.

To Enter weekly meeting information/reports:

After your group begins meeting, an automated email will be sent to you asking for a meeting report. This is a very simple procedure that will take no more than 30 seconds to complete.

Another way to submit a meeting report or to change information about a previous meeting follows:

- 1. Click the *Browse existing small groups* link from the main menu.
- 2. Click on your group name.
- 3. Click the 'Reports' button
- 4. Choose "Meetings' from the menu
- 5. To update / view info about a past meeting click on the date.
- 6. Add the additional or changed information about the meeting.
- 7. Enter your next meeting date in the field provided.
- 8. Click 'Save / End Report' button.
- 9. Normal meeting reports will be emailed as usual (to your group, if selected) and to church groups staff.

For a Member directory & information:

- 1. Click on the "Reports" button at the bottom of your group's browse page.
- 2. Choose "Roster/Other" to generate a unique report based on member information.