

CG 2.0:

RECALIBRATING FOR DEEPER DISCIPLESHIP AND GREATER IMPACT!



At The Bible Church, CARE Groups (CGs) are the heartbeat of discipleship. They embody our church's core values and mission, helping believers grow in faith, community and service.

We believe intentional disciple-making happens through relationships – nurtured in small groups within the local church.

True disciples obey the Biblical mandate (Matthew 28:18-20) to reproduce by making disciples and enabling others to do the same (2 Timothy 2:2).





***It is not just a new format
– it is a fresh vision for
Biblical community!
CG 2.0 realigns our
priorities to:***

- ✓ Deepen relationships
- ✓ Grow as committed disciples
- ✓ Live out God's Word together

Key Shifts in CG 2.0

From Meetings → To Relationships

- Less routine, more intentional connection.
- A CG is more than just meetings – it is about life-on-life discipleship.
- We exist not only to care for one another but to grow together in Christ.

From Fellowship → To Disciple-Making

- Moving beyond social gatherings to spiritual growth in community.



From Ice-Breakers → To Community Building

- Meaningful interactions that strengthen bonds.
- Community Builders are NOT games. They help members shift focus from themselves to one another, fostering unity and openness.

From Singspiration → To Adoration

- Worship that transforms hearts, not just fills time.
- We adore God through songs (vertical worship) and testimonies & Scripture reflection (horizontal encouragement).

From Bible Study → To Bible Life Application

- Living the Word, not just learning it.
- Bible Life Application facilitates life change by obeying God's Word through personal application and accountability.
- CG leaders facilitate discussion, guiding members toward obedience and accountability.

From Announcements → To Church Engagement

- Active participation in God's mission, not passive listening.
- Recognizing we are part of a larger body – the Church.

From CGL → To CG Core Group

- Shared leadership for greater discipleship and care.
- Every member is empowered to **serve, encourage, and grow together.**



Join the Movement!

CG 2.0 is about more – more depth, more growth, more impact. Let's step into this new season together!



Next Steps:

- Sign up for a CG 2.0 CARE Group.
- Pray for God to move powerfully in our community.
- Be open to how He is calling you to grow.



*“Let us consider how we may spur one another on toward love and good deeds.”
Hebrews 10:24*

Be part of the change.
Be part of CG 2.0!

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Commonly Asked Questions

1. What is the role of Core Group in the CARE Group?

Core Group members are selected CG members who are committed to serve with the CGL / ACGL to lead the CG. While each of the Core Group members may take on specific roles (For example, member's birthday IC, missions ministry report / prayer letter, etc.), their key role is to lead and facilitate care and discipleship in the CG.

Every Core Group member follows-up with 1-3 CG members. The Core Group meets once every two months to evaluate, share and plan for the CG.



2. Is disciple-making (or mentoring) only done through the Core Group members?

Discipleship is best facilitated in small groups and be accountable to CG leaders, therefore, disciple-making in CG is done through the Core Group members. However, this does not restrict any members to having more than one discipless in their lives, e.g. other worshippers, believers from other churches, etc.

3. How does CG facilitate G.S.R.R.?

C+GSRR is our Church's **Discipleship Pathway**. The primary purpose of CG is the mission of Disciple-making. Therefore, the CG is committed to journeying with every CG member in the Discipleship pathway.

- **Connect** – The CG facilitates **Connect with Christ** through mutual encouragement and **Connect to Community** through regular meetings, prayer and fellowship.
- **Grow** – The CG facilitates **Grow** through the studying and applying of God's Word in our lives.
- **Serve** – The CG facilitates **Serve** by encouraging service in the CG and in Church.
- **Reach** – The CG facilitates **Reach** by doing Community outreach and Missions together. We also partner with one another in our Personal outreach to family, friends and colleagues.
- **Reproduce** – The CG facilitates **Reproduce** through forming Mentoring Groups within the CG and partnering with one another to make disciples.



4. Why did we transit from life-stage CGs to mixed CGs?

Here are the key benefits of mixed CGs:

- **Diverse Wisdom & Perspectives** where older members offer life experiences and spiritual maturity, while younger members bring energy and fresh insights. It encourages patience, humility, and learning from others unlike themselves (Romans 14:19).
- **Stronger Community & Unity** by fostering a more inclusive church body (Galatians 3:28).
- **Better Care and Support** where varied life stages mean diverse forms of support. For example, singles, married couples, seniors, and youths help each other practically and emotionally.
- **Prepares members for real world ministry.** Believers interact with people of all ages in their daily lives. Mixed CGs help believers relate to a broader range of people, which develops our empathy and adaptability in ministry and sharing the Gospel.





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★★★★★ *By CG 2.0 CGLs and ACGLs*

The CG 2.0 uses sub-groups for deeper sharing. I notice members are more open and make efforts to share their thoughts in the smaller groups. In big groups they tend to wait for one another. As the leader I find it is also less stressful.

Dorothy (Day CG)

To me, CG is ***HIP*! Highly catching** – your enthusiasm for CG, your regular attendance and active participation catches on and grows on one another in the CG. **Intentional** – you become diligent in the study of God's Word, open to share your insights, highs and lows and committed to care and pray for one another in the CG. **Purposeful** – you find it delightful and meaningful to be setting aside time each week connecting with God, building up and encouraging one another in your community of faith within the CG.

Peggy Quah
(**Jewels CG**)



There is support from on Core Group members to share accountability and workload. The 2 monthly meeting helps to review our CG meetings (what went well and what can be improved), members' care (who and how we should follow up) and assignment of who should follow up, the planning of quarterly schedule, Community Building, Adoration, Renewal and Engagement, and involving all CG members to lead in worship and tune in. The C.A.R.E. components serve as a good guide to facilitate each CG meeting, and provides good balance of Bible study, prayers, worship and connection with church activities (announcements).

Agnes Ho
(**Care & Connect CG**)

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I find this process of CG 2.0 interesting & refreshing. It's holistic process (ie community building, adoration, renewal, sharing and prayer) enabled me to grow and strengthened my faith through life experiences and practices within the CG community. Strengthen my confidence in living out my faith, desire to love, serve and worship God and the community of God's people. Desire to attend CG gathering regularly and related activities to engage God together.

Goh Soo Hang (Olive Tree CG)





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★★★★★ *CG 2.0 Core Group members*

I like the icebreaking session, especially for newcomers. I enjoyed the worshipping session as I see it as a way to glorify God. I like the sequence as it helps me to get ready for bible study.

Karen Lee (Jewels CG)

The new format CG 2.0 helps to promote community building and healthy relationships amongst the Core Group and with the CG members. The shared responsibilities of the Core Group help to provide effective support to CGL and sustainability of CG to avoid overloading the CGL. It encourages pastoral care support to CG members and makes it feasible to spawn when the group size gets too big under one CGL and/or CG.

Eileen Chiang (Day CG)

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I really appreciated the intergenerational dynamic of the CARE group which brings a rich variety of life experiences to our discussions. It was also great that everyone had the opportunity to lead worship and icebreakers, which made it feel inclusive and fun to experience different styles. Finally, I'm thankful for the group's mindfulness of time, especially for those with younger families.

Chan Jing Jing (Happiness CG)



Personally, I have found the CG2.0 format to be a refreshing and meaningful update to our usual CARE Group gatherings, while still keeping the essentials of worship and Bible study. I enjoy the Community-Building segment at the start of each session. The questions – about our lives, thoughts or past experiences – are often thought-provoking and usually tie in with the Bible study theme. They help members connect on a more personal level. What I have also found impactful is the small breakout groups at the end. These provide a safe space for more intimate conversations and intentional prayer, and I have been encouraged by what others share. I feel it has deepened the sense of community and support in the group as well as the spiritual growth of members.

Suzanne Ho (Olive Tree CG)



CG 2.0 gives members the opportunity to interact and fellowship before diving into the Bible lessons proper. Personal sharing is important in helping improve relationships and encourage one another.

***Richard Park
(F2F CG)***