

A hiker with a large red and black backpack is climbing a rocky trail in a mountainous area. The hiker is wearing a red shirt and black pants, and is using a black trekking pole. In the background, other hikers are visible on the trail, and the landscape features green trees and rocky mountains under a blue sky with white clouds.

Training Turnaround Pastors

we walk with you

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WE'LL BE BY YOUR SIDE.

That's how training for busy, burdened pastors should be done.

That's how we do it at Turnaround Pastors.

Our training regimen is based on rigorous and scientifically valid research that identifies the key components of effective turnaround leadership. It is delivered in a unique combination of immersion training – which is easily tailored to suit each pastor's unique needs – and assessment based mentoring. Then you walk this out in community as you meet with other pastors for monthly reading and support. It results in a personal, professional, and church development plan that is tailored to each pastor's requirements and ministry context. And remember, you won't be alone in implementing it — We'll be by your side.



Life change is not easy! For personal, spiritual transformation, receiving information alone will not work. Immersion training, learning communities, and a personal mentor/coach make the difference. You will receive the information you need, help and accountability to apply it, and the personal support for life change.

WHAT YOU WILL GET

- Training tailored to your unique identity, giftedness, experience, education, and personality.
- Understanding of the seven significant traits of turnaround leadership identified in our ground-breaking research using The Birkman Method. A plan to master the best practices that are proven to correlate with church renewal.
- Personal coaching that leverages your unique personality into greater leadership results.
- Knowledge of how become a wise pastoral leader for a lifetime of effective ministry, "a wise master builder."
- A strategy to lead your church into renewal thru conversion growth. Practical, proven ministry strategies that work in any ministry context.
- At a Turnaround Pastor Boot Camp, wise ministry practitioners will make a personal investment in you.
- You will learn about yourself and how you can best learn to lead in church turnaround, revitalization, and growth.

WHAT YOU WON'T GET

- An impersonal conference experience with hundreds of other pastors.
- An endless parade of case studies ("here's how I did it!") that won't apply to you or your ministry context.
- A series of meaningless exhortations to try and be someone you're not.
- A notebook that goes on the shelf, likely to never be seen again.

Topics At the Boot Camp

The Boot Camp covers much more than the traits of those who lead in turnaround. That by itself is groundbreaking, but what do you do? Topics include:

- Mission, Vision, and Value components - how they go together and how to develop them.
- The Differentiated Pastor - how to interact with and lead the church. Conflict. Where there is change, there will be conflict! How to resolve it and approach “the white water phase” of church growth.
- Change Management and Ministry Alignment. How to transition change and how to bring people along in a vision-driven ministry.
- The Roadmap to Turnaround and Revitalization. What is it, and where are the twists and turns in the road? How do I navigate them?

After your immersion week, your training will continue. We offer a range of continued consulting options that include:

- Personal ministry mentoring with an experienced, certified coach.
- Learning community clusters that provide sustained training and accountability.
- Direct access to your Boot Camp trainers
- Additional training and services for your church Board, Staff and congregation.

Don't labor in isolated despair! Don't just go to the latest “hot seminar!” Get personalized help for you and your church.

[CONTACT US TODAY](#)

Let us schedule you into our next available Boot Camp.

When you finish, you'll join the chorus of pastors who walk away saying, “***Why didn't somebody tell me this twenty years ago?***”

Hear What Our Boot Camp Participants Say

Rev. Pontus Karnsund
Desert Sun Church

"As Bud Brown and his partners invested in me, I received an amazing encouragement and clarity in direction for my leadership. I had ended up in a difficult church, but in the midst of the turmoil their findings helped me to hold on to who I am and emphasize the strengths that are crucial to successfully lead a turnaround church forward. I'm truly thankful to these guys, and I hope that I get to have their continued involvement in my ministry!"



Dr. Esther Cottrell
Associate Director
Ohio Ministries Church of God



"Gary and Gordon, you have been a delight and a beacon of light for us this week. Thank you for giving of yourself and your knowledge, in this new adventure. We are honored to have been "pioneers!" with you." (embed YouTube)

Scott Hodge, Sr. Pastor
Landmark First Church

"TAP Bootcamp was awesome! Every pastor of a plateaued or struggling church would benefit greatly from this. I understand my mission, and know myself way better than before. It has been an eye-opening, intense, and immensely helpful experience for my ministry. Don't miss it!"



Jake Eldridge
Church of God
Buffalo, WV



"I appreciated the knowledge I gained at the Boot Camp. Every pastor should take this training! It is truly an investment in the future of their ministry. This was the greatest conference / training I have ever been through, and I attend at least two to three conferences each year."

Our Passion is to help pastors and churches!

[REACH OUT TO US RIGHT NOW AND BEGIN A PROVEN PROCESS THAT AFFECTS TURNAROUND AND REVITALIZATION](#)

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About Turnaround Pastors

Drs. Bud Brown, Gordon Penfold, and Gary Westra are the co-authors of [*Pastor Unique: Becoming a Turnaround Leader*](#).

This groundbreaking book is based on research that grew out of a 3 year study of the characteristics of pastors who led their churches in turnaround and revitalization. The Birkman Method™ was used to find the statistically significant differences of these pastors.

These 7 distinct differences are woven throughout the Boot Camp. It is the authors' conviction that every pastor can grow in the "best practices" of turnaround leadership. There is hope for you and your church!