



Singles, Couples and Family Network

How can our church communities be a place where everyone from the youngest to the oldest, the singles and the marrieds, find their place?

The Singles, Couples, and Family Network brings together specialists and grass roots community activists across Europe who positively influence all aspects of family life.

There are practical and spiritual answers to the challenges we face. Today's youth have an astounding capacity to welcome both older and younger people, and this generation can be a catalyst for an unprecedented movement of compassion and unity.

We all want to see enthusiastic singles, intentional couples and strong families building the church and society. There is no reason that family breakdown cannot be drastically reduced in our communities!

How can we do better?

Every church community across Europe should have access to active programs that educate and support couples and families inside and outside the local church. Our relationships can be a light to the world, a living demonstration that applying the values and principles of the Kingdom of God in our families is transformational.

There are many tremendous initiatives and resources available across Europe (and internationally). Surprisingly many of these remain unknown, and networking is too limited. Let's create a space where groups across the continent can be inspired by what works for others. By accessing the most user-friendly and cost-effective resources we can maximize the action with the least effort an investment.



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Families share the gospel with power

Mission is invigorated as whole families and intergenerational groups (including single people) move together to share the gospel in their culture and environment. There are very few barriers when such groups move out in acts of compassion and proclamation in their own contexts.



Parents can be empowered to work with their own children and avoid the hidden traps that cause their children to abandon faith as they turn the corner into adulthood. The children also realize that they are part of a much larger European and global community of believers, inspiring them to join a networking generation that wants to change the world.

Educational resources for influencers enable them to tap into the best ideas and understand biblical concepts that can be shared locally. Instead of relying on one or two well-known people, an army of capable trainers and educators becomes available to the Church. Training produces multiplication.

In this recently formed network a small group of initiators from different nations across Europe is taking shape.

Links with other networking groups is key to success, and the breadth of the Marriage Week movement (27 nations) and Family Ministries (17 European nations and a global team), are examples of the way linked networks create strength. Internetwork links are also of great value, such as the CNEDA (Christian Network against Domestic Abuse) or Women in Leadership.

You are invited to take everything you need, as well as benefiting others by sharing resources through this network. Together we can make a difference and share out of our abundance to the world around us.



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