

# Explore the Core



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## CORE VALUES REFLECTING A MISSIONAL ANABAPTIST IDENTITY

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- Complete DVD curriculum
- 191 page Teacher's manual
- Adult Sunday School elective
- Adult VBS or Retreat elective
- PowerPoint sermons included
  - Multimedia package—\$30
  - eVersion (disks only)—\$20
- Student Study Guides—\$2 each
- Study Guides available in Spanish

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8g3Pwb8HCKE>

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-NHim00QIe8>

See *Explore the Core* at [www.youtube.com](http://www.youtube.com).

Search for "Lancaster Mennonite Conference Core Values" or enter these URLs in your browser:

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as we Explore the Core .*

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## How Have Congregations Used *Explore the Core*?

- Adult Sunday School
- Sermon Series
- Young Adult meetings
- Youth Group
- Summer Bible School adult curriculum
- Winter Bible School adult curriculum
- Congregational Retreats
- Leadership Team group study
- Leadership Retreats

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## What Are People Saying about *Explore the Core* in the evaluations?

Foundational teaching. **Excellent study.** It's all about Jesus being the center. **Appreciated the entire study.** These sessions have been a blessing in many ways. **Thank you for the thoughtful, irenic approach.** This study has deepened my spiritual understanding. **The flat book versus the christocentric approach to Scripture was very helpful.** The balance brought to the subject is refreshing! **Very helpful.** Gave members a way to articulate their beliefs to others. **It's all good stuff!** Jesus is the center—the most important piece. **It has caused us to talk intentionally about our identity.** Living out our faith is very important.

## Who has used the Core Values curriculum?

Blainsport MC, Bowmansville MC, Community Mennonite Fellowship, Crossroad Community Fellowship, Diller MC, East Chestnut Street MC, Elizabethtown MC, Ephrata MC, Erisman MC, Gehman MC, Gingrichs MC, Goodville MC, Good's MC, Habecker MC, Hernley MC, James Street MC, Kauffman MC, Kinzer MC, Krall's MC, Landisville MC youth, Laurel Street MC, Marietta Community Chapel youth, Masonville, Mellinger MC, Mount Joy MC, New Danville MC, New Holland MC, New Life MC, Norma MC, Old Road MC, Red Run MC, Risser MC, River Corner MC, Rossmere MC, Slate Hill MC, Stumptown MC, Sunnyside MC, Susquehanna MC, Vietnamese MC, Village Chapel, Weaverland MC, Weaverland MC young adults, West End MC, Willow Street MC, Baltimore-Washington District leaders, Groffdale District leaders, Harrisburg District leaders, Juniata District leaders, Landisville District leaders, Lebanon District leaders, Marietta Chapel youth, Martindale District, New Danville District leaders, LanChester District leaders, Willow Street-Strasburg District leaders, and others.

## What Teaching Resources are Available to You?

- Two DVD Video Curriculum with a third Supplemental Resources CD
- Teacher's Manual (191 pages) with a companion Student Study Guide in English or Spanish
- Core Values summary brochure in English or Spanish
- Teacher Training Seminar for the teachers in your congregation held at your site
- Resourcing of *Explore the Core* sessions by Conference Staff and teachers in your congregation

