



# NEIGHBORHOOD CATALYSTS

## ➤ WHEN DO THE NEIGHBORHOOD CATALYSTS GATHER?

There is one gathering/month September-April. Our time is split between large group discussion and small group coaching. Cohorts meet on Thursdays, 9-1pm.

- September 19th 9-1pm
- October 7-8th (Retreat\*)
- November 14th 9-1pm
- December 12th 9-1pm
- January 9th 9-1pm
- February 13th 9-1pm
- March 8th 9-3pm (KJS\*)
- April 10th 9-1pm

*\*For October and March, the gatherings are substituted by an overnight retreat and the Kingdom Justice Summit.*

## ➤ WHAT ARE NEIGHBORHOOD CATALYSTS?

Neighborhood Catalysts are a 8-month cohort experience for Dane County church pastors, Christian ministry and non-profit leaders, looking to explore their unique neighborhood context, collaborate with other leaders, and deepen ongoing relationships and partnership with those serving in their unique part of the city. Our vision is to cultivate networks of ecumenical friendship, deep understanding of context and collaboratively loving our neighbors.

## ➤ WHAT DO WE DO?

We meet monthly for a time of connection, learning, co-discerning and collaboration. This time will include learning from local leaders, strategic time with coaches, and co-discernment and collaboration with peers on mission together in our neighborhoods. We:

- **cultivate sustaining friendships** among peers in local ministry and mission
- **build relationships** with coaches and neighborhood leaders
- **deepen habits of deep engagement** in your neighborhood as a context for mission
- **identify and develop skills** for leading new initiatives in your neighborhood
- **discern areas of collaboration** for church leaders, congregations, neighborhood nonprofits & community members

The cost of this cohort is \$149/participant and goes towards supply, space, and food costs.

