

# MELVIN JOURNAL

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### Benefits of Lay Pastors Ministry

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Lay Pastors Ministry will;

1. Provide authentic and effective pastoral care for every member of your church.
2. Release laypeople's ministering gifts and "love with skin on it" you're your congregation.
3. Fulfill the desire of committed laypeople to participate fully in significant kingdomwork.
4. Relieve pastors from the impossible expectation that they are the pastoral caregivers for every member of the church.
5. Permeate your church's culture with a spirit of love and care.
6. Fulfill the Biblical mandate to shepherd God's people.
7. Give a large church the small church feeling; give a small church or medium-size church the large church advantage.
8. Identify your church as people centered rather than program or organization centered.
9. Encourage all the church members to use their "gift-abilities" in ministry by observing this model of "Partners in Ministry."
10. Complete the task of evangelism- "People worth winning are worth caring for."  
(George Hunter III in Church for Unchurched)

*from the LPMI Papers*



**LPMI USA presented** these and I, Byeong, found it almost ninety percentage true from LPM Korea ministry last 15 Years; can you also find in your own? Figure out what each of No. 1-10 in which strengths, or weakness to develop in the people of your church, so they might perform better.  
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