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**THE JOB OF A  
LEADER IS TO  
DETERMINE WHAT  
IS REALLY  
IMPORTANT FOR AN  
ORGANIZATION**

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## HOW TO PRIORITIZE YOUR PRIORITIES

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It's the start of a new year and many of us are setting goals for the future. If you are a leader, people are looking to you to chart the course to help them develop inspiring and challenging goals.

In this episode of the CMN Leadership Podcast, Chris Railey talks about how to identify priorities and how to choose which ones matter most.

### HOW TO FIND THE PRIORITY AMONG YOUR PRIORITIES

Being busy is not the same as being productive. Remove the word "busy" from your vocabulary. Business and multi-tasking can prevent you from seeing what is really important in your life and organization.

Look at the list of goals you have set this year for your life and your organization. If you can only accomplish one of them, which would it be? This is your priority. Focus the majority of your time and resources and team on that thing.

### Four books to help cultivate a priority mindset:

*Less Clutter. Less Noise* | Kem Meyer

*Deliberate Simplicity* | Dave Browning

*Simple Church* | Thom S. Rainer

*Getting Things Done* | David Allen

### Team Discussion

Out of your list of goals what is the one that stuck out? What one or two things do you need to stop to focus on this goal?

