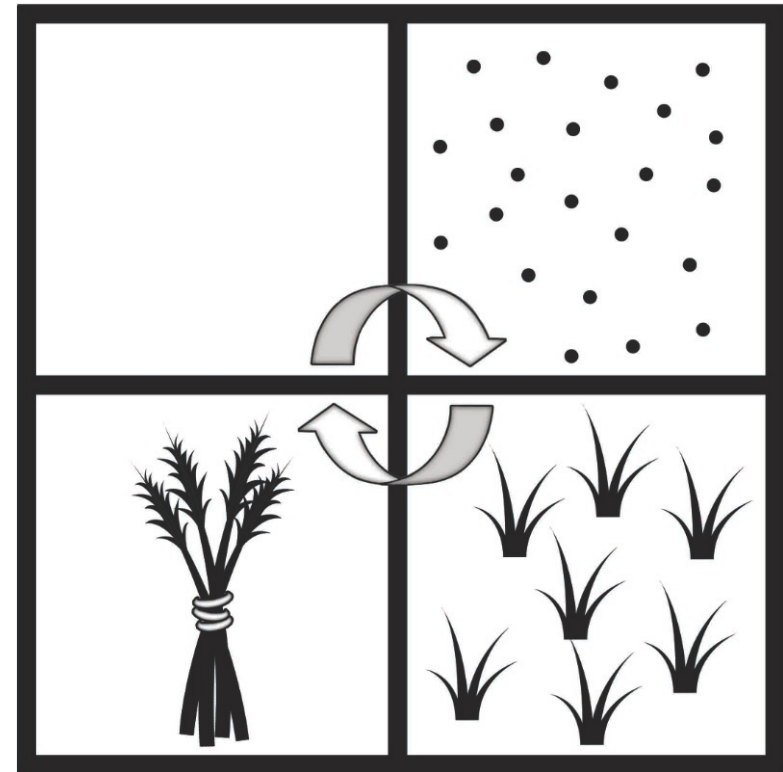


The 5 Parts of Growth of the Kingdom of God



Parts 1 - 4: 4 Fields

God's Vision

In Habakkuk 2:14 it is written that "the earth will be filled with the knowledge of the glory of the LORD as waters cover the sea" (ESV). The knowledge of God's glory will spread everywhere.

In Revelation 7:9 we learn that every nation, tribe, people, and language will be represented in heaven. While this has not happened yet, we know that one day it will. God's plans always succeed and every nation will be represented before His throne, but how?

How will God spread his glory? How will all these peoples hear the Gospel and be disciplined?

God's Plan

In Matthew 28:18-20 we learn about God's plan to spread his glory to all nations. The Lord Jesus, who is the great King, commanded his disciples to make disciples of all the nations. They were to make disciples by baptizing in the name of the Father, and the Son, and the Holy Spirit, and teaching others to obey all that Jesus had commanded. God's plan was to use people to accomplish his purposes, people who make disciples of others. This is still his plan today.

What do we do when we enter a new place to do the work? How do we share the Gospel? What are the first things we should teach new disciples? How do we establish healthy reproducing churches?

This booklet provides answers to these questions, and gives a pattern for all believers to follow. By studying the Bible, we can understand how God wants us to proceed and accomplish his work.

Stories After 7 Commands

These Stories teach us many of the most important ideas in the Bible. Use each Story for the New Teaching section in a church meeting. Decide what the main point is. Decide what application to do after studying each story. Use audio files/ mp3 to learn them and/or share them (or read the stories and memorize them).

Beginnings

01. **Creation** (Gen 1-2)
02. **Disobedience** (Gen 3)
03. **Abraham** (Gen 12:1-7, 15:1-6)
04. **Abraham and 3 Visitors** (Gen 18:1-16, 20:1-3)

Deliverance

05. **Joseph Sold and in Prison**
(Gen 25:21-26, 37:3-36, 39:1-20)
06. **Joseph Interprets Kings Dream**
(Gen 39:20-23, 40-41)
07. **Joseph Drought and Family**
(Gen 41:55-57, 42:1-32, 43:1-34, 45:1-12)
08. **Moses** (Ex 1:1-12, 19:1-25, 20:20)

Kings and Prophets

09. **David is King** (1 Sam 16:1-13, 2 Sam 5:4, 7:1-28)
10. **David and Bathsheba** (2 Sam 11)
11. **Nathan's Story** (2 Sam 12:1-24)
12. **Elijah** (1 Kings 4:1, 11:33, 16:29, 17:1, 18:1-45)
13. **Promise**
(2 Kings 15:17-19, 27, 28, 17:3-23,
Isa 9:6-9, 49:5-6, 53:2-11)

Jesus' Life

14. **Birth** (Matt 1:18-25-2:1, Luke 2:21-40)
15. **Jesus' Baptism** (Luke 3:2-22)
16. **Jesus Heals Paralytic** (Mark 2:2-12)
17. **Possessed Man** (Mark 5:1-20)
18. **Bleeding Woman** (Luke 8:43-48)
19. **Assurance** (John 4:17-39)
20. **Parable of the Lost Son** (Luke 15:1-3, 15:11-32)
21. **Sight** (Luke 18:15-17, 18:31-43)
22. **Zacchaeus** (Luke 19:1-11)

Jesus' Death and Resurrection

23. **Triumphal Entry** (Luke 19:28-48)
24. **Last Supper**
(Luke 22:1-15, John 13:3-16,
Luke 22:16-23)
25. **Arrest and Trial** (Matt 26:36-67, 27:1-26)
26. **Execution** (Luke 23:32-56)
27. **Alive!** (Luke 24:1-12, 24:36-50,
Acts 1:10-11)
28. **Jesus is God** (John 1:1-18)

Jesus' Followers

29. **God's Spirit** (Acts 1:4-9, 2:1-47)
30. **African** (Acts 8:4-5, 8:26-40)
31. **Jailer** (Acts 16:13-40)
32. **Return** (Acts 17:1-10, 1 Thess 2:17-18
1 Thess 3:2-10, 4:16-17)

How to Prepare New Lessons

The 7 Commands of Christ lessons were prepared for you. Now, learn how to prepare your own lessons by using the same pattern you have been doing.

Study and prepare to teach...

Read / Listen to the new story 2-3 times.

1. What do we Learn in the Story?

- What do we learn about God? (the Father, Jesus, or the Holy Spirit)
- What do we learn about man?(who is in the story, what did they do?)
- Is there any sin we must avoid?
- Are there any commands to obey or examples to follow?

* Write your answers and/or Draw pictures to remember your answers.

2. What is the Main Point of the Story?

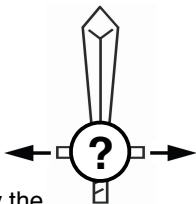
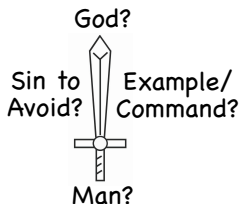
- Read / Listen to the story 2-3 more times.
- Pray asking God what He is teaching in this story.
- Read (or have someone read) the 10-15 verses before and 10-15 verses after the story to understand why this story was told, or why the event happened.
- Think of other stories / verses in the Bible that support your conclusions.
- Plan to discuss with your group topics / questions that may not be understood.
- Plan to practice together at least one lesson from the story (if there are no lessons that can be practiced together, then practice telling the story 2x2).

* Write your answers and/or Draw pictures to remember your answers.

3. What do we Obey from the Story?

- What are the lessons we can use today?
- What should we do this week?

* Write your answers and/or Draw pictures to remember your answers. Pray and Prepare to teach your lesson to your church.



Lead your meeting using the same pattern as the 7 Commands of Christ lessons, but now use the Stories on Page 19 for **New Teaching, Practice** and **Assignment**.

The Church Meeting Pattern is...

- | | |
|-------------------------|---|
| (1) Worship | Pray and Sing |
| (2) Fellowship | Accountability (prayer requests / testimonies) |
| | *Baptism (baptize new believers into the church body) |
| | *Lord's Supper (give every week, or once a month) |
| (3) Discipleship | New Teaching, Practice, and Assignment |
| (4) Service | Collect Tithes and Offerings (use to help others) |
| (5) Evangelism | Share the Gospel inside and outside the church |
| | Pray and Close |

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Planting Healthy Churches

Parts Steps

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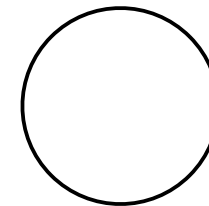
- Part 1**
1. Pray for harvesters (The Man of Peace is often the first harvester) and go 2x2 to a village or city where Jesus sends you. **(Luke 10:1-3)**
 2. Depend on God and don't waste time on the way. **(Luke 10:4)**
 3. Trust that God has placed a Man of Peace to meet you. **(Acts 17:26-27)**
 4. Find the Man of Peace, enter his house, and eat and drink what they give you (Stay in the house and don't go house to house!). **(Luke 10:5-8)**.
NOTE: When you are asked what you are doing there, you can say, "I am a follower of the Lord Jesus Christ, and I am here to give God's blessing to this village".
- Part 2**
5. Meet needs and share the Gospel. **(Luke 10:9)**
(Share your Testimony and the Gospel found on **Page 6**)
- Part 3**
6. After one person follows Jesus, start church in the house and as quickly as possible. Go at least once per week and teach them 7 Commands of Christ.
 - (1) Repent and Believe **(Page 8)**
 - (2) Be Baptized **(Page 9)**
 - (3) Pray **(Page 10)**
 - (4) Go and Make Disciples **(Page 11)**
 - (5) Love **(Page 12)**
 - (6) Lord's Supper **(Page 13)**
 - (7) Give **(Page 14)**
- Part 4**
7. Have the Church begin the Next Steps of Discipleship. and together appoint servant-leaders. **(Page 15-19)**
- Part 5**
8. Find obedience believers and teach them this entire process.
 - As the church grows, make sure that someone teaches all new believers 7 Commands of Christ.
 - Do not plant more than 6 churches at a time. You need to be able to visit and disciple the churches at least once per week until they are healthy. If you have planted 6 churches, this means 6 days of work and one day of Sabbath rest. After one of the churches is healthy, go and plant another in a new place.

Healthy Church Tracking

Here are the steps to track your churches and make sure they are healthy:

1. After you started a church in a new place (**Step 6 on Page 4**), you will begin to track that churches health. Draw the following circle on a blank sheet or use a Healthy Church Tracking Sheet if you have one. Write the name of the village or place under or above the circle.

(Location Name)



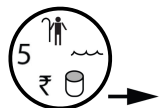
Authority is Outside the New Church

2. After you have given the first person baptism, draw this symbol (~) outside the circle.
3. After you have begun to give the baptized believers the Lord's Supper, draw this symbol (☺) outside the circle.
4. After you have taught the 7 Commands of Christ to the new church, draw this symbol (7) outside the circle.



Authority is Inside the New Church

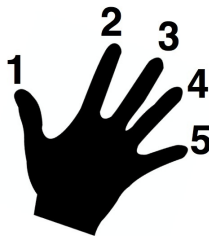
5. After leaders have been appointed in the church, draw this symbol (🧑) inside the circle.
6. After the church members and/or leaders are giving baptism to others, draw this symbol (~) inside the circle.
7. After the church members and/or leaders are giving the Lord's Supper to other baptized believers, draw this symbol (☺) inside the circle.
8. After the church has appointed a treasurer and they are collecting tithes and offerings every week, draw this symbol (₹) inside the circle.
9. After the church is doing all of the 5 functions assigned by God for healthy churches to do, draw this symbol (5) inside the circle.
10. After the church is going and making other healthy churches in different places, draw this symbol (➡) outside the circle.



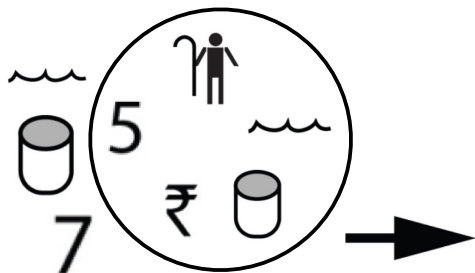
What is a Healthy Church?

A Healthy Church is...

1. Has only one purpose.
 - (1) To make the true God and His Glory known - Habakkuk 2:14
2. Has 2 sources of authority.
 - (1) The Lord Jesus Christ (God) - Colossians 1:18-19
 - (2) God's Word (Bible) - 2 Timothy 3:16
3. Has 3 types of leaders.
 - (1) Elders/Pastors/Shepherds - 1 Timothy 3:1-7
 - (2) Servant Leaders/Deacons - Acts 6; 1 Timothy 3:8-13
 - (3) Treasurers - Trustworthy Servant Leaders / Deacons who handle the giving.
4. Has 4 signs of health. A Healthy Church will...
 - (1) Be able to support itself financially.
 - (2) Have its own leaders and the authority to govern itself.
 - (3) Go and multiply by making other healthy churches.
 - (4) Correct itself and one another using God's Word.
5. Does 5 functions assigned by God's to make Him and His Glory known.
 - (1) Worship - Love God (Matthew 22:36-38)
 - (2) Fellowship - Love one another (Matthew 22:39; Acts 2:42-47)
 - (3) Discipleship - Teaching to Obey God's Word (Matthew 28:18-20; Acts 2:42-47)
 - (4) Service - Love and Submit to Others (Matthew 22:39; Acts 2:42-47)
 - (5) Evangelism - Go and Tell the Good News (Matthew 28:18-20; Acts 2:47)



Whenever you follow the steps on **Pages 4 and 5** to start planting healthy churches you will need some way to know when they are healthy. Since the goal is to stay in the house until that church is healthy, you should draw the following diagram and fill it in as the church grows more and more healthy. After the diagram is complete, the church should be healthy and multiplying.



This Diagram about farming (see Mark 4:26-29) will help you remember the steps to planting healthy churches. You can also draw it when you teach others to plant healthy churches so that they can learn and remember the process as well.

1 Entry Plan

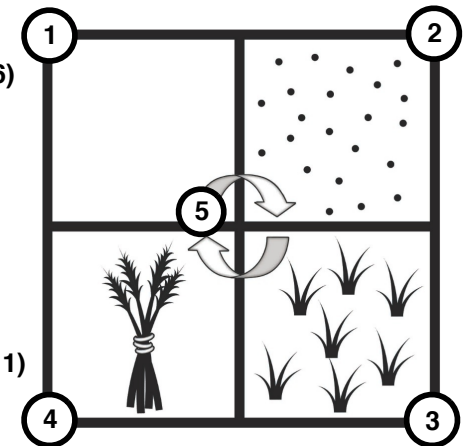
1. Pray for Harvesters and Go. (**Page 4**)
2. Depend on God. (**Page 4**)
3. God has placed the Man of Peace. (**Page 4**)
4. Enter the house. (**Page 4**)

2 Gospel Plan

5. Meet Needs/Share Gospel. (**Page 6**)

3 Discipleship Plan

6. Start a Church Meeting - Teach 7 Commands of Christ.
 - (1) Repent and Believe (**Page 8**)
 - (2) Be Baptized (**Page 9**)
 - (3) Pray (**Page 10**)
 - (4) Go and Make Disciples (**Page 11**)
 - (5) Love (**Page 12**)
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 - (7) Give (**Page 14**)



4 Church Formation Plan

7. Start the Next Steps of Discipleship and Appoint Leaders. (**Page 17**)

5 Leadership Multiplication Plan

8. Find obedient believers and teach them this entire process so that they can do it and also teach others how to do it.

Part 1: Entry

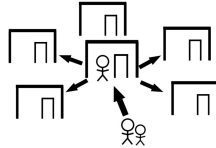
In Luke 10:1-11 we learn how to enter a new place.

What must we do?

- pray for more laborers
- go 2x2
- look for a Person of Peace
- say, "Peace to this house" (share the Gospel)
- remain at that house
- heal the sick (pray for healing and their needs)
- eat what is given

What must we not do?

- greet no one one the way
- do not take extra things
- do not go from house to house



What is a Person of Peace? A Person who receives the Good News of Jesus, uses his/her home for meetings, and then takes the Gospel to their family, friends, and neighbors (see Acts 10:24, 16:15, 16:33, 18:8). This person will reach the area with the Gospel.

Make a list of 20 non-believers (family, friends, neighbors). 2x2, pray for all the people on the list. Every week, go 2x2 to share the Gospel with them (Part 2). Pray to find a Person of Peace who can also share with their family, friends, and neighbors.

Part 2: the Gospel

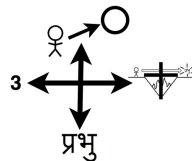
In John 4:4-42 we learn how to share Your Story and God's Story.

Who was the Samaritan woman? Was she educated? Did she have a good reputation? Was she baptized? Was she a leader? NO! Yet God used her to lead many people from her village to Christ.

Why was the Samaritan woman effective? She was effective because she did 4 things. She went immediately. She shared Her Story. She shared God's Story, and she gave an invitation for people to come to Jesus.

How to Tell My Story: Tell Your Testimony in 3 parts in 3 minutes.

1. Your Life before Christ. (see Paul's example in Acts 22:1-5)
2. How You Met Christ. (see Paul's example in Acts 22:6-14)
3. Your Life after Christ. (see Paul's example in Acts 22:15-21)



How to Tell God's Story: Discuss the 4 parts of the Gospel (see Examples on next page)

1. Sin & Judgement: Romans 3:23
2. Jesus died on the cross: Romans 6:23
3. Jesus rose from the dead: Romans 5:8
4. We Must Repent and Believe: Romans 10:9

How to Give an Invitation: Ask, "Do you want to make Jesus your Lord?"

Go 2x2 and share Your Story and God's Story with people on your list. Every week, go 2x2 until you have shared with all of them. Then pray for more people to share with. Teach new believers 7 Commands of Christ (Part 3).

Part 4: Church

After the 7 Commands of Christ, the church should be on its way to being healthy. A healthy church must be self-governing, which means that it must have leaders who lead the church body. Maybe you and the local church have already identified some of those whom God has appointed. However, until potential leaders are mature and able to handle God's Word accurately, the church will need to self-teach and continue to meet regularly to worship and study the Bible. We will also need to regularly check on the church and make sure they are still growing in the Lord. Finally teach local believers to baptize those who accept Christ! The one doing the baptism may be a potential leader or simply the believer who shared Christ with that person.

What is a Church?

In Acts 2:37-47, we learn what the first disciples did as a church. There are 5 questions we can ask to learn what the church is.

1. **Who** is the church? Acts 2:41 - (1) Those who accept the Gospel, (2) those who are baptized, and (3) those who identify as a local church body
2. **What** does the church do? Acts 2:27-47 - There are 5 Functions that the first church did, and healthy churches do. In church meetings, do the following:

- | | |
|------------------|---|
| (1) Worship | Pray and Sing |
| (2) Fellowship | Accountability (prayer requests / testimonies) |
| | *Baptism (baptize new believers into the church body) |
| | *Lord's Supper (give every week, or once a month) |
| (3) Discipleship | New Teaching, Practice, and Assignment |
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| | Pray and Close |

3. **Where** does the church meet? Acts 2:46, 5:42, 16:15, 16:33-34, 18:7-8; Romans 16:3-5; Colossians 4:15 - They met in houses.
4. **When** does the church meet? Acts 2:46 - day by day or any day (Hebrews 10:24-25)
5. **Why** does the church exist? The church exists to spread the glory of God (Habakkuk 2:14; Matthew 28:18-20).

After teaching 7 Commands of Christ, teach new Bible stories (see stories on page 19) using the SWORD Method Questions. Give responsibility to faithful people: (1) appoint someone to give the **Lord's Supper**, (2) teach believers to **baptize** new believers, (3) assign 2 trustworthy believers to collect the **giving**, count it, and report to the entire church body what has been given. Let the whole church decide how to use the money to help people in need.

Finally, train faithful people to do Parts 1-4 of Kingdom Growth.



Command 7: Give ₹🕒

Pray & Sing: Begin the meeting in prayer and singing. Then, go to the next step.

Part 1

Accountability: Ask questions about their lives.

1. Did you Share the Gospel or the story from last week with anyone?
2. Did you Pray and Read / Listen to the Bible every day?
3. How did you Obey what you learned from the Bible?
4. Did you do Acts of Love for others?
5. Prayer Requests / Testimonies. Then pray for those with requests.

Part 2

Teach: Mark 12:41-44

1. How to Teach:

- (1) Tell the story from memory.
- (2) Talk about the story (what happened first? then what?).
- (3) Tell / Read the story again.
- (4) Do a drama or draw pictures about the story.
- (5) Ask someone to tell the story.

2. Ask SWORD Method questions one at a time (for discussion, make groups of 5-7).

- (1) What do we learn about God?
(the Father, Jesus, or the Holy Spirit)
- (2) What do we learn about man?
(who is in the story, what did they do?)
- (2) Is there any sin we must avoid?
- (3) Are there any commands to obey
or examples to follow?

3. What is the main point of the story? (read Luke 6:38)

4. Discuss the following.

- What should we **give** to God? Our money, time and our lives.
- Why should we **give** to God? 2 Corinthians 9:6-7 - give generously and we will receive generously. God loves a cheerful giver.
- How do we **give** to God? 2 Corinthians 9:7 - cheerfully, not under compulsion. Matthew 6:1-4 - secretly, not for recognition.
- Who do we **give** to? 2 Corinthians 9 - a collection was given to the church. Acts 4:34-35 - the church gave to all who had need.

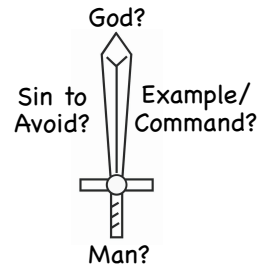
Practice: Teach how to take an offering, and do it. Discuss together how to use the money to help someone.

Part 3

Assignment: What do we obey from the story?

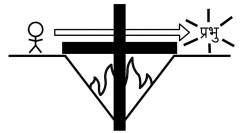
1. Give your time and money for the work of the church each week.
2. Share this story (Mark 12:41-44), Your Story and God's Story with others.
3. Study the Bible and Pray everyday.
4. Do Acts of Love for others.

Pray: Close the meeting in prayer.



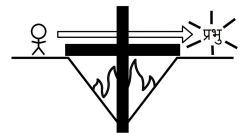
Example 1: An Easy Way to Share God's Story (the Gospel)

1. God says that all have sinned and fallen short of the glory of God. Man did not obey God's commands. This is sin. Therefore, our relationship with God is broken. Because of sin all people will be judged and go to hell. (Ask them what sin means? Discuss it.)
2. God says that the wages of sin is death, but the free gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our lord. God loves us. Therefore he, for the forgiveness of our sins, gave his own son.
3. God says that he shows his love for us that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us. The Lord Jesus gave his life on the cross for our sins. He was the perfect sacrifice, who met the punishment of sin. He took it on himself.
4. God says that if you confess with your mouth that Jesus is lord, and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved. On the third day, the lord Jesus rose. After that, he went to heaven. Through his death and resurrection we find the forgiveness of sin, and our relationship with God becomes good. (Ask them what Lord means? Discuss it.)



Example 2: How to tell God's Story as a Simple Story.

1. In the beginning, God made everything. He also made man and everything was good. God and man's relationship was very good.
2. Man did not obey God's commands. This is sin. What is sin? Anything bad we think, anything bad we say, anything bad we do in God's eyes is sin. **God says that "all have sinned and fallen short of the glory of God" (Romans 3:23).** Therefore, our relationship with God is broken. Because of sin all people will be judged and go to hell.
God also says this, "for the wages of sin is death, but the gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our lord" (Romans 6:23)
3. For the forgiveness of our sins a sacrifice is necessary. God loves us. Therefore he, for the forgiveness of our sins, gave his own son. He is the lamb of God, who forgives the sins of the world.
4. The Lord Jesus gave his life on the cross for our sins. He was the perfect sacrifice, who met the punishment of sin. He took it on himself.
Romans 5:8 says, "but God shows his love for us in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us."
5. On the third day, the lord Jesus rose. After he met his disciples, he went to heaven. Through his death and resurrection we find the forgiveness of sin, and our relationship with God becomes good.
Romans 10:9 says, "that if you confess that Jesus is Lord and believe with your heart that God raised Him from the dead, you will be saved."
The Bible says that Jesus is Lord, but what does this mean? It means that you must believe only in Jesus. It means that we must follow Jesus. It means that we must obey the commands of Jesus.
6. One day, the lord Jesus will return to this earth to judge it. Those who admit their sin and believe in Him will go to heaven. Those who do not believe in Him will not be able to find salvation.



Part 3: Discipleship

Jesus told his disciples to teach others to obey (Matthew 28:20). In Acts 2:37-47 we learn what the first disciples did, and what we should also do. Teach all believers 7 Commands of Christ. After 7 Commands, tell the group to continue as a church (Part 4).

Command 1: Repent & Believe

(in every meeting, include 3 Parts: Accountability/Care, Teaching/Practice, Assignment/Plan)

Pray: Begin the meeting in prayer. After you and/or others pray go to the next step.

Part 1

Accountability: Ask questions about their lives.

1. Did you Read / Listen to the Bible every day?
2. How did you Obey what you learned from the Bible?
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Part 2

Teach: Luke 19:1-11

1. How to Teach:

- (1) Tell the story from memory.
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- (3) Tell / Read the story again.
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- (4) Are there any commands to obey
or examples to follow?

3. What is the main point of the story? (read Mark 1:15)

4. Discuss the following.

- What does **repent** mean? To turn from our sin and follow Jesus.
- What does **believe** mean? Choosing to trust Jesus as Lord.
- Why should we **repent**? Romans 3:23; 6:23; 10:9-10.
- Who should **repent**? Acts 2:38-41 - Everyone.
- What is **assurance**? 1 John 1:9 - when we confess our sins Jesus forgives us and cleanses us. John 10:28 - Our salvation belongs to Jesus.

Practice: Repent and believe in the Gospel. Repent from sin everyday.

Part 3

Assignment: What do we obey from the story?

1. Tell this story (Luke 19:1-11) to others.
2. Zacchaeus learned about Jesus by seeing him. Today, we learn about Jesus through reading / listening to the Bible. Everyday, read / listen to 1 chapter of the Bible (begin in Luke, Acts). Ask the SWORD questions about what you learned.

Pray: Close the meeting in prayer.



Command 6: Lord's Supper



Pray & Sing: Begin the meeting in prayer and singing. Then, go to the next step.

Part 1

Accountability: Ask questions about their lives.

1. Did you Share the Gospel or the story from last week with anyone?
2. Did you Pray and Read / Listen to the Bible every day?
3. How did you Obey what you learned from the Bible?
4. Did you do Acts of Love for others?
5. Prayer Requests / Testimonies. Then pray for those with requests.

Part 2

Teach: Luke 22:7-20

1. How to Teach:

- (1) Tell the story from memory.
- (2) Talk about the story (what happened first? then what?).
- (3) Tell / Read the story again.
- (4) Do a drama or draw pictures about the story.
- (5) Ask someone to tell the story.

2. Ask SWORD Method questions one at a time
(for discussion, make groups of 5-7).

- (1) What do we learn about God?
(the Father, Jesus, or the Holy Spirit)
- (2) What do we learn about man?
(who is in the story, what did they do?)
- (2) Is there any sin we must avoid?
- (3) Are there any commands to obey
or examples to follow?

3. What is the main point of the story? (read Matthew 26:26-28)

4. Discuss the following.

- What is the **Lord's Supper**? 1 Corinthians 11:26 - a symbol of the Lord's death.
- Why do we eat the **Lord's Supper**? 1 Corinthians 11:26 - His body was broken, His blood was spilt for us.
- How do we receive the **Lord's Supper**? 1 Corinthians 11:27-29 - we must examine ourselves, confess our sins to God and remember Jesus died to give us forgiveness.
- Who should receive the **Lord's Supper**? Acts 2:42, 1 Corinthians 11:27-29 - baptized believers devoted to Jesus.

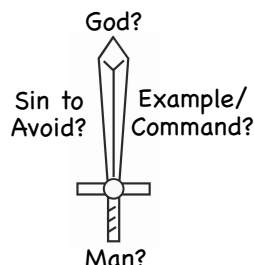
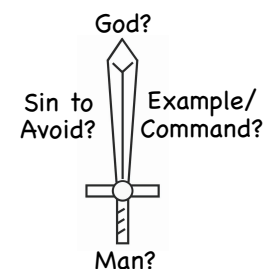
Practice: Teach how to take the Lord's Supper. Take it together.

Part 3

Assignment: What do we obey from the story?

1. Receive the Lord's Supper every church meeting or 1 time each month.
2. Share this story (Luke 22:7-20), Your Story and God's Story with others.
3. Study the Bible and Pray everyday.
4. Do Acts of Love for others.

Pray: Close the meeting in prayer.



Command 5: Love ♥

Pray: Begin the meeting in prayer. After you and/or others pray go to the next step.

Part 1

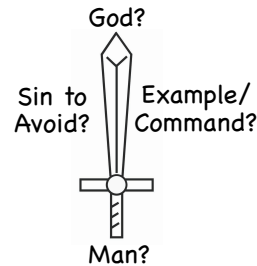
Accountability: Ask questions about their lives.

1. Did you Share the Gospel or the story from last week with anyone?
2. Did you Pray and Read / Listen to the Bible every day?
3. How did you Obey what you learned from the Bible?
4. Prayer Requests / Testimonies. Then pray for those with requests.

Part 2

Teach: Luke 10:25-37

1. How to Teach:
 - (1) Tell the story from memory.
 - (2) Talk about the story (what happened first? then what?).
 - (3) Tell / Read the story again.
 - (4) Do a drama or draw pictures about the story.
 - (5) Ask someone to tell the story.
2. Ask SWORD Method questions one at a time (for discussion, make groups of 5-7).
 - (1) What do we learn about God? (the Father, Jesus, or the Holy Spirit)
 - (2) What do we learn about man? (who is in the story, what did they do?)
 - (2) Is there any sin we must avoid?
 - (3) Are there any commands to obey or examples to follow?



3. What is the main point of the story? (read Matthew 22:37-39)
4. Discuss the following.
 - What is **love**? John 15:13 and 1 Corinthians 13.
 - Why do we **love**? John 13:34-35 - Because Jesus loved us first. Love teaches the world about Jesus.
 - Who do we **love**? Matthew 22:37-39 - First we need to love God. Then we need to love our neighbors.
 - How do we **love**? John 14:15 - Loving Jesus means we obey Jesus. John 4; Mark 5:19 - Loving others means telling them what God has done for you.

Practice: Love God by singing worship songs to Him when you meet. Love him by obeying His commands. Make a plan to show love to your neighbors.

Part 3

Assignment: What do we obey from the story?

1. Take time each day to intentionally show love by helping your neighbors.
2. Share this story (Luke 10:25-37), Your Story and God's Story with others.
3. Study the Bible and Pray everyday.

Pray: Close the meeting in prayer.

Command 2: Be Baptized ~

Pray: Begin the meeting in prayer. After you and/or others pray go to the next step.

Part 1

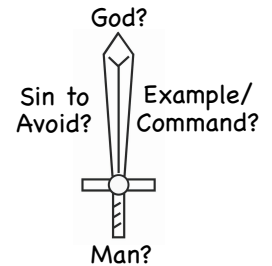
Accountability: Ask questions about their lives.

1. Did you Share the story from last week with anyone?
2. Did you Read / Listen to the Bible every day?
3. How did you Obey what you learned from the Bible?
4. Prayer Requests / Testimonies. Then pray for those with requests.

Part 2

Teach: Acts 8:26-39

1. How to Teach:
 - (1) Tell the story from memory.
 - (2) Talk about the story (what happened first? then what?).
 - (3) Tell / Read the story again.
 - (4) Do a drama or draw pictures about the story.
 - (5) Ask someone to tell the story.
2. Ask SWORD Method questions one at a time (for discussion, make groups of 5-7).
 - (1) What do we learn about God? (the Father, Jesus, or the Holy Spirit)
 - (2) What do we learn about man? (who is in the story, what did they do?)
 - (2) Is there any sin we must avoid?
 - (3) Are there any commands to obey or examples to follow?



3. What is the main point of the story? (read Matthew 28:18-20)
4. Discuss the following.
 - What is **baptism**? Romans 6:3-4 - Baptism is a symbol of Jesus' death, burial and resurrection. It also means we have died to our old life and been raised to live a new life with the Lord Jesus.
 - Why should we be **baptized**? Matthew 3:13-15 - Jesus received baptism, so should we. Receiving baptism means we identify Jesus as our Lord.
 - Who should be **baptized**? Acts 2:38 - Everyone who repents and believes.
 - How should we be **baptized**? Matthew 3:16 - Jesus went down into the water.

Practice: Discuss how and where to be baptized. Go, baptize new believers.

Part 3

Assignment: What do we obey from the story?

1. Be Baptized
2. Tell this story (Acts 8:26-39) to others.
3. Study the Bible everyday.

Pray: Close the meeting in prayer.

Command 3: Pray ↑↓

Pray: Begin the meeting in prayer. After you and/or others pray go to the next step.

Part 1

Accountability: Ask questions about their lives.

1. Did you Share the story from last week with anyone?
2. Did you Read / Listen to the Bible every day?
3. How did you Obey what you learned from the Bible?
4. Prayer Requests / Testimonies. Then pray for those with requests.

Part 2

Teach: Matthew 6:5-15

1. How to Teach:

- (1) Tell the story from memory.
- (2) Talk about the story (what happened first? then what?).
- (3) Tell / Read the story again.
- (4) Do a drama or draw pictures about the story.
- (5) Ask someone to tell the story.

2. Ask SWORD Method questions one at a time (for discussion, make groups of 5-7).

- (1) What do we learn about God?
(the Father, Jesus, or the Holy Spirit)
- (2) What do we learn about man?
(who is in the story, what did they do?)
- (2) Is there any sin we must avoid?
- (3) Are there any commands to obey or examples to follow?

3. What is the main point of the story? (read Luke 18:1-8)

4. Discuss the following.

- What is **prayer**? Talking with God our Father.
- Why do we **pray**? Matthew 6:13 - God hears us. We desire His will to be done on earth.
- How do we **pray**? By simply talking with God.
"Give us today our daily bread" - Pray for needs.
"Forgive us our debts" - Pray for forgiveness.
"Deliver us from the evil one" - Pray for protection.

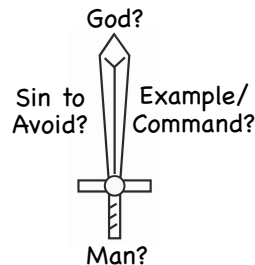
Practice: Teach how to pray. Practice praying with each other.

Part 3

Assignment: What do we obey from the story?

1. Begin and end everyday in prayer by giving thanks to God and presenting your requests to Him.
2. Tell this story (Matthew 6:5-15) to others.
3. Study the Bible everyday.

Pray: Close the meeting in prayer.



Command 4: Go & Make Disciples →

Pray: Begin the meeting in prayer. After you and/or others pray go to the next step.

Part 1

Accountability: Ask questions about their lives.

1. Did you Share the story from last week with anyone?
2. Did you Pray and Read / Listen to the Bible every day?
3. How did you Obey what you learned from the Bible?
4. Prayer Requests / Testimonies. Then pray for those with requests.

Part 2

Teach: John 4:4-42

1. How to Teach:

- (1) Tell the story from memory.
- (2) Talk about the story (what happened first? then what?).
- (3) Tell / Read the story again.
- (4) Do a drama or draw pictures about the story.
- (5) Ask someone to tell the story.

2. Ask SWORD Method questions one at a time (for discussion, make groups of 5-7).

- (1) What do we learn about God?
(the Father, Jesus, or the Holy Spirit)
- (2) What do we learn about man?
(who is in the story, what did they do?)
- (2) Is there any sin we must avoid?
- (3) Are there any commands to obey or examples to follow?

3. What is the main point of the story? (read Matthew 28:18-20)

4. Discuss the following.

- Who should we **share** with? John 4:16 - our families, friends, and neighbors.
- What should we **say**? The woman shared Her story and God's story.
- Who is qualified to **go**? John 4 - If Samaritan woman was, then Every believer is.

Practice: Teach how to share Your Story and God's Story (**Page 6**). Practice sharing 2x2.

Part 3

Assignment: What do we obey from the story?

1. List 20 people (friends, family, neighbors), pray for them, then share Your Story and God's Story with them.
2. Share this story (John 4:4-42) with others.
3. Study the Bible and Pray everyday.

Pray: Close the meeting in prayer.

