

BIBLE STUDY PREP

Use this sheet to help you create a plan for leading a Bible Study. Remember, even the most prepared people also need to be flexible and ready to adjust to best serve their specific group.

BEFORE

Prepare. Take time to...

- Pray for your time of preparation and for the group you will lead.
- Study the scriptures by reading the text and answering all the Bible study questions before you lead.
- Think about what you hope your group will get from the study.
- Create a plan using the prompts below.

DURING

PRAYER. Will you...

- Ask for praise reports and prayer requests?
- Lead the prayer or ask for a volunteer to pray?
- Meditate on a scripture and then pray?
- Other:

STUDY. Will you...

- Have an icebreaker?
 - Will it be related to the study or a get-to know you question?
- Explain the context of the passage? How?
- Read the scripture to the group or ask volunteers to read?
- Have questions printed for the group members?
- Call on people to respond, allow for open discussion, or have a unique way to get participation?
- Other:

PRAYER. Will you...

- Lead the prayer, ask for a volunteer to pray, or have multiple people pray?
- Take prayer requests?
- Have participants write out a prayer?
- Other:

THE PLAN IS...

AFTER

FOLLOW UP. Will you...

- Send a message reminding them of what they studied?
- Call or message your group members that you were thankful they were in your group?
- Check-in with them about prayer requests during the week?
- Other:

THE PLAN IS...

EVALUATE. Take time to...

- Thank God and ask for His help in growing you as a leader.
- Think through what went well and what were the challenges.
- Brainstorm ideas to overcome the challenges you faced.
- Ask a mentor for ways to improve leading.
- Other:

MY REFLECTIONS ARE...