

SALVATION MINISTRIES - CORPORATE CELL FELLOWSHIP

DATE:

PROGRAMME:

THEME: SUSTAINING THE HARVEST

S/NO	EVENT	TIME	DURATION
1	OPENING PRAYER		1 MIN
2	PRAISE & WORSHIP		5 MINS
3	WORD CHARGE/ ALTAR CALL		15 MINS
4	INTERACTIVE/QUESTION & ANSWER SESSION		5 MINS
5	PERSONAL PRAYERS/GENERAL PRAYERS (CLEAR EVIL/DEATH)		7 MINS
6	TESTIMONIES		4 MINS
7	WELCOME FIRST TIME WORSHIPPERS		2 MINS
8	INFORMATION & CLOSING		1 MIN

WORD: Sustaining the harvest simply means the preservation of ripe fruits in order to prevent them from getting corrupt or spoilt. **John 15:16 (READ)** - We have been chosen to bear fruits and these fruits should not perish. A wise farmer considers the act of preservation more important than the act of harvesting in order to prevent unprofitable labour. Soul winning is very important but preservation of souls is more important; if God has to give us a full reward.

TOOLS FOR SUSTAINING THE HARVEST

1. PRAYERS: Prayer in this context means communicating with God on the basis of His word and our relationship with Him so He can preserve those we have won to Christ from being lost to the devil. Jesus prayed for the souls the Father gave Him to be kept - **John 17:9,12**. So we have no choice but to follow His example.

Why we must Pray for Souls to be established in the Church (Salvation Ministries)

a. So that all God has given to us, that Jesus saved and Holy Ghost has convicted will not be lost to the devil - **John 18:9** **b.** To avoid unprofitable labour - **Isaiah 65:23**

c. Because the devil and his agents are constantly longing to steal away the word of salvation in their heart so that they will go back into the world - **Luke 8:12**.

d. So they can stand strong in the midst of persecution without falling out of faith to embrace the world - **Romans 8:38-39** **e.** So they can grow into maturity (from being lambs to sheep and from being converts to disciples).

2. VISITATION AND FOLLOW UP: God expects us to care for the souls we have won until Christ is fully formed in them - **Galatians 4:19**. Visitation or follow up must be persuasive, rugged and consistent until the souls are all established in the church - **Luke 15:4**. A wicked mother is the one that carries pregnancy, delivers the baby safely in the hospital and abandons the baby.

Things you should know about Visitation and Follow up:

a. Visitation and Follow up is for all believers.

b. Keep the visit or follow up short, direct and sharp. Avoid lengthy and boring visit that are capable of turning you into a nuisance.

c. Don't go for visitation or follow up with a wrong motive - **2 Chronicles 25:2**

d. Learn to greet, be pleasant and friendly in your approach with lots of smile on your face.

e. Pray short prayers and share with them testimonies of what has happened in the church to boost their faith. -

Altar Call -

INTERACTIVE/QUESTION & ANSWER SESSION

1. What is sustaining the harvest? ANSWER: See Manual

2. Mention the tools for sustaining the harvest. ANSWER: Prayers, Visitation and Follow up

3. State Why we must pray for souls to be established in the Church. ANSWER: See Manual

4. Mention the things we should know about Visitation and Follow up. ANSWER: See Manual

SCRIPTURES THAT MAY BE USED FOR VARIOUS AREAS OF CORPORATE PRAYERS: Psalm 91:15

(1). Refusal to pay for services rendered - **Ruth 3:18B, Leviticus 19:13, 1Tim 5:18**. (2). Victory in court cases - **Daniel 7:22** (3) Seasonal evil occurrences - **Nahum 1:9**. (4). Travelers - **Psalm 121:7-8**. (5). Favour - **Psalm 44:3, Exodus 3:21**. (6). Salvation of Sinners - **Psalm 16:10-11A**. (7). Life partner for women - **Isaiah 62:5**/Favour for men - **Psalm 5:12** (8). Against death threat(s) - **Psalm 63:9-10, Isaiah 49:25-26**. (9). Wisdom - **James 1:5; Proverbs 4:7** (10). Perfection - **Psalm 138:8**

SPECIAL INFORMATION: **1. LEADERS SHOULD ENCOURAGE AND TACTFULLY COMPEL THEIR MEMBERS TO GIVE OUT THEIR OFFICES TO HOST CELL FELLOWSHIPS TO ACCOMMODATE THOSE THAT JOINED US RECENTLY. 2. ENCOURAGE MEMBERS TO ATTEND BIBLE SCHOOL (WOLBI) OF THE COMMISSION.**