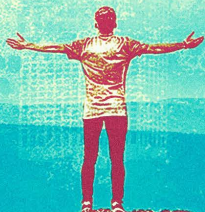


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EVERY SOUL *Matters*

REACHING LIVES
DECLARING HOPE



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Every soul matters deeply to God—each one is seen, known, and loved. God desires that no one should perish, but that all would come to salvation (2 Peter 3:9).

As His followers, we are called to reflect His heart by sharing His love, offering His hope, and leading others to Christ.

In a world where people are searching for meaning, connection, and hope, we are called to respond—intentionally and personally.

This Every Soul Matters initiative empowers every believer to reach those around them with God's love.

These five essential actions provide a simple yet powerful roadmap to help lead someone to Christ.

5 ESSENTIAL ACTIONS



Identify

Pray

Connect

Decision

Disciple

Identify

Be intentional about who you want to reach.

Pray

Lift them up in prayer regularly.

Connect

Build relationships that reflect Christ's love.

Decision

Lead them to say yes to Jesus.

Disciple

Help them grow strong in their faith.

Our mandate:

**“Go into all the
world and
preach the Good
News to
everyone.”**

(Mark 16:15)

1. IDENTIFY

Every soul begins with a name.

Be intentional in recognising the people God has placed in your life—family, friends, colleagues, neighbours—who may not yet know Him. Ask the Holy Spirit to open your eyes and your heart to those who need His love, grace, and truth. Respond to His prompting with compassion and purpose—and let your list grow as He leads.

Who is God calling you to reach out to? Write their names below.

1.

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3.

4.

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2. PRAY

Prayer prepares hearts for heaven.

Consistently bring the people you've identified before God in prayer—privately and with others in your Connect Group. See them as souls dearly loved and purchased by the precious blood of Christ. Pray against the spiritual barriers that blind and hinder, and ask the Holy Spirit to open their hearts and reveal God's saving grace.

Areas of Prayer

1. Pray for Them

- That they will understand and personally encounter God's love.
- That spiritual barriers will be broken—fear, lies, and distractions removed.
- That the Holy Spirit will convict, awaken, and draw them to Christ.

2. Pray for Yourself

- To reflect Christ clearly through your words, actions, and attitude.
- For boldness to speak the truth in love with wisdom and grace.
- For open doors and Spirit-led moments to share and show Christ.

3. CONNECT

Love in action makes the gospel believable.

Building trust opens the door for truth. As you pray for the people God has placed on your heart, take intentional steps to connect with them in real and meaningful ways. Genuine relationships often become the very soil where the seeds of the Gospel take root. Show up with kindness, share life together, and let your faith speak through both words and actions.

3 Ways to Connect with Purpose

- 1. Acts of Kindness:** Show God's love through thoughtful and tangible actions that meet real needs. Examples: Offer help when they're overwhelmed, run errands, remember special occasions, or bless them with a gift.
- 2. Meaningful Activities:** Spend intentional time together to build trust and deepen relationships. Examples: Grab coffee or a meal, enjoy a hobby together, invite them to Church or your Connect Group, or to a social gathering.
- 3. Gospel Sharing:** When the time is right, share the message of salvation with love and authenticity. Examples: Share how Jesus has impacted your life, explain the Gospel message clearly, or pass them a resource such as an article, a book, or a testimony video.

4. DECISION

This is the moment heaven celebrates.

There is no greater joy than witnessing someone take a step toward Jesus. As you share the Gospel, stay sensitive to the prompting of the Holy Spirit—and when the moment comes, don't hold back. With boldness and love, invite them to respond. Give them the opportunity to say "yes" to the One who gave everything for them. Lead them in a simple prayer of repentance and commitment to Jesus as Saviour and Lord.

Example of a Prayer to Receive Christ

Dear Lord Jesus, I acknowledge that I am a sinner and in need of Your forgiveness. Thank You for dying on the cross to pay the penalty for my sins. Today, I turn from my old ways and surrender my life to You. I open my heart and invite You to be my Saviour and my Lord. Thank You for forgiving me, giving me a new life, and making me a child of God. Help me to follow You faithfully from this day forward. In Jesus' name, Amen.

5. DISCIPLE

Salvation is the start, discipleship is the journey.

When someone receives Christ, it's not the end—it's the beginning of a new life. Don't just celebrate the decision; commit to walking alongside them as they grow in faith. Discipleship means helping them take real, practical steps—consistently, intentionally, and relationally.

New believers need to be rooted, strengthened, and equipped to follow Christ for a lifetime. Be present. Be intentional. Make it your priority to journey with them and actively support them as they take these next steps:

- Complete the New Believers Class
- Attend Discover Bethany
- Take the step of Water Baptism
- Begin attending Church regularly
- Grow together in a Connect Group



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