

**Leading in a Diverse Church 2 – Spring 2019
Discipleship Plan, Part B**

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APOSTLE'S DOCTRINE

Teaching, preaching, witnessing, defending, reasoning, and proclaiming the gospel as the saving work of Jesus Christ; fulfillment of prophecy; and death, burial and resurrection of Jesus, etc.

Activity One

Youth Services once a month that focus on everyday problems such as; fear, anger, anxiety, depression, etc. The Services presented in a call and response format with illustrated activities. (1 Tim 4:11; 2 Tim 2:24; 1 Cor 12:5; Remodel, and Rebuild)

Specifics of Activity

- Young Men of ChoZen, Teacher/Preacher, Ministry Leaders such as Pastor Garland, Parents of the young men who are involved. This will be in Venue 127 at Lighthouse Church of All Nations.
- Youth Service for young men in ChoZen to actively engage them in an exciting call and response format. Illustrated Sermons that keep the interest of those involved.
- Schedule monthly services during Wednesday Night Services (6:30pm-7:30pm) that are separate for the ChoZen young men.
- We will reach out to an exciting speaker and ask them to speak, talk to the church office and reserve Venue 127 for the service, alert the young men and their parents about the service through social media and by exciting video announcement, ask Elder Adam to announce the service before Wednesday Night Hour of Power Prayer.
- This is done to help the young men learn how to deal with their everyday lives through the power of prayer, study of the word, implementing biblical lifestyle (kingdom practical) methods, and how to walk in the spirit.

Activity Two

Catechism class teaching the young men the basics of the Word of God. (1 Pe 3:15; Eph 4:13; Jn 14:15; Reconnect, Rebuild, and Remodel)

Specifics of Activity

- The young men broken into two age groups; 11-15, and 16-19, plus the teacher and ministry leaders will be in attendance.
- The young men of ChoZen will be broken into two separate classes based on age (ages 11-15 and 16-19). This will be a 10 week Catechism course.
- Wednesday Night Service time will separate the young men for their Catechism course from 6:30pm-7:30pm.
- This will be held in Venue 127 throughout the building in a private teaching setting.
- The young men will be told about the Catechism class weeks in advance. The marketing team and youth leaders will take advantage of the early announcement and market the Catechism class as a true Bible class for the young men to learn the word of God. specifically appealing to the parents to bring their children to the class.
- The teaching will stretch from Genesis unto the Book of Revelation covering; creation over 7 literal days, identity in Christ, walking in the Holy Spirit, packets handed out to guide the students during the class, a light amount of homework to be do the following week, a certificate at the end of the 10 weeks to commemorate the young men for their completion, and a celebration party at the end for their hard work.
- This is to create a strong biblical foundation for the young men. To teach them about the God they serve, His ways, His word, and their life in Christ as a son of God.

Activity Three

ChoZen Youth Conference!(1 Cor 12:5-6; Rom 12:5; Remodel, Rebuild, Nurture)

Specifics of Activity Who what when where why and how

- The ChoZen young men, parents, and ministry leaders.
- This will be a 2 day conference during spring break. The ministry leader will choose two young men from ChoZen who have shown spiritual maturity to preach on a topic. The sermons will be approved by the ministry leaders before being preached.
- This will take place in Venue 127.
- This will be a great way for the young men to teach each other the word of God. This will also be an excellent way to help mature the young men who are preaching.

Activity Four

Talk It Out Night! (Js 5:13-16; Js 1:19; Pro 15:1; Nurture, Remodel, Reconnect)

Specifics of Activity(Who, What, When, Where, How, Why)

- ChoZen young men, Ministry Leaders, Special guest leaders, and Parents will be involved.
- This is a night that the young men will submit questions about life that they want answered on a personal level. This will range from relationships, biblical questions, emotional distresses in the personal life of the young men, and more. This will be the time when the young men are specifically able to ask questions that they desire an answer for.
- This will be during the Wednesday Night Service in Venue 127 from 6:30pm-7:30pm. This will be a quarterly event for the young men.
- We will ask the young men to submit questions to Pastor Garland's (the ministry leader) email or in a drop box that will be at the front desk during the Weekend services the week prior. A "question answer" team will be made based upon the questions that have been submitted. The team will be made up of those who can give the best answer to the young men who are asking the questions because these topics may not be able to be answered only by one individual leader. The answers will be scripturally based only and held to a 2 minute answer so that all questions can be responded to accordingly. Those young men who need more than 2 minutes can always reach out after the service.
- We are doing this because all young men have questions that plague their minds and they need answers from strong men who are spiritual leaders. The young men need to know that their are good, Godly ways to deal with their questions. This is true discipleship. The reason it would be quarterly is because of the vast amount of young men coming into our ChoZen who need to hear the same question answered again or have run into a new situation that needs a spiritual answer.

FELLOWSHIP

Actions of unity by standing as one in Christ through joint participation or sharing something in common: the Holy Spirit (Phil 2:1); Christ's sufferings (Phil 3:10; 1 Pet 4:13); experiences in ministry (Gal 2:9); and financial resources for the needs of the saints (Rom 12:13)

Activity One

Movie Night! (1 Cor 12:5-6; 1 Cor 1:10; Prov 17:17; Nurture, Remodel, Reconnect)

Specifics of Activity

- The ChoZen young men, Ministry Leaders, Parents, and former ChoZen young men invited.
- A Night where we watch a movie on the big screen together in the main sanctuary. The movie will be chosen by the Ministry Leader Pastor Garland that will engage the heart of the young men. This will be a faith based movie or it will be a story of triumph that will encourage the young men.
- This will be once a year on a Friday night.
- This will be in the main sanctuary and the movie will be played on the jumbo screen (just like being at a movie theater!).
- The movie will be marketed for a month leading up to the event through social media and our weekend service announcements. The Movie will be played on the jumbo screen with the lights darkened to feel like an actual movie theater. Candy, popcorn, and water will be available for purchase in the lobby. After the movie there will be a short 10 minute discussion about the movie by a leader so that He can impart into the young men about what they had just watched.
- This is a great way for the young men to enjoy some light hearted fellowship with the ministry leaders and one another over a good movie on our beautiful jumbo screen. It will be an alternative way to impart into the young men and also keep them in the house of God on a Friday Night instead of the streets.

Activity Two

Annual Basketball Game. (1 Cor 12:5-6; Prov 17:17; 1 Cor 1:10; Nurture, Reconnect)

Specifics of Activity

- All of the young men of ChoZen, ministry leaders, and fathers/male role models.
- This will be an annual basketball game where ChoZen young men, ministry leaders, and parents can have fellowship by enjoying a friendly basketball game.
- This will be annually during the Summertime when the young men are on Summer vacation.
- This is a great opportunity for the ChoZen young men and all of the adults involved to bond outside of the church walls. The purpose is to create fun memories between the young men and leadership.

Activity Three

Board Game Night! (1 Cor 12:5-6; Prov 17:17; Mat 18:20; Nurture, Reconnect)

Specifics of Activity

- The ChoZen young men, and the ministry leaders will be in attendance.

- This will be a night where we have multiple board games set up to be played. All of the young men can freely choose which game they want to play.
- The preferred time will be on a Wednesday night during service. This will be once a year in Venue 127 from 6:30pm-7:30pm.
- The Ministry leaders will set up the board games before the service begins. All of the ChoZen young men will be able to freely bounce around from game to game fellowshiping and having fun with one another. The games will be packed up by those last playing at 7:30pm.
- The reason for playing board games is because it is extremely interactive and you have to actively communicate and be around one another. This is a great way for the young men to do a fun activity that will help them get to know each other, especially those who they may not have gotten to really bond with.

Activity Four

Bonfire Night! (1 Cor 12:5-6; Rom 12:5; Rom 12:16; Reconnect, Nurture)

Specifics of Activity

- All of the ChoZen young men and ministry leaders invited, bring a friend!
- This will be a yearly event that will be held on a Friday night in the VIP parking section.
- A bonfire will be set up with chairs around it and smores are able to be made. A small speaker will also be playing Christian music.
- Everyone loves a good bonfire during a Summer Night. This is a great way for us to enjoy Summer together and the comfort of a warm fire. This encourages us to hangout together outside the four walls of the church and to experience a night of good conversations and a fun Summer Night.

BREAKING OF BREAD

The practices of observing Communion or the Lord's Table (Acts 2:42); eating a meal (27:35); or sharing a meal together as in Acts 20:7, 11, 26; partaking in intimate fellowship

Activity One

Summer BBQ Night! (1 Cor 12:5-6, Rom 12:16; Rom 12:5; Reconnect, Nurture)

Specifics of Activity(Who, What, When, Where, How, Why)

- All ChoZen young men and Ministry leaders, bring a friend!

- This will be a night of bbqing hot dogs, hamburgs, and any other piece of meat we can through on the grill! Bean bags will be set up along with any other Summer Games that we can find.
- This will be once a year during our Wednesday Night Service from 6:30pm-7:30pm.
- This will be on the side of Venue 127 and into the VIP parking outside of the building.
- This will be done by having the Ministry Leaders make hot dogs, hamburgers, and bring other food and beverages to the service to be enjoyed by themselves and ChoZen. The games will be set up before service for everyone to go play and get to know one another during the food and fun.
- Summer is a beautiful time of year full of games and food... why not do it together? This is a great way to get to fellowship over some food we all love and some games we love, let's enjoy them together.

Activity Two

Dinner with the MEN- Great Men of God at Lighthouse eat and talk with Lighthouse ChoZen young men (Lev 19:32; 1 Pet 5:5; Eph 6:1-3; Nurture, Remodel, Rebuild)

Specifics of Activity

- ChoZen young men, ministry leaders, and great men of God from Lighthouse will be in attendance.
- This will be a night that a meal is enjoyed by all. The great men of God from Lighthouse who are Pastors, Police Officers, Lawers, Doctors, Business Owners, etc will spend time and talk about life and serving God with the young men.
- This will be in Venue 127 once a year.
- Food will be ordered for all involved and they will freely be able to make a plate of food. The young men will sit with these great men and pick their brains about God, faith, careers, and anything else they have on their minds.
- It is crucial that young men know what a Man of God looks, speaks, acts, and how He conducts Himself. So many young men do not have great Father figures or men to look up to but that will change!

Activity Three

Communion and What it Means to You (Mark 14:22-24; 1 Cor 11:23-25; Luke 22:18-20; Nurture, Remodel, Reconnect)

Specifics of Activity

- All of the ChoZen young men, and ministry leaders will be involved.
- This will be an event where communion is done the way Jesus taught for it to be done. The ministry leader will explain the purpose of communion and partake of the Lord's Supper with the young men.

- This will be once a year on a Wednesday Night in Venue 127.
- The ministry leader will inform all the young men of ChoZen about this ahead of time and market it through social media. Grape juice and mitzvah crackers will be provided.
- We are doing this because it is important for the young men of ChoZen to understand why the Lord wanted us to do this. This will grow the young men spiritually and understand their Lord and God better.

Activity Four

What did Jesus Eat Night! (Mat 26:26; Acts 2:46; Lk 24:35; Remodel, Nurture)

Specifics of Activity

- All young men of ChoZen and ministry leaders will be in attendance.
- This will be a night where the young men eat what Jesus ate! Middle Eastern and Jewish food will be served for a night of breaking of bread in a fun, informative way!
- This will be held once a year in Venue 127 on a Friday Night.
- Ministry leaders will pick up catering of Middle Eastern, and Jewish food that Jesus would have eaten Himself.
- This is an exciting way to have fellowship with ministry leaders and amongst each other. Instead of regular food the ChoZen young men will be able to connect with Jesus by experiencing what He really ate!.

PRAYER

Believers came together in all aspects of prayer. Upon the inception of the Church, Jewish believers continued praying multiple times in the temple. However, they also prayed in small groups, individual house churches, and collective house churches.

Activity One

Facebook Prayer Group- Requests (1 Jn 5:14-15; Jas 5:14-15; 1 Tim 2:1-2; Nurture, Remodel, Reconnect, Rebuild)

Specifics of Activity

- All young men of ChoZen, and all ministry Leaders will have access to this page.
- This will be a closed facebook group (invite only). The purpose is to create a group that is full the soul purpose of encouraging posts and a place to ask for prayer requests. Corporate prayer from the ministry leaders and fellow young men if Anchor will pray for these requests.
- This will be a 24/7 active facebook page.

- The admins of the page will be a select group of ministry leaders who are technologically savvy.
- This will allow the young men to immediately ask for prayer and bond together spiritually by praying for one another. This will also be a great way for Ministry leaders to know about the problems of these young men and actively engage them in finding a spiritual solution.

Activity Two

Private Prayer (1Th 5:16-18; Jas 5:14-15; Mat 18:10-20; Nurture, Reconnect, Rebuild, Remodel)

Specifics of Activity

- The young men of Chozen and the ministry leaders will be involved.
- This is a time when the young men can ask the Ministry leader for personal prayer requests that they do not wish to be made public.
- This will be at the end of Wednesday Night Services, as well as the weekend services if the young men choose to approach their ministry leaders.
- The ministry leaders will tell all the young men of ChoZen(continuously) that private prayer requests are always welcomed. The reason that they need to continuously remind that is to encourage them to come to the ministry leader for spiritual help.
- This is to engage the young men on a deeper level that through a corporate facebook group page. Some problems are best to be dealt in private for all involved, especially the young man in ChoZen asking for the prayer requests.

Activity Three

Prayer Note Cards (1Th 5:16-18; Jas 5:14-15; Mat 18:10-20; Nurture)

Specifics of Activity

- The young men of ChoZen and the ministry leaders will be involved.
- The ministry leaders will create prayer note cards to hand out to the young men of ChoZen. These cards will be prayers that the young men can learn to pray over their own lives (ex: "Lord make me a man after your own heart, strengthen me for the battles in my life that you see coming" etc.)
- These prayer cards will be handed out at the end of every service or as the ministry leader receives direction from the Holy Spirit to do so.
- The purpose is to do train the young men of ChoZen to become prayer warriors and to learn how to pray for themselves and various situations.

Activity Four

Prayer & Intercession (1Th 5:16-18; Jas 5:14-15; Mat 18:10-20; Nurture, Reconnect, Rebuild, Remodel)

Specifics of Activity

- The young men of ChoZen and all ministry leaders will be in attendance. As well as parents who want to be involved.
- This is a time for the ChoZen young men, ministry leaders, and parents to come together in faith and prayer. Praying for themselves, each other, and any special situation the ministry leaders feel the need to prayer for. Ministry leaders and ChoZen young men will take turns handling the microphone as they pray together.
- This will take place twice a year in Venue 127, or as the ministry leaders feels the need for this corporate prayer.
- This will train the young men of ChOzen to learn to pray corporately and the importance of corporate prayer. Together all involved will see the hand of God move through their prayers and faith will be gained.