



HOME CELL TEACHING

DISTRICT 1, 2, 3, 4 & 5

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WELCOME

Warmly greet each other and enjoy an icebreaker of your choice.

WORSHIP

During your worship time allow time for the Holy Spirit to use people in the gifts of the Spirit
eg: Tongues and interpretations of prophecy; be sensitive to what the Holy Spirit is showing you concerning the needs of the people and what you need to do.

Encourage the people to exercise the gifts of the spirit.

OFFERING

Do an offering of your choice, delegate someone for next week.

NB: Remember to share with your people the purpose of **cell offering**. It is used to meet the needs of the poor in our communities.

WORD

Reach one for Christ - are you reaching one for Christ. Who is your one?

DESIGNED FOR LIFE

“Lifestyle”

Christianity is a lifestyle. The road is narrow but the burden is light;

God is doing a new thing, we can't serve Him the way we did 10yrs ago, He want to do a new thing in our lives.

1. When God starts doing new things, He starts to build a fresh relationship with us, in that fresh relationship, it's a new season of Spiritual breakthroughs. God wants to do some reconciliation in our lives.
2. That's why worship builds the respect, value and honour of who God is in our lives.
3. We cannot say we love and worship God, if we mistreat people, don't respect leaders and family members.
4. We need to become like God, to be shaped in His image and in His likeness.
 - a) **Ephesians 5 v 1:**
Watch what God does, and then you do it, like children who learn proper behavior from their parents.

So many people are teaching about “life by design” and so forth, but what does the bible say?

We know that God has created us and designed us “*For Life*” He knew there would be some things we would have to deal with in life. Amazingly God originally created us to live forever in a place called “*Eden*”, we know the story.

IMAGINE EDEN:

1. No fighting, no fear, no anger, no hate, no competition, no disaster, no death and no more crime. God is pursuing you to transform you, to give you hope and a future,

N.B: Worship is not just words sung to music, not a format we learn, it's not just sound, not just prayer or an hour given. Worship is just the beginning it's a devotion to God, through thoughts, actions and priorities. Everyday, every hour, minute and second.

Romans 1: Take your everyday life, your sleeping, eating, going to work and walking around, and place it before God, as an offering a life centered to God, to lead us, and to experience His love so that He can direct us to love others.

Proskuneo (Strong's 5457)

We were made to worship in the Gr. Lang; "Proskuneo" it means to fawn, to crouch or prostrate oneself in homage, to do reverence or to adore. The word is taken from a word meaning to kiss, eg. "Dog licking his master's hand"

Latreuo (Strong's 3000)

This word is translated 3 times as worship, It means "to minister to God" to render religious homage, to serve, and to the service of worship.

In the book of: "Tell somebody" "Your worship is gonna work"
God does not just want visitation but He wants habitation.

Act 24v 14: "But I do freely admit this; In regards to the way, which they malign as a dead-end street, I serve and worship the very same God served and worshiped by all our ancestors and embrace everything written in all our Scriptures.(MSG)

Worship is not something that you consciously think through but it comes out of a union with God.

John 15 v 5: I am the vine, you are the branches, He that abides in Me, and I in him, the same brings forth much fruit; for without Me you can do nothing.

John 15 v 6: If anyone does not abide in Me, he is cast forth as a branch, and is withered; they gather and cast them into the fire, and they are burned

John 15 v 7: If you abide in Me, and My words abide in you, you shall ask what you will, and it shall be done unto you.

Worship is a way of living before the Father, it is an attitude of gratitude. Worship is a lifestyle of co-existence with God, a life of worship and service to Him.

Isaiah 61 v 3 to 4: ...we've been given the garment of praise for the spirit of heaviness.....

John 4 v 23: But the time is coming-it has, in fact, what you're called will not matter and where you go to worship will not matter. "It's who you are and the way you live that count before God.

Your worship must engage your spirit in the pursuit of truth. That's the kind of people the Father is out looking for, those who are simply and honestly with them selves before Him in their worship.

John 4 v 24: God is sheer being itself (Spirit). Those who worship Him must do it out of their very being, "their spirits, their true selves, in adoration"

Are you serious about style? How much are you prepared to pay?

- * Faith is a lifestyle **Romans 1 v 17** & **Habakkuk 2 v 4**
- * Giving is a lifestyle **Luke 6 v 38**
- * Love is a lifestyle **1 Corinthians 13 v 4 to 8**
- * Thanksgiving is a lifestyle **1 Thessalonians 5 v 18**
- * Worship is a lifestyle **Philippians 3 v 3**

Cheap or expensive, we will pay, part of the frustrations in people's lives is that they try in their own strength. So many people are teaching about "*life by design*" and so forth, but what does the Bible say?

WORKS

1. Don't forget to pray for YOUR ONE "**ONE BY ONE**"