

SESSION THREE

The Springfield Baptist Church Strategy



*“... I have become all things to all men,
that I might by all means save some. Now
this I do for the gospel’s sake, that I may be
partaker of it with you.”*

Paul, I Corinthians 9: 22 – 23

SEMINAR OUTLINE

SESSION ONE: OUR SALVATION

- What it means to be a Christian
- The Symbols of Salvation: Baptism and Communion

SESSION TWO: OUR STATEMENTS

- Our Vision Statement
- Our Faith Statement (Baptist Faith and Message 2000)
- Our Lifestyle Statement

SESSION THREE: OUR STRATEGY

- Who we are trying to reach
- Five circles of commitment
- Levels of Growth
- Ministry Gifts Inventory

SESSION FOUR: OUR STRUCTURE

- How our church is structured
 - Staff
 - Deacons (Deacon List and Covenant)
 - Lay Leadership
- Overview of our ministries
 - Map
 - Sunday School and Small Groups
 - Outreach Ministries
 - Discipleship Ministries
 - Constitution and Bylaws
 - Committees and Teams

WHO ARE WE TRYING TO REACH?

Write down at least five people, groups of people or areas in their community that needs Christ or needs church.

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

5. _____

Springfield Prospects:

Dechurched

Robertson County

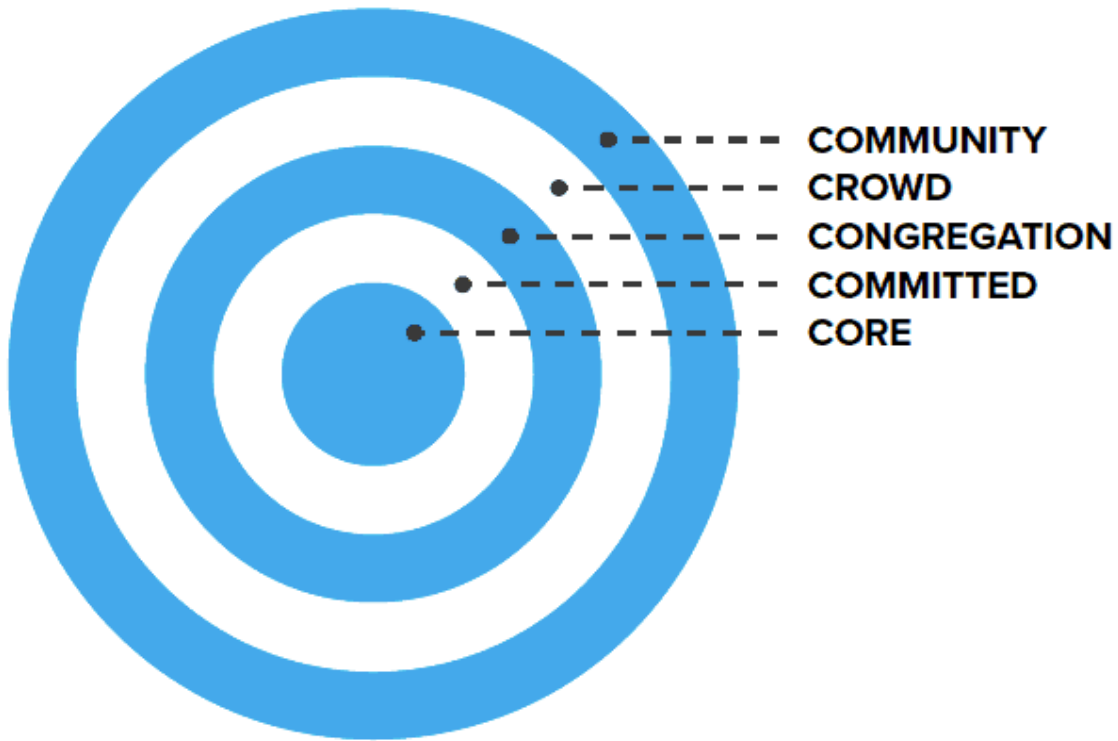
We do not exist to _____
with other churches. The unchurched, dechurched and
lost people in Robertson County are almost the
majority. They are the people that God wants us to
reach for His glory.

Total Population of Robertson County (2020)
70,982

Total Religious Adherents: 53%

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| Total Population of Adams, TN | 602 |
| Total Population of Cedar Hill, TN | 271 |
| Total Population of Coopertown, TN | 4,528 |
| Total Population of Cross Plains, TN | 1,900 |
| Total Population of Greenbrier, TN | 6,859 |
| Total Population of Orlinda, TN | 1,211 |
| Total Population of Pleasant View, TN | 4,660 |
| Total Population of Ridgetop, TN | 2,441 |
| Total Population of Springfield, TN | 17,147 |
| Total Population of White House, TN | 12,258 |

5 CIRCLES OF COMMITMENT



1. The Core is composed of Lay Leader/Vocational _____.
2. The Committed level is composed of _____ Members.
3. The Congregation level is composed of _____.
4. The Crowd level are regular _____.
5. The Community level are the unchurched and _____ attenders.

THE FOUR SPRINGFIELD COVENANTS

1. THE _____ COVENANT...

is a commitment to _____ and the _____ family.

“Now, therefore, you are no longer strangers and foreigners, but fellow citizens with the saints and members of the household of God.”

Ephesians 2:19

“For as we have many members in one body, but all the members do not have the same function, so we, being many, are one body in Christ, and individually members of one another.”

Romans 12: 4 – 5

2. THE _____ COVENANT...

is a commitment to the _____ necessary for spiritual growth.

“But grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. To Him be the glory both now and forever. Amen.”

II Peter 3: 18

“But reject profane and old wives’ fables, and exercise yourself rather to godliness.”

I Timothy 4: 7

3. THE _____ COVENANT...

is a commitment to discovering and using my God-given gifts and abilities in _____ God and others.

“As each one has received a gift, minister it to one another, as good stewards of the manifold grace of God.”

“There are differences of ministries...Now you are the body of Christ and members individually.”

I Corinthians 12: 5, 27

4. THE _____ COVENANT...

_____ is a commitment to _____ the Good News with others.

“...and you shall be witnesses to me...to the end of the earth.”

Acts 1:8

“But sanctify the Lord God in your hearts, and always be ready to give a defense to everyone who asks you a reason for the hope that is in you, with meekness and fear...”

Why do we have these Covenants?

WE BECOME WHAT WE ARE _____ TO.

“For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also.”

Matthew 6: 21

*****All four of these particular covenants are found in the Springfield Baptist Church membership covenant located after the next session.**

BLESS EVERY HOME



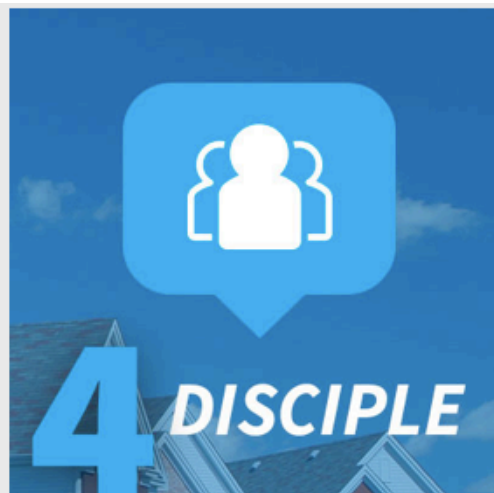
Being a light to your neighbors begins with prayer. When prompted, learn how to pray specifically for the families that you have adopted.



Being a light to your neighbors includes caring for them. Learn how to naturally and intentionally care for families, especially during times of need.

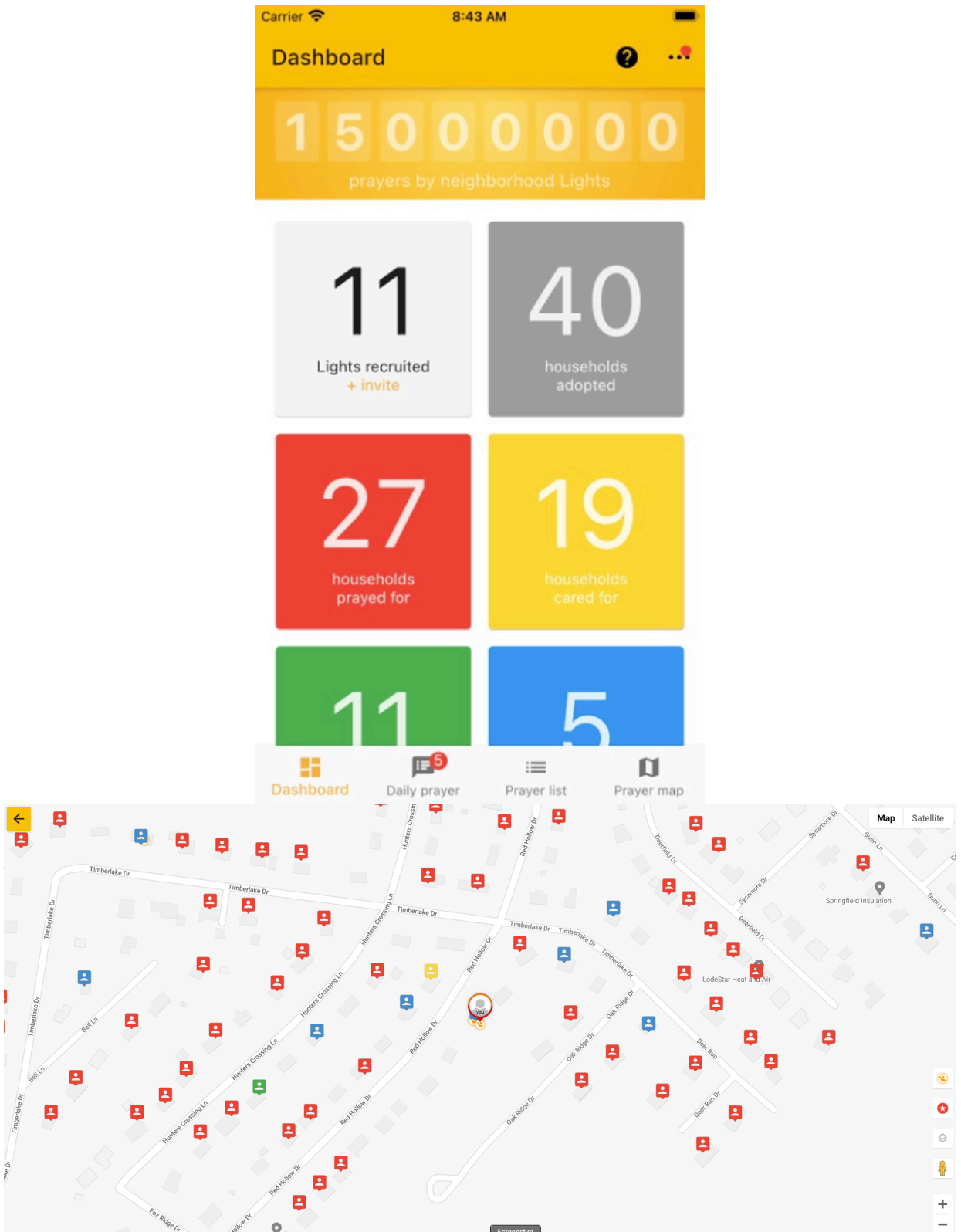


Being a light to your neighbors means sharing Jesus with them. Learn how to generate conversations that lead to a Gospel presentation.



Being a light to your neighbors means that you will help them in their spiritual journey. Learn how to start and lead small group Bible studies in your community.

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Step 1: Go to www.BlessEveryHome.com

Step 2: Sign Up (Be sure to name Springfield Baptist Church as your home church).

Step 3: Wait on the e-mail, pray for your names and click "Prayed."

The Ministry Gifts Inventory

HOW Do we do it?

_____ **new believers/members into
roles of ministry.**