

Ministry Group Captain

Purpose

The purposes of Golden Warrior's Ministry Groups are to promote the building of relationships and to support care and ministry among our Sunday school class members.

Ministry Group Guidelines

1. Ministry groups should include up to five couples in each group. If the group consists of singles, there should be 3 – 6 members in each group.
2. At the start of the Sunday school year, October 1, ministry group captains shall be enlisted by week four, and groups assigned by week six.
4. The class teacher is responsible to make sure that care groups are functioning effectively. He will either provided oversight and guidance or delegate this responsibility to an accountable member of the class.

Job Description

1. Your walk with Christ – Ensure that you are born again. Examine yourself if you are in the faith or not. Seek to develop a strong personal relationship with God through daily personal Bible study and prayer.
2. Contacts - Make contact with group members on a consistent basis for sharing or updating prayer concerns and communication of class events (Minimum of every other week). Continual absentees should not be contacted frequently if the contact is not appreciated. Contact through either a phone call, or card / letter, an email, an in home visit and communicate with your group members. Thank them for their attendance, or encourage them to come. Tell them you are praying for them. Love them where they hurt.
3. Communication - Serve as a communication link to members regarding class and church activities. All provide feedback to the class teacher for items of ministry requiring his attention.
4. Fellowship - Lead the group in planning monthly or bi-monthly fellowship times. These can be in a home, meeting at a restaurant, or any other activity done as a group.
5. Team Ministry - Assist your Sunday school leaders in any aspect of ministry as needed. Look for ways to help build an effective Sunday school. Assist in the discovery, development, and recruitment of new leaders.

6. Involvement - Provide opportunities for members of the group to do ministry. (E.g. have different people in the group contact repeated absentees. Assigned prospect contacts) Identify who in your group will be a Ministry Group Captain.

7. Pray - Pray daily for your group members. Bring their needs to God and ask God to give you a heart full of love for that person. Ask the members how you can pray for them.

8. Know your members - Visit in the home of each group member. Find out all you can about the group member. Ask them to share their personal testimony, and share yours with them. Ask about needs in their lives.