

TEACHER Lead adults to **DISCOVER** God's Word

Responsible for leading the class to develop an environment in which people have the opportunity to accept Christ and mature as Christians. This is accomplished as the teacher:

- (1) prepares his or her life as the primary spiritual and ministry leader of the class;
- (2) enlists individuals to lead the class in outreach and hospitality/ministry; lead the class to function as an open group;
- (3) leads the class to encounter God's Word during the Bible study session;
- (4) leads the class to continue personal Bible study and apply Bible truth throughout the week;
- (5) leads the class to multiply by working with church leaders to start new classes and by sending members out to serve.
- (6) Build relationship with and look for opportunities to minister to up-to five members of the class.

OUTREACH Lead class to **INVITE** adults

Works with the teacher and class members to develop and implement a strategy to discover and invite prospective members. The strategy should include:

- (1) Help class members discover prospects.
- (2) Prepare contact and visitation assignments for members to use in visiting and contacting prospects.
- (3) Lead members to follow up so visitors and other prospects are given opportunity to join and connect with ministry opportunities of the class.
- (4) Identify training opportunities so members can focus on sharing their faith
- (5) Lead class members to pray for unchurched persons and engage in opportunities to invite them to be part of the class.
- (6) Build relationship with and look for opportunities to minister to up-to five members of the class.

HOSPITALITY Lead class to **CONNECT** adults to Christ and to ministry

Lead the class to help members and prospects connect with fellowship, Bible study and ministry opportunities of the class and church. This can be accomplished as this leader:

- (1) Leads the class to plan and conduct regular opportunities for fellowship, as part of the Bible study session and during other experiences.
- (2) Identifies and implement actions to help members feel part of the class, connect with ministry opportunities, and grow in their connection with the ministry of and mission expressions through the church.
- (3) Organizes the class to minister to each other; this can be done by assigning up to five members (and associate members) to class members—including to this leader - for ministry, prayer, and regular contact.
- (4) Lead the class to focus on Absentee contacts, Crisis contacts, and Encouragement and Evangelistic contacts.