**INVOLVING MY CLASS IN OUTREACH**

**Defining the Purpose of Sunday School**

**What are we here for?**

**What is the purpose of your Sunday School class?**

* Why does my class exist?
* What does it do?
* Why should someone attend?

1. Why does my class exist?

* Provide a **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**  point for people to our church. A place to .
* To provide a place for to be developed in an intimate setting.
* Where interactive **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_** can take place.

1. What does it do?
   * Helps those in .
   * Allows everyone to be involved in the overall work of the

.

* + Provides applicable Bible truths and  for everyday living.

1. Why should someone attend?

Flake’s Formula for Sunday School Growth

1. Know the  **.**
2. Enlist, train and workers.
3. Provide  **.**
4. Enlarge the organization.
5. Go after the **.**

Sunday School: Purpose Statement Guidelines

* + - Should be no more than one  .
    - Should be easily by a twelve year old.
    - Should be able to by memory.

Develop a Purpose Statement:

Why should we do this?

“If you aim at nothing, you will hit it every time.”

Outreach/Evangelism has to be a major component to what we do in our Sunday School/Small Group Ministry.

1. Get your class/group involved in your churches existing  **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.**
2. Teach your lesson with **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_** in mind.
3. Find someone within your class/group that will lead class/group in **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.**
4. Give outreach some **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**on Sunday mornings.

**Week One**: Have someone share their **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**.

**Week Two**: Assign class prospect **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_** to be made by class members.

**Week Three:** Allow those making the visits from previous week to **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

about their visits.

**Week Four:** Spend some time talking about group/class **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_** projects.

**These weekly focuses help the group/class fulfill Acts 1:8 – starting in their Jerusalem and going to the ends of the earth.**