

GENERATIONS BLENDED BIBLICAL SHARING

SISTER'S IN THE SPIRIT TENTATIVE AGENDA

Wednesday July 9

Day 1, The Issues

John 16:33

9:00-9:20

PRAYER

WORKSHOP RULES

THEME AND PURPOSE

SIS SCHEDULE

ICEBREAKER

1. Boomers and Millennials birth month sort.
2. Small group sort

9:20-10:05

Brief review/Clip and discussion.

Generations Video

Small Group Discussion:

Develop a list (need charts or post-its) of concerns that members of each generation in your small group struggle with.

Video and discussion on Statistics of Generational Challenges

10:05-10:20

Reflection/Break

10:20-12:00

Small Group Discussion "Color Purple," Video Clip

-How do or have generations responded to these challenges or issues in general?
How have challenges changed throughout the generations. What are issues today that are different from that of the older generations and vice versa.

-What have you learned about the other generations?

-What have you learned about your own generation?

Prayers and dismiss

1:00

Lunch

2:30

Community Service Projects

Thursday July 10

Day 2, Do you want to be healed? /What is your response?

John 5:6

9:00-9:20

PRAYER
REMINDERS
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9:20-10:20

Brief Review/Video Clip and Discussion
(Parenthood w/ Grandmother)
Small Group Discussion:

What would be some reasons why people would **not** want healing?

What “sins” in our society need healing?

What to some are sources of healing?

Ponder what in your personal life needs healing.

How do people go about being “healed.”

Whole group discussion: Discuss the answers.

What does it mean to, “Go and sin no more” to each generation?

Who are our influencers for healing? Discuss what an influencer is in your generation.

10:20-10:35

Reflection/Break

10:35-11:50

Ice Breaker

Video Clip/Discussion

Small Group Discussion:

What is your response when you don’t understand God’s plan? Or you don’t understand why certain things have happened in your life?

Do you believe we play a role in what we do or don’t hear from the Lord?

11:50-12:00

Reflection/Quick Break

12:00-100

Video Example/Group Activity: Given what you now know about members of your team, decide on a name for your group.

Design a gesture welcome for your group.

After your activity is completed, when leaving and greeting one another, share the gesture.

End with prayers within your group. Especially pray for what needs healing in each life.

1:00

Lunch

2:00

Opportunity to take a walk in a park or at a botanical garden.

Friday July 11
Day 3, So what shall we say? Romans 8:31

9:00-9:20

PRAYER
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9:20-10:20

Brief Review
What does all this mean?
Refer to the statistics list:
Specific to America, Specific to African
American People

10:20-10:35

Break

10:35-11:35

Small Group: How do we as Christians remember, address, call on, be open to, walk with, follow the will of God concerning these issues?

(use your post its)

- 11:35-1:45 Reflection/Break
- 11:45-1:00 Large Group discussion on how we as Christians remember, address, call on, be open to, walk with, follow the will of God concerning these issues?
Close and Prayer
- 2:00 Community Service Projects
(Food bags, blankets, and pillows for the community)

Saturday July 12

Day 4, Share the story! Go and do likewise. Luke 10:37

- 9:00-9:20 PRAYER
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ICEBREAKER
- 9:20-10:20 Brief Review of last 3 days
Small Group
- Share with one another three things you learned about others and yourself.
 - Share three things you want people to remember about you.
 - Take the time to share your phone number and address with group members.

- Share what you need prayers for.
- Share how you will use what you've learned.
- Write your prayer concerns with or without your name and provide it to the workshop leader for sharing with the large group to take home for prayer.

10:20-10:35

Reflection/Break

10:35-12:00

Participant Evaluation Form

Recap of main points.

Feedback from participants.

Reflections

Sharing of Christian Coping Strategies

Debrief/A call to action

Share your contact information

Madea Video Clip

Closing prayer