

### **Your Church Name**

# Organic Outreach Infusion Ninth Shot of Espresso (Year 2, Shot 9) Date of Meeting

## Preparing for this meeting...

# Reading:

o Organic Outreach for Churches (Chapter 10) Faith Comes By Hearing

**Prayer:** Pray that in all we do to reach the lost, the Gospel message would be available and would be spoken at all the appropriate times in all the right places.

**Personal Action:** Think about the four levels of outreach intensity discussed in this chapter. Is there a balanced diet in each of the ministry areas of our church? Using the "measure intensity" chart at the end of chapter 10, categorize the various outreach ministries in our church.

# Meeting Agenda

**Meeting Focus and Learning Theme:** It is important that the availability for people to be introduced to Jesus is present in different measures and at each outreach event or program. In this meeting, we will look into our church having a balanced diet of Gospel intensity.

**Opening Prayer:** Ask God to help our church leadership understand the need for the Gospel to go forth and for the wisdom to create a balanced diet to make this happen.

**Accountability** 

One Minute to Share It (The One-Degree Rule) You will want to get in groups of

two or three and use a one-minute timer in each group.

What is your personal outreach temperature right now?

What is one way you can raise your personal temperature this week?

Inspiration

• Have one person share a brief outreach story from their personal outreach or

their area of ministry.

Learning

Read: Romans 10:13-15

**Teaching Theme**: The Intensity and Clarity of the Message

**Discussion:** 

• Review the four outreach intensity levels in chapter 10 of Organic

Outreach for Churches. Why are all four important?

**Planning** 

**Group Discussion and Collaboration** 

Which intensity levels might seem weak or lacking? What step(s) can we

take to create a more balanced diet?

**Closing Prayer**: Pray together for...

Our church to be attracting the lost through our programs and events and

that they would be able to receive the message of the Gospel when the

timing is right.

Preparation for next month's Shot of Espresso

Reading:

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o Organic Outreach for Ordinary People (Chapter 8) Incarnational Living

**Prayer:** Pray that you and those in our church would show the love, hope, and goodness of Jesus everywhere we go and in all that we do.

**Personal Action:** Document where you go on a weekly basis and who you might see who is not a follower of Jesus. Take time this week to be a better listener. Write down what you learn. Take note of how God used you to help others along on their spiritual journey.