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Abstrak

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Write the introduction here. The introduction must present: (1) the social and scientific value of the study, supported by literature; (2) a review of prior research and the knowledge gap this study addresses; (3) the theoretical or conceptual framework where applicable; and (4) a clear statement of the study aim and objectives in the final paragraph. Minimum three paragraphs. Cite all sources using APA 7th edition in-text format, e.g. (Author, Year, p. X).

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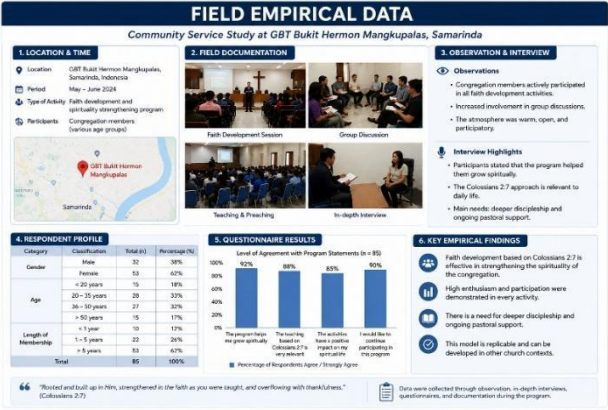


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