



Lead Others to Jesus Guide

As a church leader, you have the incredible privilege of guiding people toward life-transforming faith in Jesus. This guide will help you recognize when someone is ready to make a commitment and give you the tools to gently and confidently lead them. These moments are sacred, and your words, questions, and prayers can help someone step into a new life filled with hope, purpose, and God's love.

Prayer to Follow Jesus

Dear Jesus, I know that I have done wrong by living without You. I want to turn from my sins, and I ask for Your forgiveness. I believe that Jesus Christ is Your Son. I believe He died for my sins and that You raised Him to life. I want Him to come into my heart and to take control of my life. I want to trust Jesus as my Savior and follow Him as my Lord from this day forward. In Jesus' Name, amen.

Signs Someone May Be Ready

- *Spiritual Curiosity:* They ask questions about faith, salvation, or the teachings of Jesus. (This is also a good sign to invite them to Alpha!)
- *Conviction of Sin:* They express guilt or remorse over past actions and seek forgiveness.
- *Desire for Change:* They indicate a longing for transformation in their life and a new direction.
- *Seeking Purpose:* They inquire about the meaning of life and their purpose in God's plan.
- *Openness to Prayer:* They are willing to engage in prayer or spiritual practices.

Questions to Confirm Readiness

Note: These are not in any particular order. Nor do you need to ask all of them. 1-2 questions are probably sufficient to confirm their readiness.

- "Would you like to pray and invite Jesus into your heart today?"
- "What do you understand about the forgiveness and new life Jesus offers?"

- "Are you ready to turn away from your old ways and trust Jesus with your life?"
- "Do you believe Jesus is the Son of God and that He died for your sins?"
- "What does it mean to you to follow Jesus?"

Next Steps for Leaders

1. Affirm the individual's decision and encourage them in their new faith journey.
2. Communicate the Decision – Encourage them to fill out a Connect Card or fill out the form online at getvictory.net/faithdecision so we can celebrate their decision with them.
3. Decision Box – Invite them to pick up a Decision Box at the church Info Desk to help them grow in their new faith.
4. Guide them toward next steps such as baptism, joining the Essentials of Faith Lifegroup, and daily Bible reading.