

WELCOMING OF FIRST TIMERS

It is very necessary to formally recognize and appreciate the presence of those attending the Home Fellowship for the first time.

The Home Fellowship leaders and members should shake hands and warmly welcome first-timers and also introduce the Home Fellowship by name including the leader and host/hostess of the Home Fellowship.

2 Mins

COMMUNION SESSION

In preparing the Communion table, please note that bread, biscuits, cake or wafers can be used as the Flesh, while non-alcoholic drinks/beverages can be used as the Blood.

4 Mins

INFORMATION/CLOSING

A. Interactive section

3 Min

Members of the Home Fellowship should be notified/reminded of the upcoming events or programmes of the Church and fellowship center.

The Home Fellowship leader should repeat the information given on Sunday (i.e., The Sunday preceding any Home Fellowship Day). They can also add any information left out in church, which they consider necessary for the members of the Home Fellowship.

B. Closing

The Home Fellowship should be closed with a brief prayer/declaration (with a scripture) on members by the minister, followed by thanksgiving to God for all He has done in the Home Fellowship and the grace prayer.

HOST A FELLOWSHIP TODAY IN YOUR HOME OR OFFICE.

2 Samuel 6:11



...home of success

SALVATION MINISTRIES

HOME FELLOWSHIP OFFICIATING MANUAL

HOW TO LEAD/OFFICIATE IN A HOME FELLOWSHIP

On behalf of the leadership of Salvation Ministries, we present to you a do-it-Yourself guide on how to lead or officiate in a fellowship center.

INTRODUCTION

Acts 2:46 (KJV) And they, continuing daily with one accord in the temple, and breaking bread from house to house, did eat their meat with gladness and singleness of heart.

The Home Fellowship is the spiritual family unit of the church, where everyone feels a sense of belonging. It is an avenue prepared by the church to care for God's people.

It is also a platform for leadership development and spiritual growth, where members are given opportunities to render kingdom service and to grow spiritually, socially, emotionally and otherwise. **Acts 5:42; Rom. 12:1**

The host or leaders should encourage members to participate and should not officiate alone.

OPENING PRAYER

The Home Fellowship must start with an opening prayer.

The opening prayer should be a prayer of thanksgiving in anticipation for what God is set to do in the Home Fellowship.

It should be taken with appropriate scriptures in line with the theme of the Home Fellowship for the day.

1 Min

WORSHIP AND PRAISE

Worship and praise in the Home Fellowship should be done the same way it is done on the altar of Salvation Ministries, with songs that glorify God and show forth His greatness.

7 Mins

PREPARATORY PRAYER

Preparatory prayers should be taken fervently to clear evil and prepare the Home Fellowship center for Supernatural manifestation.

14 Mins

WORD CHARGE/ALTAR CALL

The Word charge should be taken as presented in the Home Fellowship guide.

The time allotted should be strictly observed.

Additional scriptures or revelations are not necessary so as not to exceed the time allotted.

After the Word charge, altar call should be made for souls to be reconciled to God.

10 Mins

INTERACTIVE/QUESTION SESSION

A. Interactive session

8 Mins

This session avails members the opportunity to ask or answer questions and share ideas about the theme of the day.

Any controversial ideology or question should be referred to the church for counseling including all marriage related questions.

B. Question and answers session

To further drive home the message of the day, members should be given the opportunity to answer questions provided in the teaching guide.

The Home Fellowship leader (or the person ministering) should endeavor to engage all members and make this session lively.

PERSONALIZED PRAYER

Members should be encouraged to present their requests for intercession by the members of the Home Fellowship.

Appropriate scriptures should be used for the prayers (The leader should refer to the sample areas and scriptures provided in the Home Fellowship manual).

8 Mins

TESTIMONIES

In this session, members of the Home Fellowship are given the opportunity to share testimonies of what God has done in their lives.

3 Mins