## **21 WAYS TO Share the Gospel** IN 2021

The Cedar Crest mission to "Make disciples of Jesus Christ in the Lehigh Valley" is an important part of being a child of God. Begin by **Praying Fervently** that God would provide opportunities to share the Gospel.



1. Share with a friend, neighbor, or co-worker what you are learning in your devotions.

2. Use your testimony and experiences as ways to open the door to share the Gospel.

3. Hand write or type a thoughtful letter to a friend, family member, or neighbor and include a brief Gospel message. Also ask of ways you can be praying for them. Include your phone number in the letter and let them know you are always available to talk.

4. Watch a respectable Christian movie with a friend or neighbor and have a conversation about it (i.e. "Case for Christ, American Gospel: Christ Alone").

5. Have a Backyard Bible Club at your house and invite families from your neighborhood to join. The Local Outreach Team will help you plan this neighborhood initiative.

6. Invite international friends to a Christian open wedding ceremony where they would hear the Gospel. Talk to them afterward about the biblical meaning of marriage.

7. Invite your neighbors over for a meal especially over the holidays when you can use the opportunity to explain the true reason for celebrating.

8. Instead of eating lunch alone at work or school, eat with other co-workers or classmates to hear their story and share about the gospel from your own life story.

9. Create opportunities to share the gospel before or after the work day by starting a walking/exercise group or even a carpool for co-workers in your area.

10. Visit co-workers or other classmates while they are in the hospital, and use the opportunity to pray with them and talk about the Savior who came to defeat our sin and conquer all suffering and death.

11. Go out of your way to talk about the gospel with some overlooked people in your life, such as maybe janitors in your workplace or unpopular kids at your school.

12. Use "What did you do over the weekend?", and then share about church on Sunday.

13. Ask your waiter/waitress if you can pray for them just before you give thanks at a restaurant. Follow up with them after your meal and offer a Gospel tract.

14. Street evangelism! Join the Cedar Crest team.

15. Give a Gospel tract to the cashier at the grocery store when you're checking out and ask how you can be praying for them.

16. Share the hope of the Gospel on social media.

17. Keep Gospel tracts outside your front door for people to freely take.

- 18. Be prepared to share the Gospel with Jehovah's Witnesses.
- 19. Lawn signs and vehicle signs.

20. Your phone. Share the gospel on your voicemail greeting, witness to telemarketers when they call you, or text back strangers with the gospel message.

21. Invest in an outreach ministry here at **Cedar Crest** to form relationships for the purpose of sharing Christ.

#### Have questions or want to get involved?



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# Get Involved Local Outreach

### OPPORTUNITIES

**Street Evangelism:** Do you want to *share the gospel*, but feel too afraid or don't know what to say? One practical way that you can learn is by seeing others model it! Come and join us on a Saturday morning as we go and meet people from various walks of life in Allentown. Come alongside other believers and learn how to engage in gospel conversation with others so that you can go and do the same with people in your own life! Saturday at 9:00 AM - March 27th, April 10th, April 24th

**Backyard Bible Club:** Reach *families with children* in your neighborhood with the Gospel message by running a children's Backyard Bible Club. We will provide you with helpful training and materials to get you started.

**Evangelism 101 DI Class:** Do you look forward to sharing your faith with others? If you are like many, *evangelism* may not come easy. In fact, it may seem intimidating and downright frightening at times. In this class, we will prepare you to share your faith by learning what to say through various methods. Coming Fall 2021.

**Gospel Tracts:** Pick them up in the ministry hallway and give them to non-believers. 1. "What is the Gospel?" By Greg Gilbert,

- 2. "Ten Reasons Jesus Came to Die" by John Piper and,
- 3. "Are You A Good Person?" by Living Waters Publications.

## LOCAL OUTREACH IN THE CHURCH

**Local Outreach Team:** We seek to help create a culture of evangelism in our local church, where we are all passionate and motivated to share the gospel in every facet of our lives.

**ESL (Teaching English as a Second Language):** Many nations are coming to us, and **teaching English** is an awesome tool that enables us to help meet a need, build a relationship, and share the gospel! Come serve as a teacher or a helper on Monday evenings at the church.

**Food Pantry**: Help meet the *physical needs* of people from different walks of life in in our community. Come out and serve once a month a month, Thursday evening, to give food and share the gospel with people from our community.

**Ministry to Muslims and Neighbors**: Learn how to be intentional in building relationships with **Muslims** in the Lehigh Valley and with your neighbors.

**Push the Rock:** If you have an interest in video games, Push The Rock have started a new initiative called "Esports," in which they seek to use sport video games as a

#### platform to share Christ.

**Evening Sports Ministries:** Coming Fall 2021. Interested in Playing Volleyball or Basketball at the church on a Monday or Tuesday Evening and creating *relationships with non-believers* in the Allentown Community?

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