GATHERER, SHEPHERD, ELDER GSE REGIONAL PATHWAY

SATURATION GOALS • ADOPT GOSPEL SATURATION PRAYER FOCUS • IDENTIFY REGIONAL LEADER – APOSTOLIC REGIONAL LEADER

- BEGINNING POINTS CAST A REGIONAL VISION GEOGRAPHICALLY EMBRACE MULTI-GSE PROCESSED EXPRESSIONS IN FIELD

CONCEPTION TALKWITH THE SPIRIT IN PRAYER

- Discern where the Spirit is placing Gatherers
- Find partnership and support opportunities with existing local churches
- · Develop prayer strategy for region/city/target
- Embrace threshold definition of church 3/5 focus of church

PREPARATION // NEW CHURCH START **GATHERER HEART WORK**

- · Confirm Gatherer's call to this work
- Gauge Gatherer's tracking with community
- Articulate vision growing in Gatherer's heart
- Celebrate vision that is growing in Gatherer

MATCH GATHERER WITH A SHEPHERD/COACH

- · Develop Gatherer vision for gathering
- Recruit/identify shepherd, location and form G-S partnership
- Use 3/5 focus of church to define partnerships
- Train/Coach/Release Gatherer to community

FORMAL SYSTEM LAUNCH

- · Develop:
- 1. Shepherding:
- 2. Children's and
- 3. Worship system Timeline
- Scorecard Defined

CELEBRATE AND WORSHIP TOGETHER

- · Clarify and model a lifestyle of worship philosophy
- · Create an authentic environment
- Train and resource worship facilitators
- Release creativity in worship

CULTIVATE CONTINUOUS MULTIPLICATION

- Monitor gatherers and shepherds to ensure system reproducibility
- Continue to identify new candidates
- Multiply to 3rd, 4th, 5th generations
- Intentionally open up new regions to launch Saturation Movement

IDENTIFY A GATHERER // FIND ONE/KNOW ONE

- · Assess and test Gatherer's abilities
- Check Gatherer's passion for the lost
- Discern with Gatherer about personal values
- Clear role with regional leader

UNDERSTAND **LOCAL CONTEXT**

- Exegete local culture
- · Pray for Gatherer work
- Explore relational networks
- Identify people in population gaps

NEW CHURCH & ESTABLISHMENT BEGIN NEW CHURCH WORK

- Shepherd leads group meetings/worship service
- · Pray for an elder
- Assist three families to come alive and 12 families to thrive
- · Scorecard conversation with coach/regional leader

LISTEN FOR AND DISCOVER THE ELDER

- Discover an elder candidate
- Help the potential elder understand the process
- Match elder to the new church
- Group solidifies around elder, owns elder's leadership

REPRODUCTION EMBRACEAKINGDOM FOCUS

- Ask God to redeem the culture and form relevant compassion ministries
- Address social action issues and network with strategic organizations
- Leverage GSE as a fractal
- Understand the role of chaos, antifragile concepts and model mosaic thinking

LEAD AND MANAGE AS YOU GROW

- · Launch and deepen a coaching culture
- Continually live and communicate the vision
- Evaluate for continual improvement
- Continue to plan for and work toward multiplication



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