

SECTION 6: FORMATION MEETINGS – MEETING 2

John 12:24 *"Unless a grain of wheat falls into the ground and dies, it remains a single grain of wheat but if it dies it will bear much fruit."*

Important for ALL meetings: Place Leader Reflection and Sharing in Middle of Meeting
for best attendance and participation

Second WT Meeting

This is the big work day! Goal is to get all projects moving along – to almost 50-60% completion!!

Before meeting: Touch base with PT for meeting needs; touch base throughout meeting

5 mins WSL - Lead Opening Prayer

10 mins Leader(s)

- Re-introduction (Ice Breaker) if necessary
- Pass out WT Roster – review for corrections
- Collect permission slips, other required forms (Safe Environment, Safe Driving, CANTS forms)
- Collect \$ for weekend/pizza

1 hr 10 mins Leader(s) / Team

- Break into pre-determined groups (play theme song during this time):
- Also work on:
 - Wheat bags
 - Suggestion – each Wheatie does a bag for their PT prayer partner and one candidate
 - Wheat Chain – everyone contributes
 - Monday information packets (sample in filing cabinet)
 - Die Day filing system filled out with PT member names

NOTE: Break if you wish, casual refreshments during work time is usually very productive.

Leader(s)

- Confirm Die Day emails are ready to be sent in the next 7-10 days
- Discuss and agree on Jesus and Peace roles; decision is made in partnership with WSL(s)
 - Offer roles to selected individuals and provide Rise Day Morning Prayer (Jesus) and reflection (Peace speaker) – both available online
 - Inventory Wheat supply checklist (see page 42)

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- 10 mins WSL(s):
- Review Chapel etiquette
 - Entering the Chapel – Holy Water, Genuflect/Bow (explain why)
 - No gum or food; may have water bottle if absolutely necessary
 - Always reverent and respectful; remember where you're at
- 60 mins Leader facilitates **Wheat** reflection; WSL or Leader facilitates prayer service / sharing
- 10 mins Leader(s) / WSL(s):
- Introduce “Watch the Lamb” Passion song
 - Distribute Passion roles and lines
 - This includes lines for the Rise Day Resurrection Prayer Service
 - Contact WT Coordinator about Passion practice if assistance is needed (i.e. not enough members/experience)
 - Emphasize to start memorizing lines – will do first dry run in 2 weeks
- 10 mins WSL(s):
- Advise if there will be Reconciliation next week
 - If not, encourage team to find a time/church in the next week or two (before the weekend) to go to Reconciliation
 - Participating in this Sacrament prepares our hearts even more fully to serve
- 10-15 mins Meet with PT Prayer Partner; give them Wheat letter
- 10 mins Leader(s): Closing Comments
- Do Wheat!
 - Write your Wheat down so you can add this to the Wheat Chain
 - Recruit Candidates – applications available online
 - Confirm location of next meeting, if different
 - Confirm next week is Reconciliation (if applicable)
 - How's the dance coming along?– bring ideas again next week
 - Have Wheat Letters ready for **both** Prayer Partners and bring to next meeting. Have them DONE...This will not be done during our meeting.
 - If not paid, bring money for weekend
 - Reminder: If unable to pay full or partial, see one of the Leaders.

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- Make sure everyone has required forms:
 - Safe Environment / Safe Driving
 - Safe Driving required for anyone **16 and older** by weekend
 - CANTS form – if minor must be signed by parent
 - permission slips if **under 18** – **must be turned in by next week**
- Assign snacks for next meeting
- Expectations for next meeting / Questions?

5 mins WSL – Lead Closing Prayer; encourage spontaneous prayer

Post Leader's Meeting:

- Discuss any needs before TEC weekend; any additional supplies?
- Follow-up with PT SD / ASD / PT assistants for anything they need for the weekend
- Check to be sure there is bottled water (or plan to bring a case) for Reconciliation rooms if needed
- Anything else?