

How To Start A Huddle

12 Steps for a Healthy Launch



The Invitation:

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Make a **TOP 5 List** of gender-specific people of **F.A.I.T.H.**

Pray over the names on this list.

Invite them individually to coffee or a zoom connect to **Share** your heart and vision to equip people to be *disciple-makers in their homes and circles of influence.*

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Go over the **content**, your **commitment** and the **approach** you will use for your weekly meetings. And let them know the:

meeting: virtual or local

start: date and time

length of commitment

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Let them know it will be a **small group** of no more than:

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Be sure to ask them to **pray** about it for a week or two before **committing.**

OR

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men

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women

Follow Up:

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Follow up with a text, such as, "I'm praying for you." Really be praying for them.

Soon after, **schedule** another time to connect **1x1** to just hangout and chat. Ask them if they feel led to join the huddle.

Stay Connected:

7 Invite them to **purchase** whatever **content** is needed for the huddle.

8 Gather from your participants:

mailing addresses
emails
phone numbers
social media

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Send out a **Welcome email** with all the detailed info needed for your huddle. Ask for a **reply** to confirm email address. Send **text** to confirm phone #'s.

Meeting online? Make sure all participants know how to link and join before your first meeting.

Send a **Reminder email** and text the day before your first meeting.

Begin the Journey:

10 Show up **15 minutes early**. Invite others to join.

Keep your meeting to **60 minutes**.

Stay **after 15 minutes** and offer others to join for any follow up. (Come early. Work hard. Stay late.)

Text for daily connection.

Email for communication.

Create a Group Text for the Huddle. Explain that it's for: contact info, prayer, Scripture, encouragement. Nothing else. Ask them to **reply all** with full names for participants to save as new contacts.

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Go and equip faithful disciples to be disciplemakers in their homes and circles of influence.