## CREATING AN OUTREACH MINDSET

BEN BLUMER



Objective: To provide a framework for creating an outreach mindset in your congregation.

Introduction	Notes:
An Outreach Mindset	
#1 are God's only plan for sharing the	
Gospel.	
- Acts 1:8	
#2 Having an outreach mindset will you something.	
- Luke 9:57-62, Matthew 4:18-22	
Question: What might you (or your members) have to sacrifice to have an outreach mindset as a	
church?	
#3 The need our focus because they are	
- Luke 15:4-7	
"The intensity of your search indicates how important something is to you."	
something is to you.	

#4 We find ourselves naturally looking		Notes:
before looking	3·	
	- 1 Corinthians 9:19-20	
Common Question:	"What do I like?" (need?)	
Better Question:	"What do the lost need so they can learn about Jesus?"	
Question: How might you answer someone who feels that		
a church like this doesn't care about its mem- bers?		
Question: What's your reaction to the Easter service story?		
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#5 An outreach n	nindset is a sign of	
growth.		
	- James 1:22, Philippians 2:3-4	
Modeling An Outreach Mindset		
Go & Tell vs. Come & See		
#1 Both are		
#2	is a great place to	
model an outreach mindset.		
	our weekly opportunity to reach the tamount of people.	

Reason #2: It's our first connection with most people who are new to our church.	Notes:
#3 Be ready for the	
Question: What's the difference between a "visitor" and a "guest"?	
#4 It's important to regularly repeat the behind the	
bening the	
A strong hospitality culture provides a catalyst for Christians to regularly think about our mission.	
A strong hospitality culture gives members confidence to invite their unchurch friends.	
Question: What are one or two ways that your church could be more guest-friendly on the weekend?	
Conclusion	