**VALUES - Evangelism** *Hope for this nation*

**Foundational Values**

God loves every person unconditionally. Therefore, we present the Father’s Love through words, actions and power. We love and show respect for towards those we meet. The goodness of God leads to repentance. That makes our mission to tell about how much God loves and how Jesus has taken all our sin for us to receive new life.

*John 15:12. Rom 2:4*

We present the Father’s Love in many different ways. It could be through preaching the gospel, to pray for someone, to buy a cup of coffee or carry someone’s bag. We encourage each and every person to be bold in following how God is leading.

**We share the Gospel**

We present salvation, grace, and Jesus as the only way to the Father and every person’s salvation and freedom. We explain how Jesus has died for our sins, that He has resurrected and given us new life. We explain how each and every person has the opportunity to live filled with the Holy Spirit.

*John 1:12. John 3:16. John 14:7. Acts 2:38-39.*

**We share testimonies**

Every testimony speaks of who God is. Testimonies create faith in those who listen. Feel free to share your personal testimony or other testimonies you may be reminded of.

 Rev. *19:10*

**Performance-free**

We can be ourselves when we evangelize. We may present the Father’s Love in different ways, but we always do it without the pressure of performance. God is the one who prepares hearts, He places words in our mouths and power behind those words. We go forth as children of God. Every person who has accepted Christ is filled and led by the Holy Spirit. Therefore, we can fearlessly trust that God is the one who prepares our meetings with people.

**We pray boldly in Jesus’ name**

Salvation, freedom, healing, and restoration happens through the power of God. We believe God’s will is always healing and freedom. In His kingdom, there is no pain, sickness, shame, or sin. We can rest in the fact that God’s heart is always for healing and freedom, even when we may not see everyone healed yet. We pray boldly for the sick in Jesus’ name. When you pray, ask if you may place your hand on a suitable place and ask after the prayer if they can feel any difference, if possible. If the person is not healed - explain how God’s heart is for that person to be healed. Tell them about how much God loves them. If the person is healed - tell them about how much God loves them.

We believe every person is created for God and can recognize the presence of God. Therefore, we pray for the person to meet the Father’s Love. There is power in the Gospel. We present how there is freedom from bondage and darkness through Jesus.

*Mark 16:20. 1 Cor 2:4-5. Rev 21:4. Isaiah 53:4-5.*

**We listen to the voice of God**

We believe everyone who has accepted Jesus hears God’s voice. All people are created to hear God, so we encourage to be attentive to the voice of God. We ask God for words of knowledge, prepared meetings and prophetic words.

*John 10:3.*

**We worship and pray**

Prayer and worship shifts atmospheres. Where worship arises, we are inviting the presence of God to take over. So we gladly pray and worship in the different places we may be. Where the spirit of God is, there is freedom.

*Psalm 22:3. 1 Cor 3:17.*

**Unity**

We go out together from different churches, and of different ages - we are a family. We divide ourselves up in smaller teams. Ideally, we are teams of 3-4 people. It is also helpful to think of being “socially comfortable” for the person we approach - for example, we wouldn’t be more than two people approaching one person. We can be ourselves and present the gospel in a way which is natural for us.

*John 17:21-23*

**Material**

We use one flyer from Hope for this Nation. On this flyer, the gospel is presented, and how one can accept Jesus. There is also contact information on the flyer. It is currently available in English, Swedish and Farsi, and will be translated into more languages soon.

**Connect**

If someone gives their life to Jesus or would like to be further connected in some way, bring the person to the community where you are, or lead the person to us. (kontakt@hopeforthisnation.com)