

Use this planner to decide which sessions you will use to equip your church family during Autumn 2021, in preparation for a month of mission leading up to Easter 2022.

The menu gives you the flexibility to equip your people in the areas they most need help in. We will also release suggested 6–8 week courses by the time the resources go live.

The session content will be available at apassionforlife.org.uk by early September 2021, God willing, and will remain accessible for you to use whenever you like even beyond the month of mission.

Each session should take between 45–60 minutes and consist of:

- 15 minutes of video content from an experienced trainer
- Brief testimonies from everyday believers on how these principles apply in their lives
- An outline and transcript of the training content should you wish to adapt the training sessions to your own context
- Suggested passage from Scripture to reflect on
- Discussion questions and practical exercises

Title	Main principles being taught	Your notes
LOVING CONNECTION		
1 Making meaningful connections	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Seeing your mission field • Befriending people – start a conversation • ‘Merging’ communities and showing hospitality 	
2 Loving our neighbours	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Being a presence in our communities – get involved • Being a loving neighbour • Partnering in serving 	
3 Loving through listening and questions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Being interested in the people we meet • Questions that help us know them vs answers that kills the conversation • Questions that go deeper and reveal beliefs 	
4 Sharing hope in today's world	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Showing humility in our shared humanity (what Covid exposed) • Speaking naturally about the present reality of Christ • Eternal hope as we face our mortality 	
5 Answering tough questions with Jesus	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How telling stories from the gospels brings people to the person of Jesus • Examples of such stories about Jesus to shift common misconceptions 	

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INTENTIONALLY BIBLE-DRIVEN		
6 Why the journey is needed	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • God has strategically placed you where you are • Why personal connection is so important today • Journeying with people towards LIFE 	
7 God's heart for the lost	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Made in the image of God • Under His wrath • No one beyond is grace" 	
8 God's role and ours	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • God's Sovereignty • Gospel Integrity • Our Creativity 	
9 What is the gospel?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Creator God • The fall of man • Christ the Redeemer • Response – Repentance & Faith 	
10 Prayer in evangelism	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lord of the harvest • Closet Prayers, Corporate Prayers, Constant Prayers • Praying for 5 	
11 Depending on the Holy Spirit	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • You shall receive power • Be filled daily • The Holy Spirit's role of magnifying the Lord Jesus 	
12 God's Word in evangelism	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Making disciples is bringing to Jesus • Jesus is made known in the Scriptures • As we engage with Scripture we hear the Shepherd's voice 	

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FAITHFUL WITNESS		
13 Right expectations and crossing the painline	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What to expect when sharing the gospel – hostility / hunger • Motivation for crossing the painline • How to keep crossing it 	
14 Sharing God's Word One to One	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How to use The Word One to One (with mention of other resources) • How to get started – inviting • How to keep going (partnering, accountability, realistic expectations) 	
15 Making the most of courses and events	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • When to use a course or event in the journey • How to invite, journeying with your guest, hospitality • Following up depending on response and progress 	
16 Seasoning conversation with the gospel	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Finding the connection point • How a gospel outline helps you converse the gospel • How to testify of God's current work in your life 	
17 Being a witness at work	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Why does work matter? • How to be a witness in the workplace • Navigating political correctness 	
18 Helping people become Christians	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Praying to put your trust in Jesus • Understanding the Lordship of Jesus • The Holy Spirit and transformation 	
19 Engaging with different cultures	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Learning their context • Communicating Bible truths in their language • Acknowledging wrongs and countering preconceptions 	

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ENCOURAGING DISCIPLESHIP		
20 Welcoming people into the church	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Serving whoever the Lord sends us• Empathy for the messiness of people's journey• Breaking the 'holy huddle'	
21 Helping new Christians grow	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Following up new converts well• First steps in discipleship• Equipping for service	

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