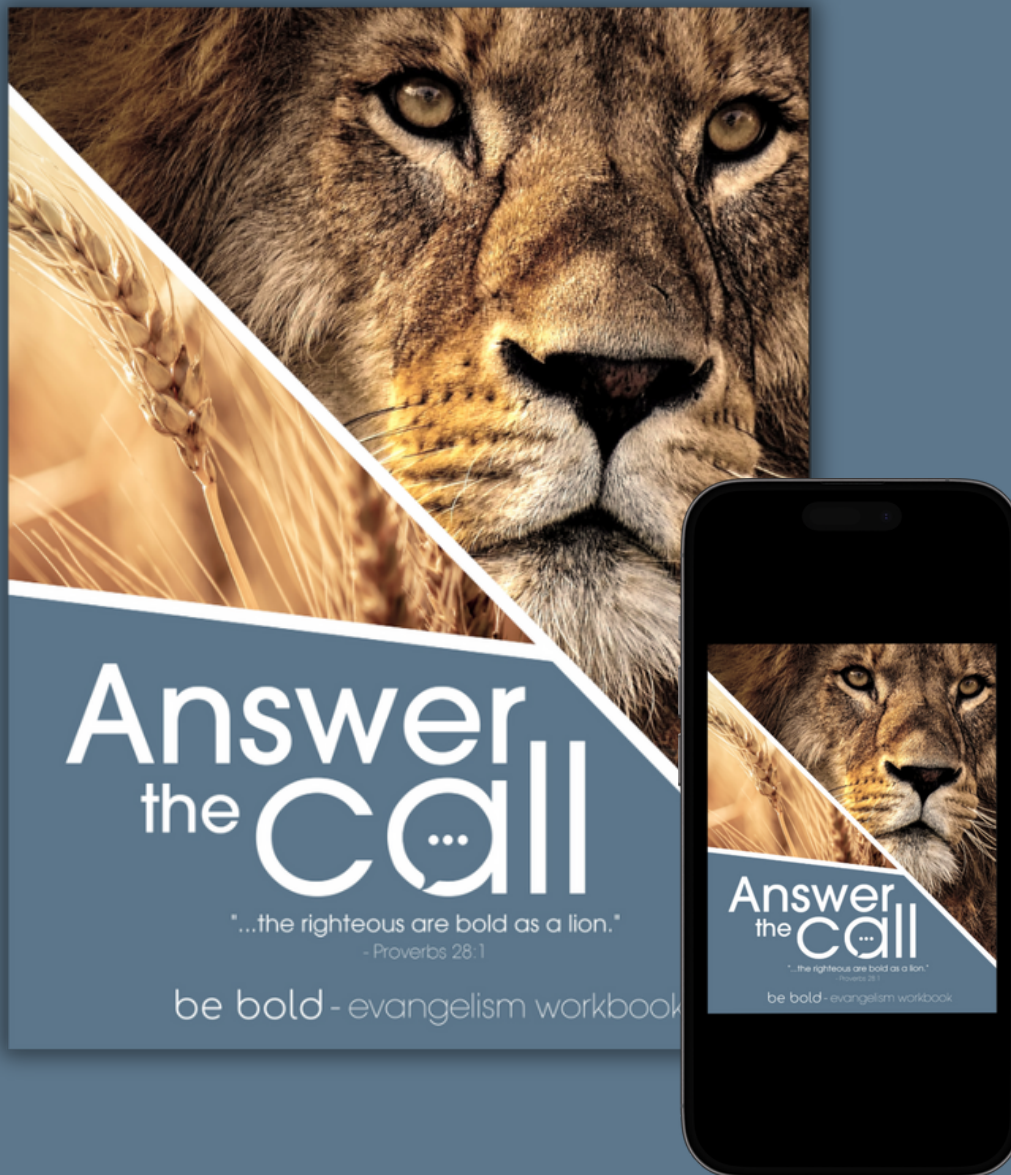


**BE BOLD: ANSWER THE CALL  
WORKBOOK**

# Instructor Guide



# **WEEKLY GROUP MEETING SUGGESTED SCHEDULE**

## **Four Group Meetings • Meeting Length: 90 Minutes**

This format lends well to completing the study in one month. However, due to the amount of material covered, you may choose to work through the study at a slower pace. Allow the Holy Spirit to be your guide for the study.

### **MEETING ONE**

Introduction: Distribute the Answer the Call Be Bold Evangelism Workbook. Ensure that participants utilizing the digital version of the Workbook have it downloaded. Allow time for group members to get to know one another. Watch VIDEO ONE: Understanding Evangelism.

### **MEETING TWO**

Watch VIDEO TWO: Salvation and Rededication. Discuss the content.

### **MEETING THREE**

Watch VIDEO THREE: Supernatural Help and The Practical Side of Evangelism. Discuss the content.

### **MEETING FOUR**

Watch VIDEO FOUR: Understanding People; Prayer, Healing, and Evangelism; and Benefits of Evangelism. Discuss the content.

## **HELPFUL TIPS AS YOU PREPARE TO LEAD**

### **GET THE WORD OUT**

Advertise the class early and utilize all methods for getting the word out. Post it on your church's website, send emails to potential attendees, and promote it on all forms of social media. It's best to start advertising the class four to six weeks before it begins. The class is four weeks long, which means you will meet four times (or five times if you want additional role-play time.).

### **PLAN FOR CHILDCARE**

Ensure adequate accommodations (space, workers, etc.) are in place to provide childcare. Check with participants to see how many will need childcare and the ages of their children.

### **ANSWER THE CALL BE BOLD EVANGELISM WORKBOOK**

Each participant will need a copy of the Workbook or a digital download of the Workbook. Allow plenty of time (we suggest placing your order six to eight weeks before the first day of your class) between announcing and starting your class for ordering and delivery. Consider offering a scholarship or a "buy-one-give-one" option for those who cannot afford a book on their own.

### **COMPLETE EARLY PREP**

You should first complete the Evangelism Self-Assessment. Next, read "Section One: Understanding Evangelism" in the Workbook and the entire Leader's Guide before the first session. Watch the video session before each meeting and take note of what you want to highlight from the teaching. Look over the chapter questions, as well, so that you are prepared to lead the discussion.

## **HELPFUL TIPS AS YOU PREPARE TO LEAD**

### **COMPLETE ADDITIONAL PREP**

Download the Marie Diggs Ministries' Be Bold for Jesus app from the App Store or the Google Play Store. The Be Bold for Jesus app includes eight video reenactments of ministering salvation and/or rededication to acquaintances, family members, friends, and new connections. The reenactments show how to approach individuals with the gospel, how to handle rejection while evangelizing, and much more.

### **HOW TO WATCH THE VIDEOS**

You can purchase the videos with a church license at MarieDiggsMinistries.com. Each video is intended to enhance the time of study; therefore, they should be viewed while working through the Answer the Call Be Bold Evangelism Workbook in class. We strongly recommend you use the teaching videos as a part of this study. If your setting doesn't allow for video viewing, though, you will still benefit from using the Workbook. Its content features Scripturally-based tools to use as you learn how to evangelize effectively.

### **ANNOUNCE THE SCHEDULE**

Before the first class, make everyone aware of the schedule. Start promptly each week to honor everyone's time. In your group time, you will use the *Workbook*, view the video teaching, and discuss what you are learning together. Attendees will also be encouraged to spend a good bit of time working through the *Workbook* individually.

## **HELPFUL TIPS AS YOU PREPARE TO LEAD**

### **CREATE AN ATMOSPHERE OF GROWTH**

Make an effort to create a comfortable environment for group meetings. Arrange chairs in a circle to encourage conversation. If your group is large, watch the video teaching together and then split into smaller groups for the discussion time. If you choose to do so, enlist discussion leaders for each group to keep the conversation moving and focused.

### **STAY IN TOUCH**

Prepare a sign-up sheet to collect participants' names, email addresses, and phone numbers. Encourage them to stay in touch from week to week to discuss the Workbook and to foster community among group members.

### **ENCOURAGE PERSONAL STUDY**

Between meetings, each participant should complete their personal study of the chapters covered in the Workbook.

### **PRAY**

Most importantly, pray for those who attend the class, and pray for yourself as you prepare to lead. Ask God to reveal His heart for people to each attendee.

### **ENCOURAGE CONTINUAL GROWTH**

Encourage participants to continue church evangelism classes and outings. Additionally, encourage attendees to download the Marie Diggs Ministries' Be Bold for Jesus app. These tools will help foster their continued growth and development.

***We endeavor to empower you as you lead your group! May God bless your time together.***

# **DISCUSSION GUIDE**

## **SECTION 1: UNDERSTANDING EVANGELISM**

**WELCOME** the participants to the Answer the Call Be Bold Evangelism class and distribute copies of the Workbook to each group member. Also, ensure that participants utilizing the digital version of the Workbook have it downloaded.

**MEET AND GREET** one another! Invite attendees to introduce themselves. Ask them to share in one word why they are taking the class and what they hope to gain.

**COMPLETE THE EVANGELISM SELF-ASSESSMENT** Give the participants a few minutes to complete the form.

**WATCH** the video "Section One: Understanding Evangelism." Encourage the participants to take notes and jot down additional information shared in the video.

**DISCUSS** the information covered in the video and lead the group in discussion.

**CLOSE** the session with prayer. Encourage attendees to pray for one another this week.

**REMIND** participants to complete "Section One: Understanding Evangelism," including the questions at the end of each chapter, in the Workbook.

### **SPECIAL INSTRUCTION**

Attendees should activate their circle of people to evangelize by taking a poll as described in Chapter Five: "Are Believers Evangelizing?" Ask them to bring their results to the next meeting.

Lastly, have participants meditate daily on the Scriptures to stay free from fear as described in Chapter Seven: "Breaking the Spirit of Fear."

## **SECTION 2: SALVATION AND REDEDICATION**

**WELCOME** the participants back to the Answer the Call Be Bold Evangelism class.

**SHARE** Allow some participants to share results from the poll of their family and friends.

**WATCH** the video "Section Two: Salvation and Rededication." Encourage the participants to take notes and jot down additional information shared in the video.

**DISCUSS** the information covered in the video and lead the group in discussion.

**CLOSE** the session with prayer. Encourage attendees to pray for one another this week.

**REMIND** participants to complete "Section Two: Salvation and Rededication," including the questions at the end of each chapter, in the Workbook.

### **SPECIAL INSTRUCTION**

Attendees should begin practicing ministering salvation and rededication to people with whom they are comfortable. They should utilize the Scriptures and scriptural enlightenment as described in Chapters Eight and Eleven, "What Is My Message? Understanding Salvation" and "What Is My Message? Understanding Rededication."

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## **SECTION 3: SUPERNATURAL HELP AND THE PRACTICAL SIDE OF EVANGELISM**

**WELCOME** the participants back to the Answer the Call Be Bold Evangelism class.

**SHARE** Ask class members to form partnerships and practice ministering salvation and rededication to one another.

**WATCH** the video “Section Three: Supernatural Help and The Practical Side of Evangelism.” Encourage the participants to take notes and jot down additional information shared in the video.

**DISCUSS** the information covered in the video and lead the group in discussion.

**CLOSE** the session with prayer. Encourage attendees to pray for one another this week.

**REMIND** participants to complete “Section Three: Supernatural Help and The Practical Side of Evangelism,” including the questions at the end of each chapter, in the Workbook.

### **SPECIAL INSTRUCTION**

Attendees should continue practicing ministering salvation and rededication to people with whom they are comfortable. They should utilize the Scriptures and scriptural enlightenment as described in Chapters Eight and Eleven, “What Is My Message? Understanding Salvation” and “What Is My Message? Understanding Rededication.”

Encourage the group to download the Marie Diggs Ministries Be Bold for Jesus app from the App Store or the Google Play Store. The Be Bold for Jesus app includes eight video reenactments of ministering salvation and/or rededication to acquaintances, family members, friends, and new connections. The reenactments show how to approach individuals with the gospel, how to handle rejection while evangelizing, and much more.



## **SECTION 4: UNDERSTANDING PEOPLE; PRAYER, HEALING, AND EVANGELISM; AND BENEFITS OF EVANGELISM**

**WELCOME** the participants back to the Answer the Call Be Bold Evangelism class.

**SHARE** Ask class members to form partnerships (or return to the partnerships formed at the last meeting) and continue practicing ministering salvation and rededication to one another.

**WATCH** the video “Section Four: Understanding People; Prayer, Healing, and Evangelism; and Benefits to Evangelism.” Encourage the participants to take notes and jot down additional information shared in the video.

**ROLE-PLAY** Ask partners to practice approaching different people groups as described in Chapters Sixteen and Seventeen, “Systematic Method for Presenting the Gospel” and “How to Begin Evangelizing.”

**CLOSE** the session with prayer. Encourage attendees to pray for one another this week.

**REMIND** participants to complete “Section Four: Understanding People; Prayer, Healing, and Evangelism; and Benefits of Evangelism,” including the questions at the end of each chapter, in the Workbook.

### **SPECIAL INSTRUCTION**

Encourage attendees to work through the Workbook again at a slower pace, allowing the Holy Spirit to be their guide.

Lastly, encourage them to begin ministering salvation and rededication to acquaintances, family members, friends, and new connections.

## **NEXT STEPS**

Challenge participants to stay involved with evangelism after your class ends.

Help them find ministry opportunities—such as serving on the church’s evangelistic team—so they may continue in spiritual growth. Encourage them to discover new opportunities to apply what they have learned through the evangelism class.

## **CELEBRATION TIME**

Welcome the participants to a wrap-up celebration. Begin with food and fellowship. Allow the participants to discuss their growth and transformation.

Consider asking questions such as:

- Who has ministered salvation or rededication?
- What do you find most rewarding about evangelism?
- How have you seen God work through you?

Allow all to share their experiences. Encourage them to be intentional and committed to evangelizing.

# Are you ready to answer the call?

**NEW RESOURCES TO HELP YOU EVANGELIZE &  
BOLDLY SHARE YOUR FAITH**

## **Answer the Call: Be Bold Evangelism Workbook**

The Answer the Call: Be Bold Evangelism Workbook is designed to equip believers at any stage of their walk with God to evangelize in their everyday life. Written in a practical, accessible and interactive way, this workbook and its accompanying teaching videos will build readers' confidence so that their God-given gifting fully assists them in motivating and guiding others to salvation in Christ Jesus.



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