

PREPARE WEEK “THE CONVERSATION WITH FAMILY”



Prepare Week

Preparing your story of receiving the Gospel.

Understand the value of your faith story and **practice** sharing it.



Host

"Welcome to First Priority, we are glad you are here! This week is Prepare Week, so our goal is to hear faith stories about how others came to know Christ and get insight about how we tell our own story. Let's kick things off in prayer."



Pray

Elevator Testimonies

Say something like: Today, we are going to learn how to tell our story in the time it would take to give an "Elevator Pitch."

1. Grab a friend and time each other telling your story in 30 seconds.
2. Next, time each other telling your story in 1 minute.
3. Now, time each other telling your story in 2 minutes.
4. Finally, take turns giving your story in 30 seconds again.

The goal of this is to practice sharing your story quickly with someone else so you can figure out the main points of your story. Remember, sharing your story is about getting to know each other and sharing the Gospel.

Sample Questions:

What grade are you in and what things do you enjoy?

What is something funny about yourself?

What is your favorite food?

What are some of your goals in life?

What is something that is a major struggle for you?

Are you a follower of Jesus?

If so, when and how did you become a follower of Jesus?

What is the one thing you wish everyone knew about Jesus?



Announcements

Thank you everyone for being here today! Next week is Engage Week so invite as many people as you can to come and hear the Good News of Jesus.



Pray



Follow-Up

Be available to talk or pray with people.
Ask how you can walk with them on their Jesus journey.



Promo:

Remember to invite people.



Welcome:

Remember to create a welcoming environment.



Leader Tip

Try to include everyone without being awkward. This could be a chance to get to know someone.

