

## Seceula Guidelines

Have one or two greeters, with attendance sheet sign in (name & Church)

1. Singing
2. Opening Prayer (you may want to choose someone before hand)
3. Announcements:
  - Collection taken (to be split 50%, host church & VT TD if the church wants to split it)
  - Rector's report (If near the weekend)
  - Next set of weekends are:
  - Any other announcements?
  - Next Secuela is a \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_.
4. Introduce theme for Secuela; present a poster(optional)
5. Scripture reading (related to theme)
6. Introduce 4<sup>th</sup> day speaker: 5 to 10 minute talk, usually of how the theme fits into the talk given by the 4<sup>th</sup> day speaker, end with a question or assignment for the small group sharing.
7. Group sharing: 20 minutes or so – break up into “manageable” groups to discuss question given by 4<sup>th</sup> day speaker. Remind groups to allow everyone to share.
8. Optional: Communion or Agape, or move to #9, close with prayer
  - Communion – If ordained clergy is available, you may arrange a liturgy service
  - Agape – If clergy is not available, you may arrange a simple service of sharing finger foods/beverage.
9. Closing prayer/pass the peace: Usually a prayer circle, ending with the Lord's prayer (or other prayer).
10. Refreshments and beverage...(the community will help provide)