ZIP CODE ADOPTION - NEXT STEPS

We want to thank you all for participating in the Jesus Week movement. This is undeniably a John 17 Kingdom investment that God promises to bless as we labor together to see families and neighborhoods saturated with the Gospel. With the Zip Code Adoption initiative, we have the opportunity to continue to build and strengthen a unified Church & Prayer Coalitions throughout our regions.

GOAL FOR EVERY ZIP CODE TEAM:

- 1) Adopt their zip code in a John 17 strategy (5-15 churches in each zip code)
- 2) Each church to shepherd 500-2000 homes for prayer, outreach & Gospel saturation
- 3) Mobilize believers to reach every neighborhood with free Gospel materials
- 4) Develop transformational strategies to visit and develop relationships with every family
- 5) Build and strengthen unified Church and Prayer Coalitions in every zip code throughout our regions

ZIP CODE TEAM COMMITMENT:

All partnering churches are committing to meet regularly to develop prayer and outreach strategies, in a unified *Saturation to Transformation Movement*, to reach every neighborhood and home in their adopted zip code. Each church will have an assigned number of households and neighborhoods they are committing to reach with creative, unified and long-term John 17 strategies.

Zip Code Church Coordinator Zip Code Prayer Coordinator

ZIP CODE TEAM EXAMPLE: If a 10,000-household zip code has 10 participating churches, that team should be made up of at least 22 leaders working together: 10 Church Outreach Leaders, 10 Church Prayer Leaders, plus at least 1 Zip Code Church Coordinator(s) and at least 1 Zip Code Prayer Coordinator(s).

If each Outreach Leader and Prayer Leader developed a team of 5 people each, there would be 122 leaders working together in a united Zip Code Church & Prayer Coalition...and meeting regularly.

ADOPTING CHURCHES: NEXT STEPS

DIRECTORY - All churches in a Zip Code Team will receive a *Church & Prayer Coalition Directory* of participating churches and contact information to use to build their teams. The Directory will be updated as each church helps to bring new churches on board to adopt their zip code at: *JesusWeekMovement.org*.

ZIP CODE TEAMS – Each team should begin communicating with each other as they receive the Zip Code Directory, in order to establish roles within their team and help grow with other churches.

b. <u>At the Church Level</u> - Each church needs to assign: a designated <u>Outreach Leader(s)</u> and <u>Prayer Leader(s)</u> for their adopted areas.

Outreach Leaders - will help organize church volunteers into *mission teams* for neighborhood outreaches in their assigned map areas, with the goal to reach every home with the free Gospel material.

Prayer Leaders – will help develop a prayer team to pray for God to raise up volunteers, soften the hearts of those receiving the free materials, and creative follow-up opportunities. (*prayer walks*, *morning or evening prayer gatherings*, etc.)

c. <u>At the Zip Code Level</u> – Each zip code team needs a designated <u>Zip Code Church Coordinator(s)</u> and a <u>Zip Code Prayer Coordinator(s)</u> to communicate and work with the assigned Church Leaders.

ZC Church Coordinator - will communicate with the Outreach Leaders of each church to help organize unified strategy meetings. They will also help manage map assignments and encourage each team to stay active with their outreaches.

ZC Prayer Coordinator - will communicate with the Prayers Leaders of each church to discuss unified prayer strategies for covering every outreach in that zip code, and encourage teams to stay active with prayer initiatives.

BUILD YOUR TEAMS – Use the Holy Flood Playbook to mobilize your congregations and develop transformational strategies. Work together to identify and invite neighboring churches that will partner with Jesus Week and your zip code *saturation to transformation* strategies. You can use the promotional/media resources provided by Jesus Week to help cast vision and mission, and/or develop your own zip code team material with your own local message. New church partners should always register at *JesusWeekMovement.org* to be officially included in the directories and movement. (*JesusWeekMovement.org/HolyFlood*)

PREPARE FOR JESUS WEEK 2024 – The fun has JUST begun! Attend the orientation workshops, the official Jesus Week retreat, and local planning/prayer meetings in your region for *Jesus Week 2023*. Encourage churches to join the movement and register their outreach to receive FREE Gospel Materials.

Let's plan, build and run together for a powerful and anointed summer of saturation and transformation!