

Making Disciples



General Conference Sabbath School
and Personal Ministries Department



Sabbath School is the heart of the church! It is a common thread that helps bind together Seventh-day Adventists from every part of the world. The Sabbath School Alive! initiative highlights three vital components of thriving Sabbath Schools:

- ✓ **BIBLE STUDY & PRAYER**—discover the power of Bible study and prayer in Sabbath School
- ✓ **FELLOWSHIP**—experience the joy of fellowship through study and service in Sabbath School
- ✓ **MISSION**—gain world mission education and community outreach training in Sabbath School

The power of Sabbath School is that it follows the divine model for true discipleship—Bible study and prayer, fellowship, and mission. Sabbath School Alive! provides training and resources to help every local church:

- Teach inspiring and practical Sabbath School classes
- Effectively incorporate mission into Sabbath School
- Reclaim inactive members through Sabbath School
- And much more!

For more information including helpful resources to revitalize your Sabbath School, go to:

alive.adventist.org

GROW Your Church is a **Personal Ministries** initiative highlighting five essential phases of making disciples:

- **PREPARE** the soil of the heart with friendship and service.
- **PLANT** the Word with spiritual conversations or literature/media.
- **CULTIVATE** spiritual interest with ongoing Bible studies.
- **HARVEST** decisions with appeals to follow Christ and be baptized.
- **PRESERVE** the harvest with ongoing discipleship training.

The GROW initiative provides training and resources for every local church to achieve the following 5 goals:

- 1) Church-wide Community Need-Based Ministries
- 2) Active Literature and Media Ministry
- 3) Vibrant Bible Study Ministry
- 4) Regular Public Evangelism
- 5) Systematic Discipleship Ministry

For more information including helpful resources to GROW Your Church, go to:

grow.adventist.org