

SONG TO SCRIPTURE



Action: Sing a simple song together and think about what is sung using scripture to expand on the original idea.

Equipment: Strips of paper with numbered verses/sections of prose on them (I will upload suggestions to the church website)

Time: 10-15 min

1. Sing a simple Chorus or the chorus of a well known hymn/song together a few times. This could be unaccompanied or a guitar, percussion instrument or other accompaniment could be used (CD). The key here is to KEEP IT SIMPLE! Even if it's a well known chorus stick to singing the chorus

eg. Thank you, o my Father... (There is a Redeemer),
 Spirit of the living God,
 He is Lord
 Praise God from whom all blessings flow (Doxology)
2. Invite the group to pick up a verse / part of a short passage written on strips of paper lying in the middle of the room. These will expand on the theme of the sung chorus. The strips will be numbered and the group will be encouraged to read these parts of the whole scripture/passage out one after the other. (I will prepare these verses and post them on the website to minimise prep time).
3. Sing the same chorus through again a couple of times.
4. Invite members of the group to pray as a response to this worship time. This prayer time will be an important part of the worship time giving people a chance to not only sing and meditate on who God is and what he's done but also to speak this out.
5. Finish the time by singing the chorus through again.