

Recruiting Guides

By Nancy Sprouls, Upper Mid-Atlantic Field Director

As a Stonecroft Bible Studies leader, one awesome privilege and task you have is encouraging development of new Guides.

Reba Crill, Stonecroft District Consulting Coordinator in Central Pennsylvania, shares her method of equipping those she leads to identify those God is preparing to guide studies.

“Many new Guides are developed through our established studies, so look with eyes wide open right within your group,” Reba says.

Watch for those who:

- *Offer to read a Bible verse*
- *Gain respect of the group*
- *Show interest by asking questions after the study is over*

“Begin praying for and informally mentoring this person,” Reba suggests. “Call her, invite her to lunch, share these positive observations you have made, and encourage her in her studies. Ask her to pray for the group and if she would be a back-up for your study. If she says yes, call the Coordinator to arrange a Guide training session.”

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By Cheryl Davis, Vice President of Ministry Development

Impact '10 is right around the corner!

Mark your calendars for October 1- 2, 2010. Around the world thousands will gather together to respond to how God is stirring His people.

For most, Impact '10 starts Friday night with a full line-up of locally-led events. Then, Saturday, prepare yourself to celebrate with those all over the globe. Launching from Kansas City, Missouri, a four-hour live feed of worship, inspiration, and training will focus on equipping and encouraging believers to make Jesus Christ known to their communities.

Stonecroft plans to host at least seven simulcast locations throughout the United States, with international sites in

While many Guides can be mentored through our existing studies, also look for potential Guides in the community, such as:

- *Planning Team members*
- *Women in home-school and Christian school groups*
- *Those who attend or lead other Bible studies*

Explain that the goal is not to compete with them, but to help equip them to reach women who don't know Christ with evangelistic Stonecroft Bible Studies.

Tips for Coordinators: Keep in contact with your Guides.

- Call several times a year and pray with them
- Remind them of what to look for in a potential Guide
- Find out if there is anyone in the study who could be mentored as a Guide
- Plan to celebrate successful study periods
- Encourage them that God will bring women across their path

areas including Europe, Central and Southern Africa, and Canada.

If you would like to be part of hosting an Impact '10 site in your region, please contact your Field Director or e-mail specialevents@stonecroft.org.

