

Checklist

CAST AND STAGE CREW:

Approximately 30-50 people are needed, 24 of which are speaking parts. They should be a minimum of 14 years of age (exceptions below). The more mature the cast, the better the production.

Cast members needed for speaking parts:

1 boy or girl 6-8 yrs old	10-15 Ladies
2-3 girls 9-12 yrs old	8-10 Men
2-3 boys 10-14 yrs old	10-12 Teens

Also, a man with a real beard and compassionate face for the part of Jesus. (Non-speaking part.)

(Your Directors will give them parts when they arrive. Amount of children needed may vary by team.)

Your Team Directors, upon their arrival to your church, will select ALL other cast members.

SCHEDULE FOR EVERYONE INVOLVED IN THE DRAMA:

Friday 7:00pm or 7:30pm start

Saturday 9:00am - 4:00pm (approximately)

Sunday Rehearsal will begin immediately after your regular morning service

MEALS:

Food for the cast & crew during rehearsals will be required. This includes Saturday & Sunday lunch as well as a light snack before the Sunday evening performance.

JUNIOR CHURCH:

Because of the drama's graphic impact, it is recommended you provide a special children's program (for ages 9 & under during the presentation). This also allows parents to give the drama their full attention.

ADVERTISING & PROMOTION:

Please see samples on foldout page of this handbook.

MISCELLANEOUS:

6 large rolls of 1" masking tape**

2 large rolls of 2" grey duct tape**

2 large rolls of 2" clear packing tape**

8 (9V) batteries

Name tags for cast

**Amounts subject to change when contact with your team director has been made.

SANCTUARY:

The cast will require full use of the sanctuary for set-up and rehearsal Friday, through the Sunday evening presentation. We ask that the platform be cleared (e.g. mics, keyboards, drums, monitors, pulpit, etc.) prior to the team's arrival and that the sanctuary be cleared of any other use during this time (excluding Sunday morning worship).

DISPLAY TABLE:

We would appreciate it if a display table to accommodate our product items could be made available near the church's exit. (Note: We are careful that only items consistent with our Ministry's spiritual focus are made available. The proceeds from the sale of these items help support our ministry worldwide.)

COUNSELORS:

As a general guideline, it is suggested that the number of counselors total approximately 10% of your anticipated audience. (Note: Some churches prefer the Pastor to address the altar respondents as a group... if possible, in a separate area from the main auditorium.

ACCOMMODATIONS:

See FAQ's

ELECTRICAL HOOK UP FOR DRAMA:

In most cases the team will be self sufficient with sound and lighting. However they will need to patch into the church's main electrical panel for power. The requirements will be an empty double pole 40-amp breaker. In a 200-amp panel, a double pole breaker will draw 40-amps from 2 different 100-amp legs in the panel. This will reduce the probability of difficulties.

We believe prayer is the most important element in the making of a successful outreach. Please encourage your people to begin praying prior to the team's arrival. *PRAYER IS THE KEY*

