



REVITALAZING

FAMILY

MINISTRIES

IN THE LOCAL CHURCH



TYPES OF FAMILIES

1. **Traditional/Nuclear families**
2. **Single parents families**
3. **Extended families**
4. **Families without children**
5. **Blended families**
6. **Grandparent families**
7. **Non-biological families** (singles living together)



DISCOVER



Discover the Needs

1. Establish a family council/committee



Family Council/Committee

- **Men/Women's Ministries Director**
- **Single's Ministries Director / A single person**
- **A Married Couple (young and old)**
- **A Single Parent**
- **A Grandparent**
- **Youth Ministries Director**
- **Children's Ministries Director**
- **Pathfinders Director**



Discover the Needs

2. Survey families and neighborhood



FAMILY MINISTRIES SURVEY

The church's Family Ministries committee is considering making some plans in the congregation. We would like you to help us by telling us what is of most interest to you. Please check your top five areas of interest.

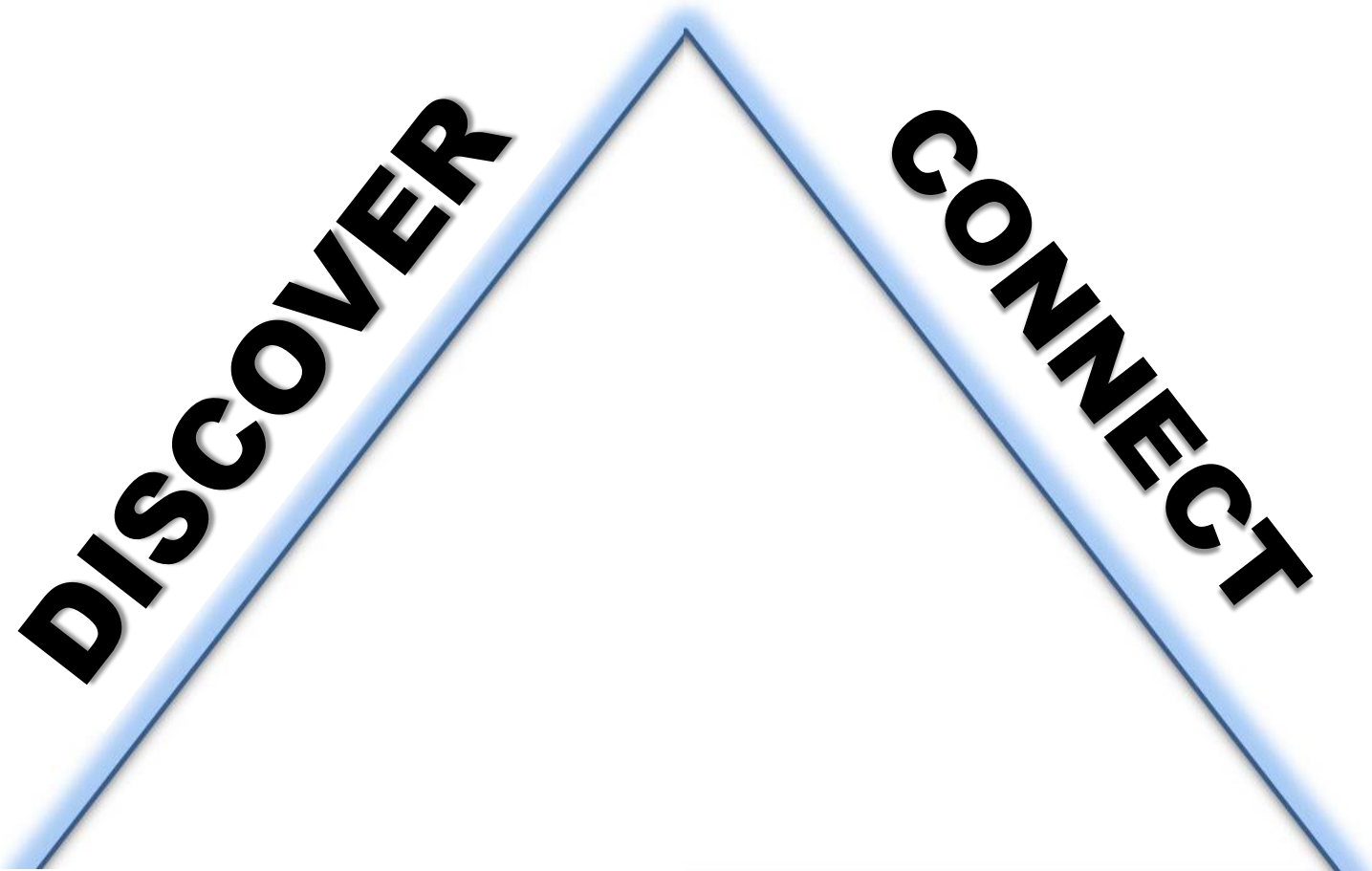
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Grandparenting | <input type="checkbox"/> Sibling Rivalry | <input type="checkbox"/> Parent Teen Relationship |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Single Parenting | <input type="checkbox"/> Marriage Enrichment | <input type="checkbox"/> Grief and Loss |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Step Parenting | <input type="checkbox"/> Family Finances | <input type="checkbox"/> Preparing for Marriage |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Relationship with Teens | <input type="checkbox"/> Sexual Intimacy in Marriage | <input type="checkbox"/> Divorce Recovery |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Discipline | <input type="checkbox"/> Conflict Resolution | <input type="checkbox"/> Divorce and the Children |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Pregnancy & Preparation for Delivery | <input type="checkbox"/> Anger Management | <input type="checkbox"/> Aging |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Sex Education | <input type="checkbox"/> Dual Career Families | <input type="checkbox"/> Self-worth |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Family Quality Time | <input type="checkbox"/> Aging Parents Care | <input type="checkbox"/> Stress Management |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Sabbath Family Activities | <input type="checkbox"/> Retirement Planning | <input type="checkbox"/> Dealing with Trauma |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Family Worship | <input type="checkbox"/> Dealing with LGBT Family Members | <input type="checkbox"/> Maturing Faith |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Domestic Violence | | <input type="checkbox"/> _____ |
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We don't need your name, but the following information will be helpful to our Family Ministry plans.

- Are you a parent? YES NO
 How many children? _____
 Number of children living at home? _____
 Do you have adopted children? _____
 Do you have stepchildren? _____
- Civil Status
 Never married
 Married
 Separated
 Divorced
 Widow
 Divorced and remarried
 Widowed and remarried
 Engaged

Age _____

Man Woman





CONNECT Families and with Families.

FEBRUARY

- **Christian Home & Marriage Week**
- **National Parent Leadership Month**
- **Valentine's Day**



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MARCH

- **Women's History Month**
- **Social Workers' Month**



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APRIL

- **Child Abuse Prevention Month**
- **Adventist Youth Week of Prayer**



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MAY

- **Older Americans Month**
- **Skin Cancer Awareness Month**
- **Mother's Day**
- **Graduation Month**



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JUNE

- **Father's Day**
- **Children's Day**
- **Juneteenth**



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JULY

- **Independence Day**
- **Family Reunion Month**
- **Adventist Conference on Family
Research & Practice (Andrews University)**



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AUGUST

- **Back to School**



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SEPTEMBER

- **Children's Good Manners Month**
- **Baby Safety Month**
- **Labor Day**
- **Grandparent's Day**



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OCTOBER

- **Breast Cancer Awareness Month**
- **Domestic Violence Awareness Month**
- **Pastor Appreciation Month**



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NOVEMBER

- **Diabetes Awareness Month**
- **Family Caregivers' Month**
- **Military Family Appreciation Day**
- **Thanksgiving**



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DECEMBER

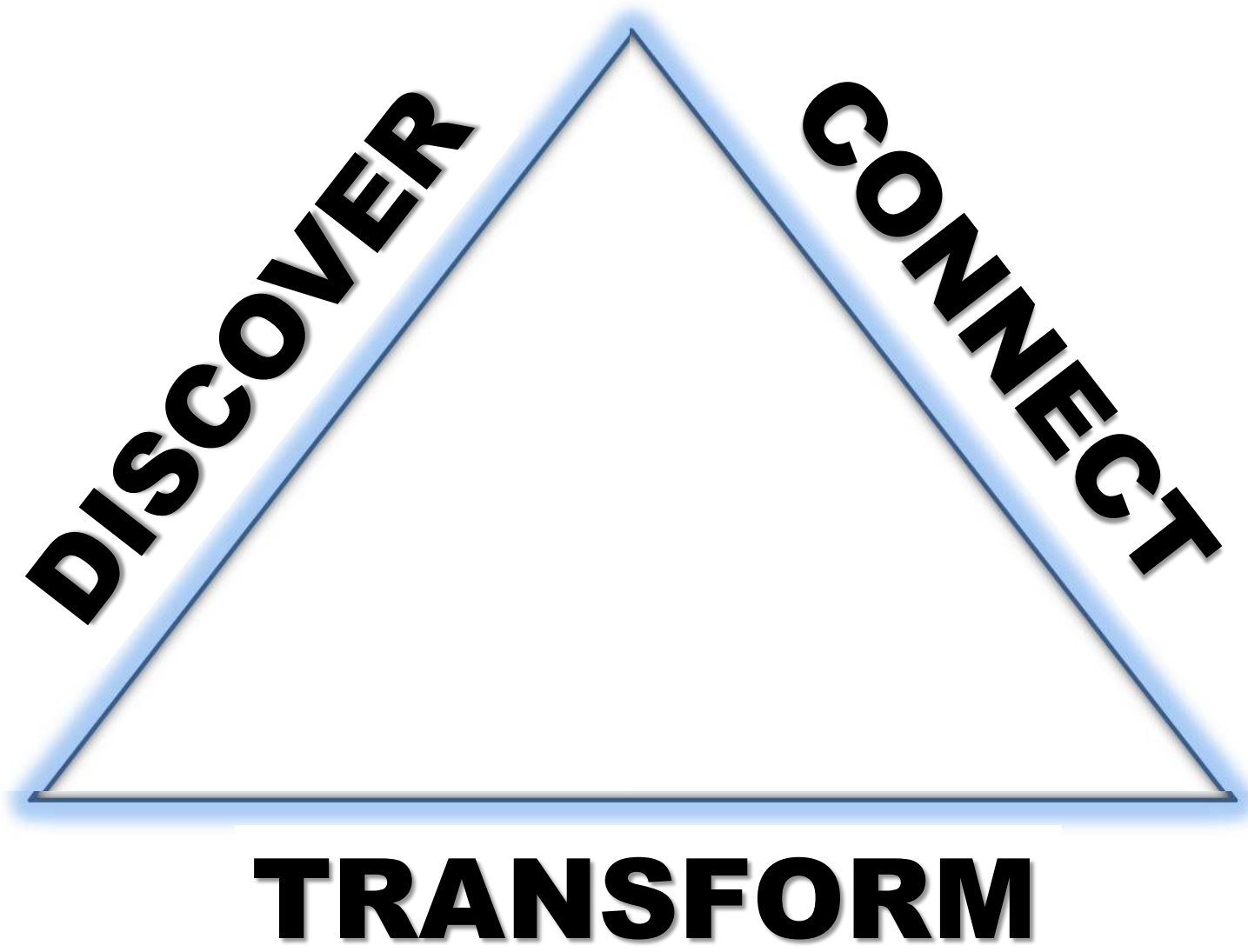
- **World AIDS Month**
- **Christmas**
- **Kwanzaa** (Celebracion afroamericana)



CONNECT Families

For these resources visit: foreverONEfamily.org/store







TRANSFORM

“With the spirit and power of Elijah he will go before him, to reconcile fathers with their children...so that a prepared people might be made ready for the Lord.”

LUKE 1:17 NCB



Draw Near TO GOD

Experiencing Healing and Transformation in the Presence of God

Family Worship SPINNER

DRAW
a Bible scene & have someone guess it

WRITE
an encouraging note & send it by mail

ACT OUT
a Bible scene

ADD
your own creative activity

SING
a praise song

READ
a Bible verse & explain it

PRAY
for someone

SHARE
an act of kindness you will do or have done today

JOURNAL
a praise or concern to God

GIVE
a hug to each person

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EXPERIENCE THE MEANING OF LIFE

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"We commit to gather each day for family worship"
Each member of the family may sign below to signify their commitment.

INSTRUCTIONS:

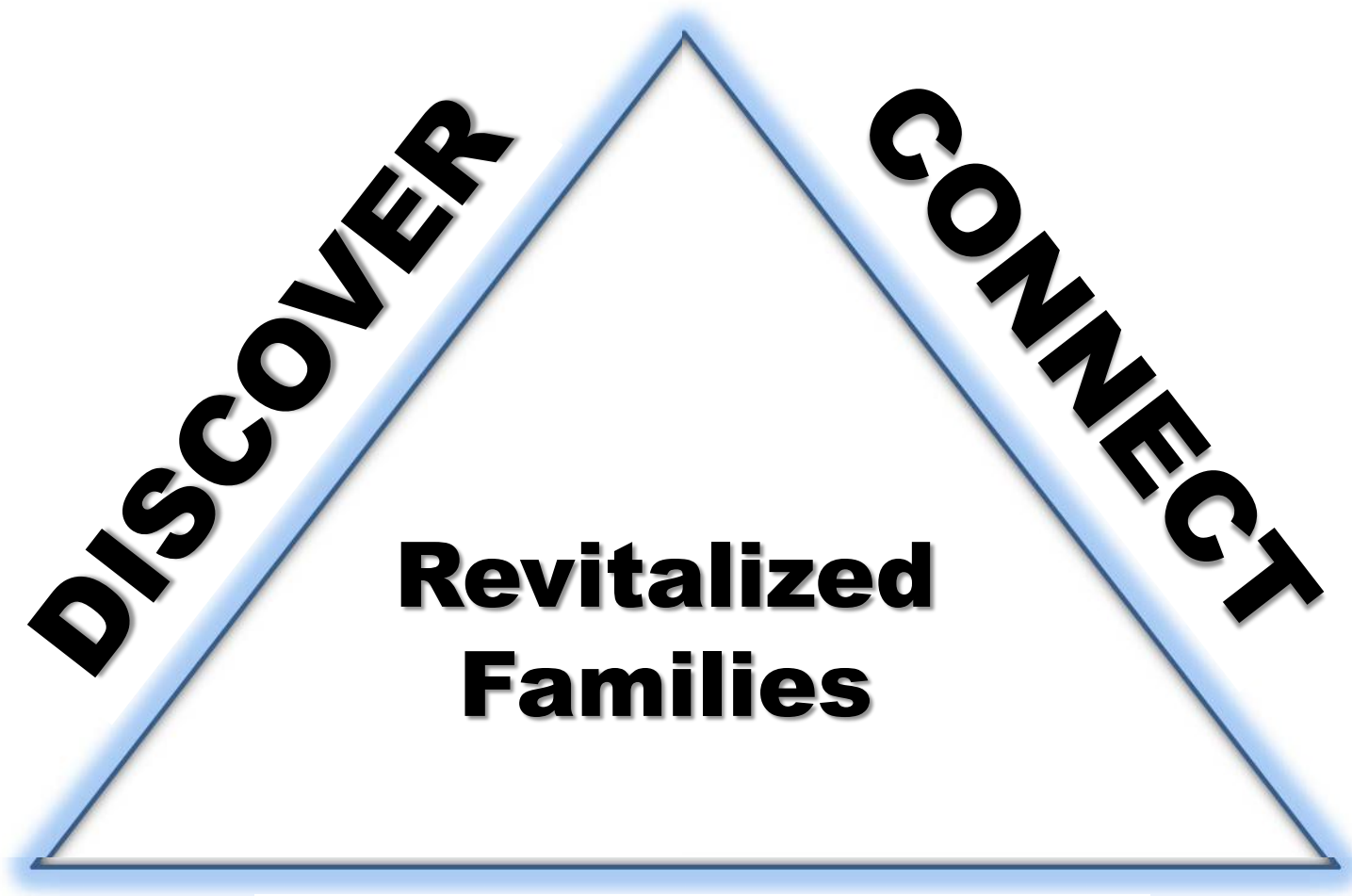
1. Agree on a time to meet each day for family worship.
2. Each family member will need a Bible, pen, paper, journal, song book, and a note card with an envelope for the activities.
3. Decide at the beginning of each worship how many rounds you will do.
4. You may choose to spin again if the spinner lands on an activity you did in a previous turn.
5. You may do the same activity another family member has already done.
6. Feel free to adapt the activity according to age.
7. Take a picture of your activity and share it #FamilyWorshipSpinner
8. If you wish to move the spinner to the opposite side, carefully pull it apart from the base, flip the board, and reattach.

"Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your strength. These commandments that I give you today are to be on your hearts. Impress them on your children. Talk about them when you sit at home and when you walk along the road, when you lie down and when you get up." Deuteronomy 6:5-9 (NIV)

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