**Ministry Template**

**Name of Ministry: Intergenerational Trips Date: 4/7/19**

**Vision for this ministry: Plan day trips for the congregation (educational, fun, service, etc…)**

**Description of ministry:** not provided

**Description of connection to vision and priorities:** not provided

**Names of Leaders: Shelby Cluts**

**Leaders’ Responsibilities: NA**

**Names of Workers:**

**Rich Bucher (c)**

**Jane Steinmetz (c)**

**Phil Blount (c)**

**Workers’ Responsibilities: not provided**

**Other Resources Needed: not provided**

**Evaluation Plan: not provided**

**Name of Recorder:­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­ not provided**

**Session Title: Intergenerational Trip Station #: Parlor**

**Convenor: Shelby Cluts**

**Participants: Phil B.,Jane S., Daryl N., Ruth, N., Rich B., Shelby C.**

# Summary of discussions:

* How to make pathways to dialogue & discuss with people that we don’t always associate with
* Trips could be expanded beyond the church to the community
* Trips could be a variety of things (Sauder Village, Mosque, Baseball games, Cedar Point, etc.)
* Members who help with intergenerational trips could hold a variety of roles (planning, suggesting, coordinating, etc.)
* Trips could include the opportunity to share back with Sunday schools
* Trips in general include the ability to foster relationships
* Trips allow exposure for families to see experiences outside of Bluffton
* Possibly take a bus to camp or other places (easy access for people)
* Need to think about financing / budgeting
	+ What pieces can the church cover vs individuals
* Possible suggestions:
	+ Plays
	+ Lima Symphony
	+ Sports events
	+ Camp
	+ Museums

**What will we do now? What needs to happen next?**

* **Trip is underway for the Mosque**
* **Continue to evaluate when and what is the best time (don’t want to commit to too many events)**
* **Possibly 2 congregationally organized trips per year (other informal events could happen throughout the year)**

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