

Our Commitment to Each Other

God helping me, I will seek to do the following:

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Ahead of time, I will **prepare** myself by:

1. **Praying** – I will come spiritually ready
2. Finishing my **assignments** to the best of my ability
3. Choosing what to share – “What **contribution** of mine will be of greatest benefit to the others?” (1 Corinthians 14:26).

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I will **be present** every time, except for high priority reasons, which I will make known ahead of meeting time. I will be **on time**.

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In our sharing times, I will seek to share the real state of my heart, “walking in the light” (1 John 1:7), in open vulnerability “as fits the occasion” (Ephesians 4:29). Some weeks I will have greater needs, but I will also try to be time-conscious, giving others an opportunity to share (Ephesians 5:21), so that we can truly bear each others’ burdens (Galatians 6:2).

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Regarding prayer:

1. I will include our **prayer requests** in my prayer times during the week.
2. I will **check up** on those who ask to be held accountable.
3. I will come to each meeting prepared to **follow up with reports** on my own previous requests.
4. I will **honor our confidentiality requests**.

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Finally, I will:

1. **Keep a record** of what I am learning to pass on in the future.
2. Ask God for those He would have **me disciple**.
3. **Keep a special place in my heart** for the members of this group!

Pray over this. Please do not make this commitment without serious consideration.

