

Pastor Response Card

Take Back Your Community for Christ

The most common concerns shared by Pastors across America today are:

- Moral condition of their city,
- A need to reach the 80% plus lost and unchurched in their neighborhoods and
- Spiritual apathy and non-responsive congregations

As Gideons, we would like to come along-side you to help “*equip the saints for the work of the ministry building up the body of Christ.*” We can provide training and evangelistic tools that will assist your congregation to fearlessly share the Gospel in your local community, your city and around the world.

<input type="checkbox"/>	I want to learn more about Conversations-A Simple Approach to Sharing the Gospel.
<input type="checkbox"/>	I would like to schedule a Sowers of the Seed Sunday in my church – focused on inspiring my congregation to engage the lost and unchurched for Christ
<input type="checkbox"/>	I’m interested in receiving Free Life Books for our Youth Program.
<input type="checkbox"/>	I’m interested in having Gideons share Free Testaments at our next Youth Bible School event or Church Camp Event.
<input type="checkbox"/>	I’m interested in Gideons sharing Free Testaments at one of our Food Distribution Events.
<input type="checkbox"/>	I would like to find out about the Free Gideon BibleApp for my Church Members.
<input type="checkbox"/>	I’m interested in placing a Free special event Gideon Card display in my church
<input type="checkbox"/>	I would like to schedule a traditional Gideon report in my church.

Pastor				Cell Number
Church				Phone Number
Church Address	Street	City	Zip	

Pastor, do you have a business or professional man in your church that you would recommend being a member of The Gideons International? He would have the opportunity to grow spiritually, be a liaison between the Gideons International and your church and be a great example to others as he uses his unique spiritual gifts to impact others for Christ.

Name of Person _____ Phone _____

Pastor Comments:

The Gideons International Instruction for Handling

Submitted at: Pastors Workshop___ Banquet___ Personal Presentation___ Association Mtg___

Gideons, to ensure we meet the needs of our Pastors, please enter, and follow the instructions below:
Assigned Camp _____ Is this church in theConnection? _____ If not, please add it.

Please route the Pastor Response Card as follows:

1. Workshop, PAB Speaker, or Gideon Representative:

- a. will upon receipt, complete population of received form(s) & send to the assigned camp leader (usually the Camp Secretary).

2. Camp Secretary:

- a. will upon receipt, make copies, filing one of them as a permanent camp record.
- b. will promptly provide copies to 1) the Camp President, 2) Camp Church Ministry Chairman, & 3) Area Director.

3. Camp Cabinet

- a. will review request(s) and take timely actions to provide for each of the Pastor's needs.
- b. President will ensure camp completes each needed action & provides feedback for each action. Will send Pastor an initial thank you letter within one week (See example on arkansasgideons.com/home web site under the Resources tab)

4. Church Ministry Chairman

- a. or his designee will be the primary coordinator with the Pastor for scheduling and ensuring completion of Pastor's request(s).
- b. will verify with Camp Secretary that the Response Card has been sent to the Area Director.
- c. will schedule and assign a Gideon Report speaker for Sowers of the Seed Sunday
- d. will assist the Pastor in obtaining testaments and other preparations as needed to set up a Conversations class or a Sowers of the Seed Sunday.
- e. will maintain a Response Confirmation Report Summary (*available on the arkansasgideons.com/home web site under the Resources tab*) for each Pastors Workshop event or Individual visitation event in which Pastor requests have been made
- f. will determine when a Conversations class is requested and contact the Area Director for assistance with arrangements

5. Area Director

- a. upon receipt will immediately enter data from the original request information into the SOS Database (*available on the arkansasgideons.com/home web site*) within two weeks of receipt,
- b. will check with Camp Church Ministry Chairman to ensure all Pastors have been contacted for the purpose of follow-up. The Camp Ministry Chairman should have a Response Confirmation Report Summary available for each event for his review.
- c. review the status of all Pastor Response Card requests with camp(s) at Area Team Meetings; if camp is absent from Area Team Meeting, will follow up with individual camp.
- d. will periodically report status of all Pastor Response Card requests from Pastors to the Regional Director.