



What it Means to be a Catalyst Church

A catalyst is best defined as an agent that provokes or speeds significant action for change. Affinity events are an exciting, dynamic tool for sparking change in the spiritual lives of individuals and in entire communities.

With, through, and for the local church!

Faith 2 Faith Ministries International anchors its strategy with the local church to mobilize believers to share their faith through friendship evangelism and disciple new believers through effective post encounter follow-up.

What we anticipate from a catalyst church:

STAGE ONE: Pre-Evangelism

1. Choose and coordinate a community service project(s) and mentoring opportunities for your congregation and their friends to serve together prior to the event.
2. Challenge every member of your congregation to be an advocate who will:
 - Love: Pray regularly for their unchurched friends and loved ones.
 - Share: Attend training events and learn how to effectively communicate their faith, counsel during evangelistic outreach and accurately collect information so it can be used for follow-up.
 - Serve: Get them involved in service projects leading up to the main event.
3. Commit to a budgeted gift or offering.

STAGE TWO: Proclamation

Advocates will bring their friends with them to the event, where the accomplishments made throughout the campaign will be celebrated, and the Good News will be proclaimed.

STAGE THREE: Post Encounter Follow-Up

1. Contact everyone who is referred to your church following the main event and invite them to a next-steps meeting (involve your counselors in this process).
2. Attend the next-step meeting with your counselors and make connections with new believers.
3. Continue partnering with your service projects (or select a new effort) and serve your city in an ongoing effort following the campaign.