

INSTRUCTIONS

This questionnaire helps us discern strengths, weaknesses, attitudes and perceptions in your church. It is merely a tool, and makes no claim to provide a complete diagnosis of church health.

Please use the *separate response form* to record your answers. Using a #2 pencil, fill in the circle corresponding to your choice (SA – Strongly Agree; A – Agree; U – Undecided; D – Disagree; SD – Strongly Disagree) for each question. Please answer all questions! If you have any doubts, mark the answer that best represents your thoughts.

Do not put your name on this questionnaire. This tool will be treated with complete confidentiality.

Thank you for taking the time to help your church and God's work.

GENERAL INFORMATION

- A. What is your gender?
(M) Male (F) Female
- B. What is your age?
(0) less than 20 (1) 20-29 (2) 30-39 (3) 40-49 (4) 50-59 (5) 60-69 (6) 70+
- C. How long have you been a member of this church?
(0) Less than 1 year (1) 1-5 years (2) 6-10 years (3) 11+ years
- D. How long have you been a Christian?
(0) Less than 1 year (1) 1-5 years (2) 6-10 years (3) 11+ years
- E. How many hours on the average do you spend in all church activities and ministries each week?
(0) Less than 1 hour (1) 1-5 hours (2) 6-10 hours (3) 11+ hours

(Please skip the remaining GENERAL INFORMATION blocks F, G, H, I, and J on the response form.)

SURVEY QUESTIONS

(answer on separate response form, SA = Strongly Agree A = Agree U = Undecided D = Disagree SD = Strongly Disagree)

1.	When I come to my church, I truly sense that I worship God.	10.	Our church supports missionaries generously.
2.	I am involved in regular Bible study in my church.	11.	Becoming a part of existing groups in our church is hard.
3.	Our church has an intercessory prayer ministry where many people participate.	12.	Our church has a good music ministry.
4.	People in our church share their faith regularly.	13.	The music in our worship services leads me to worship.
5.	We have several cliques in our church.	14.	Most attending our church attend regular Bible study.
6.	Our church has a good youth ministry.	15.	In today's busy world, Christians setting aside thirty minutes a day for prayer is nearly impossible.
7.	I learn a lot about the Bible from the pastor's / minister's / clergy's sermons.	16.	Our church seeks ways to reach people in our area.
8.	I am growing in maturity as a Christian in my church.	17.	The priority focus of a church should be meeting the needs of its members.
9.	The leadership in my church regularly emphasizes the importance of prayer.	18.	Our church has a good preschool and children's ministry.

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19.	Disagreement exists among the members at our church about the type of music and worship style.	44.	We tend to lose members within a few months after they have joined.
20.	New Christians are discipled immediately after conversion in our church.	45.	Our church makes available to everyone a list of prayer needs.
21.	Before we attempt any major effort in our church, we bathe it in prayer.	46.	Our church sends people regularly to do mission work around the world.
22.	Visitors feel welcome in our church.	47.	The people in our church enjoy being together.
23.	People in our church are willing to start new groups and classes.	48.	Most members in our church know their spiritual gifts.
24.	Our church does a good job of ministering to different ages of adults.	49.	The length of the sermons is just right.
25.	The pastor's / minister's / clergy's sermons are relevant to my needs and real life situations.	50.	Our church seems to lose more people than we gain.
26.	Children in our church have opportunities to grow in maturity as Christians.	51.	Prayer is an integral part of our Sunday school classes or small groups.
27.	Our church prays for non-Christians by name.	52.	We have a known plan for regularly reaching out in our community.
28.	Our Sunday school classes or small groups seek to reach people outside of our groups.	53.	I have fellowship or social times with church members outside of church activities at least once a quarter.
29.	Our church has been recently involved in conflict between members.	54.	Most members in our church use their spiritual gifts in ministry.
30.	When there is a need in our church, many people respond.	55.	Our sanctuary/worship center is a good facility in which to worship.
31.	We have a good way of greeting guests in our worship services.	56.	I would describe the commitment level of the majority of our members as low.
32.	I would rate the level of Bible knowledge as high in our church.	57.	We pray regularly for world missions as a church.
33.	Prayer is a central facet of our worship services.	58.	A church should meet the needs of its own members before it reaches out to others.
34.	Our church emphasizes church planting as a means of reaching people.	59.	New members are quickly invited to different groups in the church.
35.	A number of the people in our church are angry with one another.	60.	Whenever a job needs to get done, many people in our church volunteer.
36.	I believe the pastor / minister / clergy (and staff) should do most of the ministry in a church.	61.	I have trouble finding a parking place when I come to church.
37.	I like the blend of music and worship styles in our worship services.	62.	The people in our church understand the church's doctrine; they know what we believe.
38.	Our Sunday school/small groups are very strong in Bible study.	63.	Our church regularly prays for the ministries of the church.
39.	We have special prayer emphases in our church.	64.	A church should not start a new church until it has adequate surplus in the budget.
40.	I have certain fears and apprehensions that keep me from sharing my faith.	65.	Our church is unified.
41.	We have unresolved conflicts in our church.	66.	It is difficult for me to get involved in ministry in my church.
42.	I am regularly involved in doing ministry in our church.	67.	I like the order of worship in our worship services.
43.	The worship service time and length are just right.	68.	New members receive good training and information when they join our church.

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69.	I believe that it is important to have people praying during the worship services.	94.	Our church sees people accept Christ on a regular basis.
70.	Only believers who have the gift of evangelism should be expected to share their faith.	95.	I am a part of a group or class that attempts to reach other people.
71.	One of the reasons I come to church is because I enjoy the fellowship of other members.	96.	The leadership of our church does a good job of equipping people to do ministry.
72.	It is difficult for new members to get involved in ministry in our church.	97.	There are too many distractions in our worship services.
73.	Our worship services are prayerful experiences.	98.	People in our church are given many opportunities to learn how to share and defend their faith.
74.	Our church does a very good job at discipling members.	99.	We have a prayer room in our church where many people pray each week.
75.	I pray for my pastor / minister / clergy, their family(ies), and the staff of our church regularly.	100.	I believe you have to be called to be a lifetime missionary to do international missions.
76.	I regularly attempt to establish relationships with people who do not have a church home.	101.	I am excited to be a part of this church.
77.	I believe my voice is heard in this church.	102.	Our church has a strong benevolence ministry.
78.	Most of the ministry in our church is done by a small number of people.	103.	I have been to other churches, and I think our worship services are among the best.
79.	We have good participation in singing during our worship services.	104.	The lifestyles of our church members are significantly different than the lifestyles of non-believers.
80.	We have many people involved in one-on-one discipling or mentoring.	105.	I believe the Bible teaches that prayer should be a daily part of every Christian's life.
81.	Prayer meetings in our church lack excitement.	106.	I believe that one of the purposes of Sunday school classes or small groups is evangelism.
82.	Our church provides regular opportunities for evangelism training.	107.	I am becoming less interested in being a part of this church.
83.	A healthy relationship exists between the pastor / minister / clergy (and other church staff) and the people.	108.	We reach many people in our church by ministering to them.
84.	Our church members have freedom to be creative in ministry.	109.	The Holy Spirit uses our worship services to lead people to make decisions for God.
85.	A non-Christian would generally understand our worship services.	110.	I know what I believe as a Christian, and why I believe it.
86.	I have grown as a Christian since being at this church.	111.	I pray regularly during the day.
87.	Prayer meetings in church tend to be gossip times.	112.	Our church has a portion of its budget allocated for mission work around the world.
88.	I have at least a few friendships/relationships with people who are not Christians.	113.	The community outside of our church sees us as a very unified church.
89.	Our church deals quickly with open, flagrant, and unrepentant sin of church members.	114.	Our church is willing to minister to people regardless of their ethnic background.
90.	I receive fulfillment by doing ministry in our church.	115.	There is the right emphasis on money and stewardship in our worship services.
91.	I like all the elements of our worship services.	116.	The more mature Christians in our church have a strong desire to help the less mature Christians in our church.
92.	People in our church are given good training on how to develop a prayer life and devotional time.	117.	Our church communicates answered prayers to the people of the church.
93.	When we pray in our church, nothing happens.	118.	When I see a new person in our church, I make an effort to introduce myself to him/her.

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119.	Our church has a good reputation in the community.	140.	There are enough churches in our community.
120.	People in our church have someone to turn to when they need counseling.	141.	I have been trained how to read and interpret the Bible correctly.
121.	We have plenty of room for growth in our worship facility/auditorium.	142.	Sometimes I get tired of doing ministry because my responsibilities at church are probably too many.
122.	I share my faith regularly with lost persons.	143.	I pray regularly for lost people.
123.	Someone personally discipled me, teaching me how to follow Christ and grow as a Christian.	144.	One purpose of fellowship in our church is to encourage one another to live faithfully before God.
124.	I am willing to serve in the church.	145.	I would excitedly invite an unchurched friend to a worship service at our church.
125.	I believe that prayer works.	146.	Our church is growing more by transferring members from other churches than by reaching non-believers.
126.	I feel like I belong in this church.	147.	Discipleship classes in our church are generally boring or irrelevant.
127.	We regularly have guests (visitors) in our worship services.	148.	I can count on my church to minister to me if I am in need.
128.	My pastor / minister / clergy models personal evangelism for our church.	149.	Sometimes our church is so busy "doing church" that we pray too little.
129.	I feel adequately prepared to disciple a new believer.	150.	I felt quickly loved and accepted when I began attending this church.
130.	Our pastor / minister / clergy regularly challenges us to get involved in the ministry of the church.	151.	People of non-Christian faiths can worship God in the same way Christians do.
131.	I feel adequately trained in prayer.	152.	The Bible is the word of God, perfect as it was originally written.
132.	I think visitors to our church sometimes feel unwelcome.	153.	The God of the Bible and the God of other world religions are the same God.
133.	Even as a church grows, it is best to keep everyone together in one morning worship service.	154.	The only way to heaven is through Christ.
134.	I would be willing to do personal evangelism if I had more training.	155.	Because we all are sinners, we can have fellowship with God only through the shed blood of Jesus Christ.
135.	Our church does a good job of training believers to give financially to the church.	156.	God is three persons in one: the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit.
136.	Our church has a clearly defined strategy for ministering to people in times of sickness or death.	157.	A good person of a faith other than Christianity may go to heaven.
137.	I pray regularly for missionaries.	158.	Hell is a literal place.
138.	Our church is more interested in ourselves than in reaching out to unchurched people.	159.	God is in total control of our world.
139.	My faith in God is strengthened by our worship services.	160.	Jesus is the Son of God.

That's it! Thank you for your time!