

Design #

LORD'S DAY PLANNING: *NEEDS-TIMES-PLACES GRID*..... Elliott #48 1970

Name

What this grid is not: An overall plan for the church's worship and education. A comprehensive planning chart (a) on the planning process [assessing needs, resources, channels, etc.], (b) considering questions of designation [should other agencies be meeting a particular need, instead of our church?] and coalition [is this particular need one we should seek to meet in collaboration with other agencies?], and (c) on human needs [concentric human needs, individual to global].

What this grid is: A think-frame for everyone who cares about our church's seeking the most intelligent-effective design for Sunday worship and education for all age-levels, and is willing to participate in this decision-making.

How to use the grid: Put on it the present Sunday design, calling it "1," which goes in every box where this design has activity. Note whether the present design provides all three age-levels with both worship ("W") and education ("E"). Then pencil in all the other designs you think feasible. Finally, circle the one you recommend. (It's easier to put only one design on a sheet: take several sheets.)

	in our building			elsewhere		
	children	youth	adults	chn.	youth	adults
MORNING						
early						
middle						
later						
AFTERNOON						
early						
later						
EVENING						
early						
later						