

<u>Prayer Group</u> <u>Recommended Outline</u>

Sometimes there is a natural flow into the next part of the meeting. Let it happen if it means going into the next phase early that is ok. If you go over time, try to move into the next phase.

Welcome / Introductions Welcome, my name is and I am happy to lead our meeting tonight.

Opening Prayer

Lord Jesus thank you for this opportunity to share this special time with you. Lord, if there is anything in any one of us, in our homes or between our homes that is not of You, please cast it out and send it before Your Father to be corrected. In that void, Lord, we ask a great infilling of Your Holy Spirit. We invite Our Lady and all of the Angels and Saints to be with us, to pray with us and to teach us how to pray. Amen

<u>Praise and Worship</u> God in song. 2 or more songs (about 10 minutes)

Thanksgiving (about 5 to 10 minutes)

Open praise & thanks for things that we are grateful to God for or for something He has done. (Very brief thanks)

Prayer, scripture, quiet time (about 15 minutes)

This is a time for prophecy, scripture reading, something that you see or hear from the Lord.

Short Teaching (about 10 minutes)

(Introduce teacher and pray over them)

Sharing (About 5 minutes)

If someone goes on too long reel it in! Sharing can be limited if you are overtime. "we have time for one short sharing", etc.

Petitions (About 5 minutes)

<u>No response</u> needed until the end, we are not at Mass. Pray over all of them in the end. "let's raise our hands and pray over all of these petitions and all of the petitions that we hold in our hearts."

Closing Prayer

<u>Closing music</u> – optional

Individual Prayer over people – optional but recommended