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Introduction

Dynamic leadership requires listening, learning, and taking action. This is true in any kind of leadership, especially in church leadership. An objective understanding of the church climate is an asset for a church leadership to effectively lead and manage change. This can be obtained through a church member survey, where the leadership can have an idea of the pulse of the church members.

The valuegenesis study, the largest and most comprehensive study ever made of church youth, which begun in 1989, was an important landmark study carried out by the Seventh-day Adventist Church.

It assessed their faith and values in the context of the most influential institutions: family, church, and school, and identified what it was in those venues that encouraged a mature faith, and positive values development. The impact of the study set in motion a whole series of events—planned changed conferences, vision-to-action focus groups, new concerns, attitudes, training programs, priorities of the home, school, and church, and publications—that resulted in more effective way to help youth to a life of commitment and loyalty to the Adventist church.

(<http://www.lasierra.edu/index.php?id=2284>)

A survey is a listening tool that can give the leadership a baseline view of reality. Indeed, conducting a church member survey is a tangible step that church leadership must take that they may be given direction towards staying focused on areas that should be the highest priorities in strategic planning.

This survey, which was commissioned and funded by the General Conference, was conducted in the East-Central Africa Division of the Seventh-day Adventist Church. This was done by a research team from the University of Eastern Africa, Baraton: Prof. Elizabeth M. Role, Director of Graduate Studies and Research (team leader); Dr. Lameck Miyayo,

Dean of the School of Humanities and Social Sciences; Dr. Elijah Njagi (retired), Prof. Nehemiah Nyaundi (associate professor), and Pastor Caesar Wamalika (lecturer) of the Department of Theology and Religious Studies; Dr. Fanta Hotamo (lecturer) and Prof. Joseph Masinda (former senior lecturer, now Vice-Rector of Cosendai University in Cameroon) of the Department of Educational Administration, Curriculum, and Teaching; Prof. Yona Balyage, Director of Quality Assurance; and Pastor Rei Kesis, dean of men.



In this photo: standing from left to right, Pastor Caesar Wamalika, Prof. Nehemiah Nyaundi, and Dr. Fanta Hotamo; sitting from left to right, Dr. Lameck Miyayo, Prof. Elizabeth Role, and Prof. Yona Balyage.

Sampling Procedures

It was desired that each conference/mission/field be represented in the sample. The team leader requested the ECD executive secretary for the email addresses of the

union/conference/field executive secretaries through the administrative secretary (secretariat). Each conference/mission/field executive secretary was asked to submit the list of churches, indicating the location (urban or rural) of each church and the size of each church in terms of membership. This information was written in a form sent to them (see appendix A). The churches were stratified in terms of size (small, medium and large membership), based on the ranking of the churches according to membership, and location (urban and rural).

The team leader ranked the churches in each conference/mission/field according to membership.

- In conferences/missions/fields with 500 or more churches, twenty (20) large, 20 medium, and 20 small churches in terms of membership, both in urban and rural areas, were identified. Two large churches, two medium churches, and two small churches, from urban and rural locations, were randomly selected to comprise 12 churches in the sample.
- In conferences/missions/fields with between 100 to 499 churches, ten (10) large, 10 medium and 10 small churches in terms of membership, both in urban and rural areas, were identified. One large church, one medium church and one small church, from urban and rural locations, were randomly selected to comprise 6 churches in the sample.
- In conferences/missions/fields with between 50 to 99 churches, ten (10) large, 10 medium and 10 small churches in terms of membership, were identified without considering the location. One large church, one medium church and one small church were randomly selected to comprise 3 churches in the sample.
- In conferences/missions/fields with between 10 to 49 churches, 1 large, 1 medium, and 1 small church were randomly selected to comprise 3 churches in the sample

- In conferences/missions/fields with less than 10 churches, the church with the largest membership comprised the sample.

The number of church members expected to participate in the study was based on the following rule:

Large church	50 members
Medium church	30 members
Small church	10 members

The Research Instrument

The questionnaire (Appendix B) was developed by a team led by Dr. Bailey Gillespie of La Sierra University. Two statements (on witchcraft and polygamy) in the section of religious beliefs were added for the survey in Africa. A pilot study was conducted at the Baraton University Church, involving church members who come from different countries of Africa. The questionnaire was translated in the following languages: Kiswahili (Appendix C), Kinyarwanda (Appendix D), Luganda (Appendix E), Afan Oromo (Appendix F), Amharic (Appendix G), French (Appendix H), and Kirundi (Appendix I). The translation was done by native speakers from the countries represented.

Data-Gathering Procedures

In Kenya, members of the research team spearheaded the gathering of data. In other countries of ECD, the list of sampled churches and the questionnaire, both in English and in the translated language, where necessary, were sent to the executive secretary of each union/conference/mission/field through e-mail attachment. The photocopying of the questionnaire was done in each conference/mission/field.

District/church pastors, elders, and other officers of the church were involved in data collection. Members of the randomly selected churches who were present during the time of

data collection and were willing to participate in the study filled the questionnaires. The filled questionnaires were sent to UEAB/ECD by mail or in person.

Data Analysis

The encoding of data was done at UEAB to ensure accuracy and freedom from bias. Seven encoders assisted in the data encoding. The team leader analyzed the data. Descriptive statistics such as frequencies, percentages, means, and standard deviations were used. Demographic information were presented in pie charts, column graphs, and bar graphs. Pearson product-moment and Spearman rank-order correlation coefficients were computed to determine the degree of relationships between variables. One-way analysis of variance was used to determine significant differences among groups.

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Executive Summary

Demographic Information of the Respondents

The data were gathered from six thousand eight hundred ninety five (6,985) church members in eight countries namely, Burundi, Democratic Republic of Congo, Ethiopia, Kenya, Rwanda, South Sudan, Tanzania, and Uganda. Majority of the respondents were males (61.7%), baptized members of the church (91%), attended 4 or more times a month, on the average, the past year (73.5%), were Seventh-day Adventists from birth (60%), are not employed by the church or church-affiliated institutions (75%), attend church worship services more than once a week (55%), and consider themselves as active participants (42%) or leader in church (32%). All age ranges from 15 years or younger to 80 years or older and all levels of education from primary to graduate school are represented, with 51% having no SDA schooling. The respondents have a high degree of satisfaction with the church they attend (mean of 8.22 on a scale of 1 to 10).

About the Church

Cold and unfriendly church and not meaningful worship services are the most common reasons given that would make the church members consider leaving the church they attend. The first five statements that are often true about the church the respondents attend are:

- I feel proud of my church and its role and reputation in my community
- My church is helping me grow closer to Christ
- I feel uncomfortable/guilty when I do not attend church most weekends
- My Sabbath School teachers or leaders know me well
- I look forward to going to programs at my church

Church members who have positive experience with caring church leaders and who have positive attitude toward church programs tend to attend church regularly and get involved in church activities.

Church Support

Church members often support the church through *tithes* and *Sabbath School offerings*. They also often support *church building fund*, *mission program*, and *evangelistic projects* of the church.

Older church members, those who are more involved in church activities, who have positive experiences with church and who had been converted to Adventism for a longer period of time support the church financially.

Those who regularly attend church and whose churches help them grow closer to church tend to support mission and evangelism.

Church members who received SDA schooling and those employed by an institution owned by or affiliated with the SDA church tend to support Christian education and local church school.

Description of the Pastor

The respondents describe their pastor as a *good preacher, enthusiastic about ministry, and shows true spiritual leadership in the church community.*

The characteristics of the pastor that have significant positive relationship with frequency of attendance in church services are: *enthusiastic about ministry, helpful in times of need, inspiring, occasionally visits church members of the church in their home, sensitive to the needs of others, a good preacher, shows true spiritual leadership in church community, receptive of new ideas, and thorough in pastoral duties.*

Local Church Leadership

The characteristics of the local church leadership that are often true in churches are: *clearly communicates the mission of the Church, is easy to talk with, is supportive of involving young people in worship services, is doing enough to engage members in mission, and is active in assisting the local church.*

Reasons for Attending/Remaining Part of the Congregation

At least 25% of the respondents identified the following as factors that originally attracted them to attend their congregation: *the doctrines of the church (54%), worship style (36%), music program, and an evangelism program (29%).* Similarly, at least 25% of the respondents identified the following as reasons for remaining part of their congregation: *the doctrines of the church (57%), worship style (38%), and an evangelism program (29%).*

Younger church members were originally attracted to attend and remain in their congregation because of friends, music program, child and youth program, community outreach, self-help groups, and evangelism program. For the older church members, the main reasons are doctrines of the church and denominational ties.

Important Personal Traits of Pastoral Leadership

The first six personal traits of pastoral leadership considered quite important by the church members generally are: *Biblical preaching and teaching, gives whole self to the church, emphasis on spiritual development and growth, comforting and reassuring, advises people what to do, and expertise in biblical theological matters.*

Younger church members consider *emphasis on spiritual development and growth, comforting and reassuring, Biblical preaching and teaching, preaching and teaching on contemporary issues, works hard to accomplish tasks, and advises people what to do* while older church members place more importance on *relaxed interpersonal style.*

Caring, Nurture, and Outreach Involvement

Older church members perceive the need for the church to improve on caring and nurture more than the younger church members.

Church members who attend church regularly and who prefer to go to church more often tend to be willing to get involved in outreach to a great extent.

Religious Life Development

The following were identified as often helping in the development of the church members' religious life are: *church worship services, Sabbath school, personal Bible study and prayer, Pastor's sermons, and the Sabbath school quarterly.* Online church publications and internet sites were identified as having the least help.

Local Church Characteristics

The first four characteristics that were identified by church members to be true of their local church are:

- It stretches me in worship.
- I learn a lot.
- Strangers feel welcome.
- It provides fellowship.

Church members who have positive attitude toward their local church tend to regularly attend worship services.

Self-evaluation

Majority of the church members *are spiritually moved by the beauty of God's creation, have a real sense of God's guidance, seek opportunities to grow spiritually, feel that their life is filled with meaning and purpose, and feel God's presence in their relationship with other people.*

Attitudes Toward Religion

Generally, church members have a positive attitude toward religion. Majority *enjoy reading about Seventh-day Adventism, have often had a strong sense of God's presence, find it important to spend time in private thought and prayer, consider religion important as it answers many questions about the meaning of life, and try hard to live according to their religious beliefs.*

Older church members *enjoy reading about Seventh-day Adventism, try hard to live according to their religious beliefs, and approach life based on their religion.* On the other hand, younger church members *believe that it doesn't matter what they believe as long as they are good, sometimes have to disregard their religious beliefs because of what people might think of them, believe that prayer is for peace and happiness, do not let religion affect their life, go to church mainly because they enjoy seeing people they know there, and consider other things more important than the religion they believe.*

Older church members tend to read the Bible, engage in personal devotion, read the writings of Ellen G. White, and have family worship more often than the younger church members.

Religious Beliefs

Younger church members *believe that God loves everyone and they they should be all right in the end if they are morally good persons, that there is no body of teaching or set of scriptures that is completely without error or contradiction, expect the world will end within the next 20 years, believe that if they have been baptized, they will make it to heaven if they remain a good person all my life and that SDA beliefs might change over time, that God approves polygamy because some men of God in the Bible were polygamists, and that because of the reality of witchcraft, Christians can go to witchdoctors for protection.*

Older church members *believe that there are only two kinds of people in the world: the righteous, who will be rewarded by God, and the rest, who will not, that Christianity is about Jesus giving power to conquer sin in their life, that of all the people on earth, one group has a special relationship with God, and that when a person dies their body remains in the grave and their soul sleeps until the resurrection.*

Acceptance of SDA Teachings

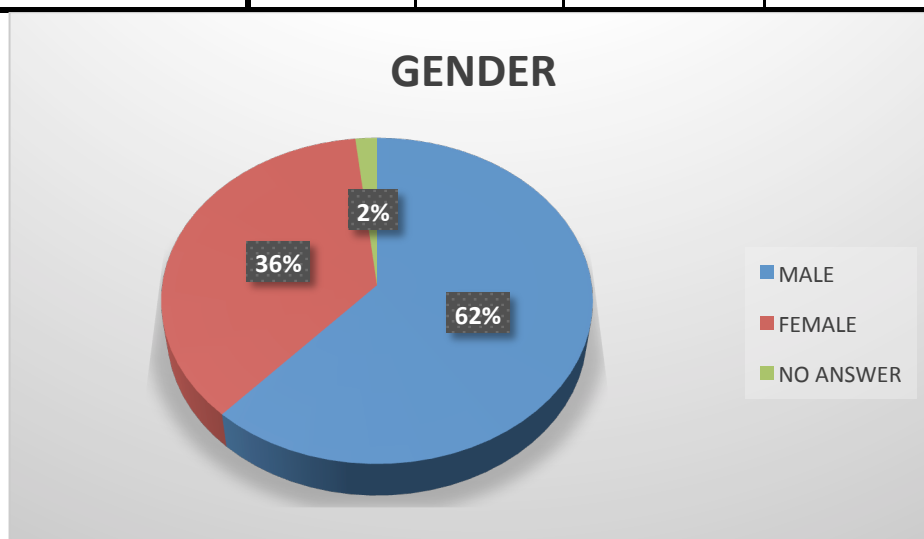
Older church members *tend to embrace wholeheartedly that Jesus Christ is the son of God and the SDA teachings that the investigative judgment began in 1844 and the Adventist standards regarding modesty and simplicity in dress.*

Analysis, Presentation, and Interpretation of Data

INFORMATION ABOUT THE RESPONDENTS

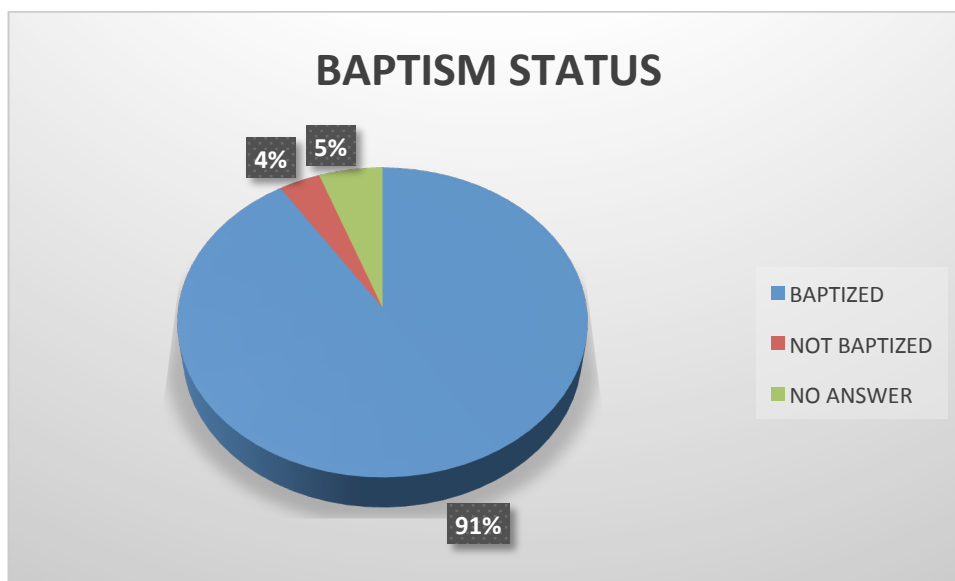
What is your gender?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	MALE	4253	61.7	62.8	62.8
	FEMALE	2520	36.5	37.2	100.0
	Total	6773	98.2	100.0	
Missing	System	122	1.8		
Total		6895	100.0		



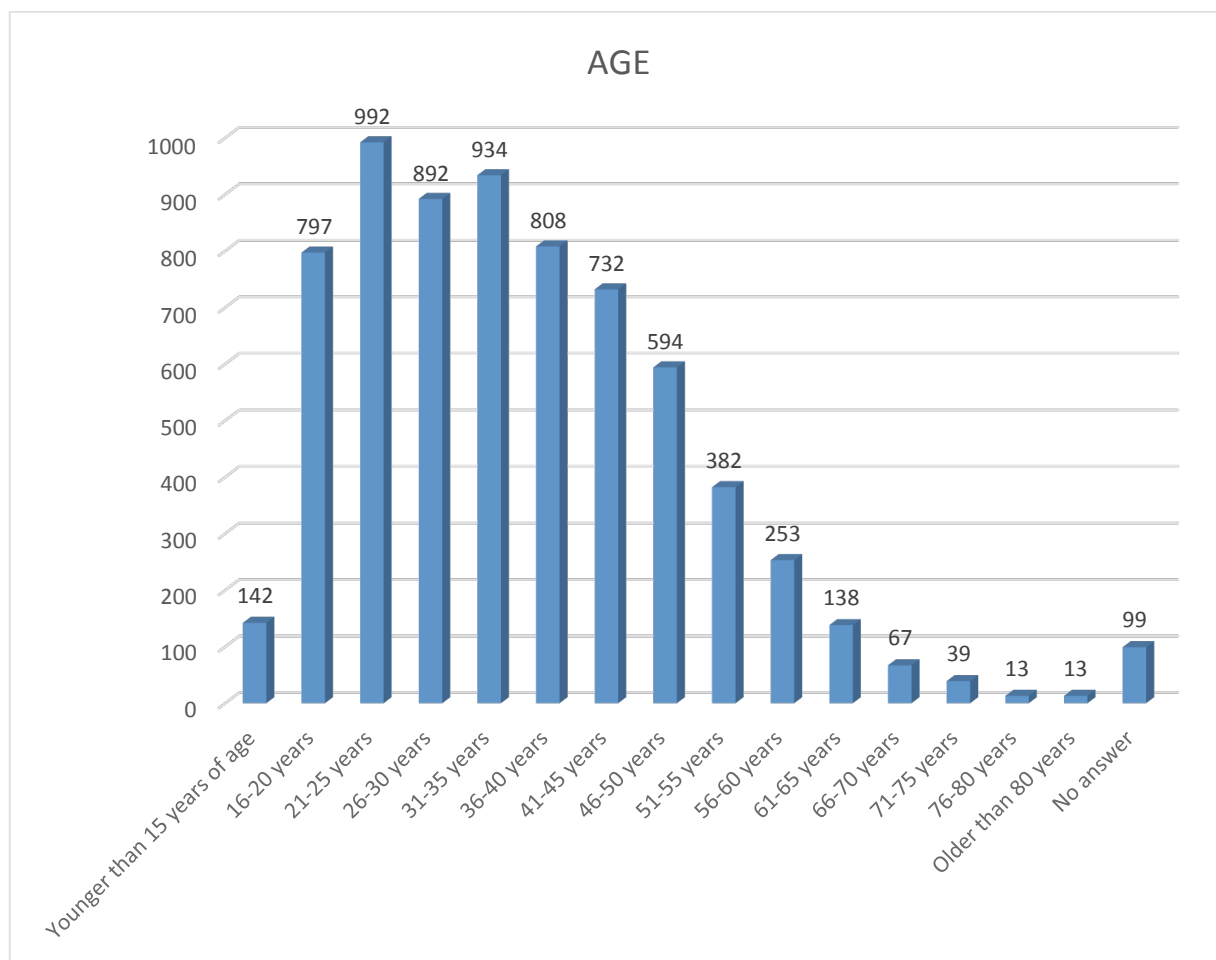
Are you a baptized member of the SDA Church?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	YES	6268	90.9	96.2	96.2
	NO	248	3.6	3.8	100.0
	Total	6516	94.5	100.0	
Missing	System	379	5.5		
Total		6895	100.0		



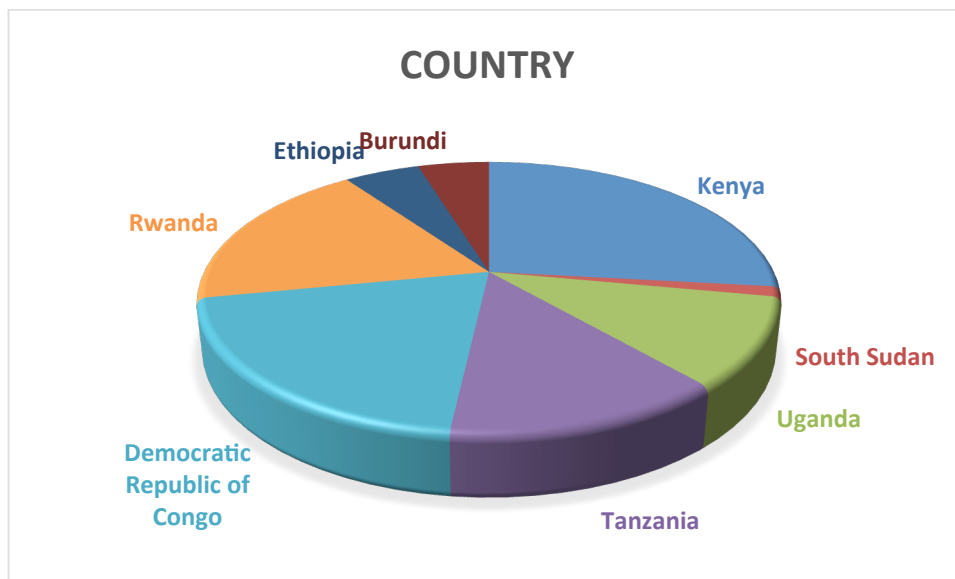
How old are you?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Younger than 15 years of age	142	2.1	2.1	2.1
	16-20 years	797	11.6	11.7	13.8
	21-25 years	992	14.4	14.6	28.4
	26-30 years	892	12.9	13.1	41.5
	31-35 years	934	13.5	13.7	55.3
	36-40 years	808	11.7	11.9	67.2
	41-45 years	732	10.6	10.8	77.9
	46-50 years	594	8.6	8.7	86.7
	51-55 years	382	5.5	5.6	92.3
	56-60 years	253	3.7	3.7	96.0
	61-65 years	138	2.0	2.0	98.1
	66-70 years	67	1.0	1.0	99.0
	71-75 years	39	.6	.6	99.6
	76-80 years	13	.2	.2	99.8
	Older than 80 years	13	.2	.2	100.0
	Total	6796	98.6	100.0	
Missing	System	99	1.4		
Total		6895	100.0		



What country are you living in?

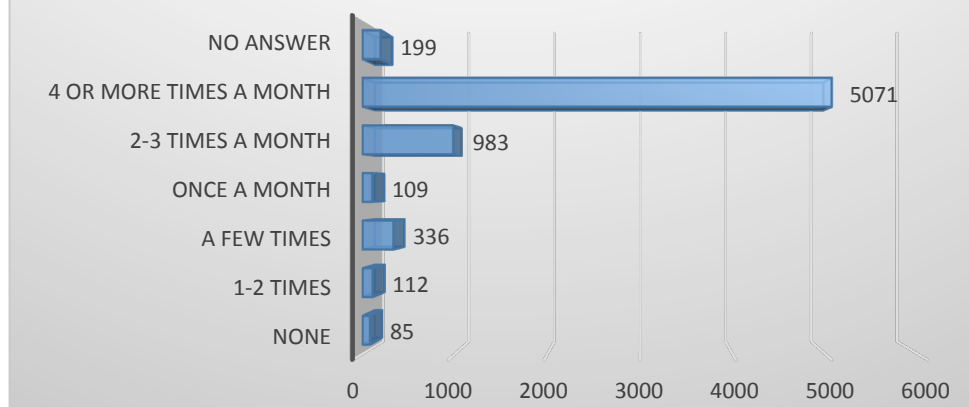
	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid Kenya	1844	26.7	26.7	26.7
South Sudan	83	1.2	1.2	27.9
Uganda	732	10.6	10.6	38.6
Tanzania	912	13.2	13.2	51.8
Democratic Republic of Congo	1387	20.1	20.1	71.9
Rwanda	1259	18.3	18.3	90.2
Ethiopia	349	5.1	5.1	95.2
Burundi	329	4.8	4.8	100.0
Total	6895	100.0	100.0	



On the average, about how many times have you attended church services during the last year?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	None	85	1.2	1.3	1.3
	1-2 times	112	1.6	1.7	2.9
	A few times	336	4.9	5.0	8.0
	Once a month	109	1.6	1.6	9.6
	2-3 times a month	983	14.3	14.7	24.3
	4 or more times a month	5071	73.5	75.7	100.0
	Total	6696	97.1	100.0	
Missing	System	199	2.9		
Total		6895	100.0		

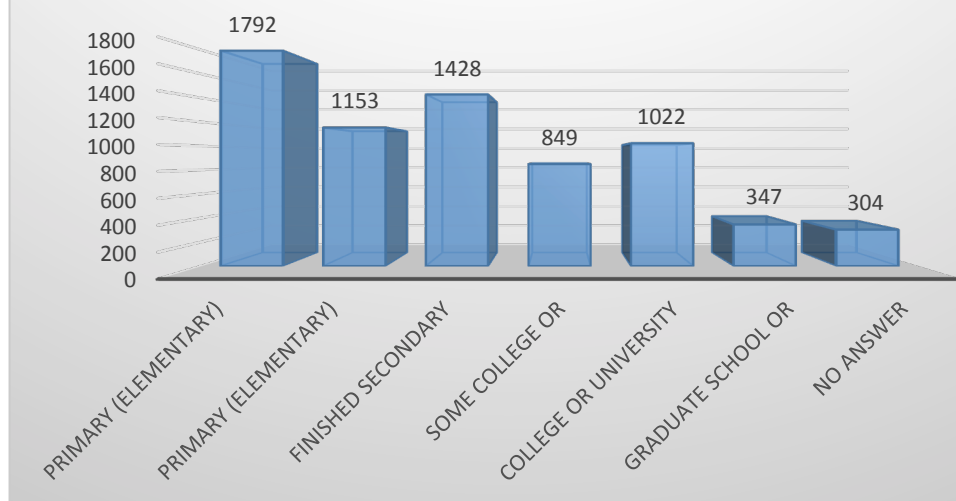
Average Frequency of Church Attendance (Past Year)



What is the highest level of school have you completed?

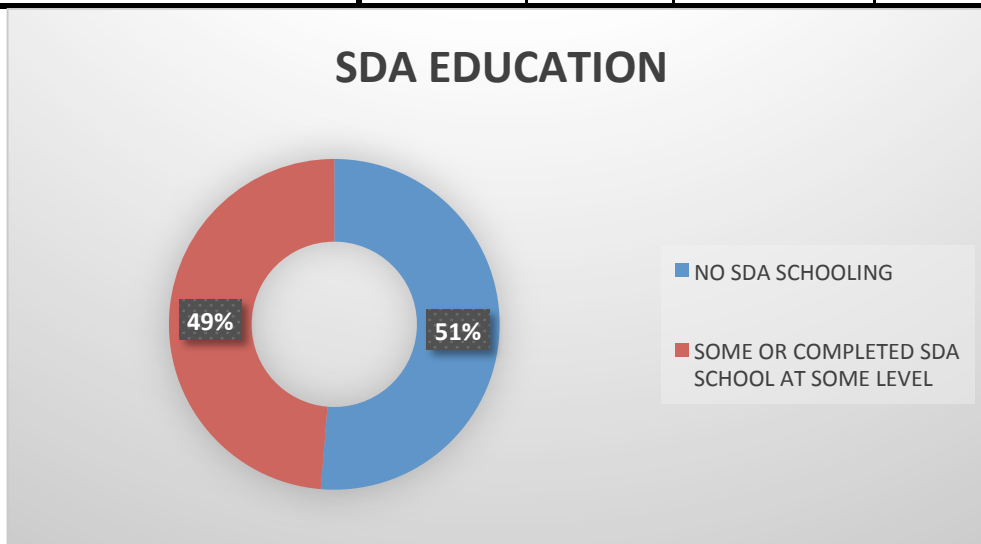
		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Primary (elementary) school only	1792	26.0	27.2	27.2
	Primary (elementary) and some secondary (high) school	1153	16.7	17.5	44.7
	Finished secondary (high) school	1428	20.7	21.7	66.3
	Some college or university	849	12.3	12.9	79.2
	College or university graduate	1022	14.8	15.5	94.7
	Graduate school or professional school graduate	347	5.0	5.3	100.0
	Total	6591	95.6	100.0	
Missing	System	304	4.4		
Total		6895	100.0		

Highest Level of Education



No SDA schooling

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	NO SDA SCHOOLING	3538	51.3	100.0	100.0
Missing	System	3357	48.7		
Total		6895	100.0		

**Some SDA primary (elementary)**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	SOME SDA PRIMARY (ELEMENTARY)	902	13.1	100.0	100.0
Missing	System	5993	86.9		
Total		6895	100.0		

Completed SDA primary (elementary)

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	COMPLETED SDA PRIMARY (ELEMENTARY)	544	7.9	100.0	100.0
Missing	System	6351	92.1		
Total		6895	100.0		

Some SDA secondary (high) school

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	SOME SDA SECONDARY (HIGH) SCHOOL	629	9.1	100.0	100.0
Missing	System	6266	90.9		
Total		6895	100.0		

Completed SDA secondary (high) school

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	COMPLETED SDA SECONDARY SCHOOL (HIGH)	627	9.1	100.0	100.0
Missing	System	6268	90.9		
Total		6895	100.0		

Some SDA college or university

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	SOME SDA COLLEGE OR UNIVERSITY	241	3.5	100.0	100.0
Missing	System	6654	96.5		
Total		6895	100.0		

Completed SDA college or university

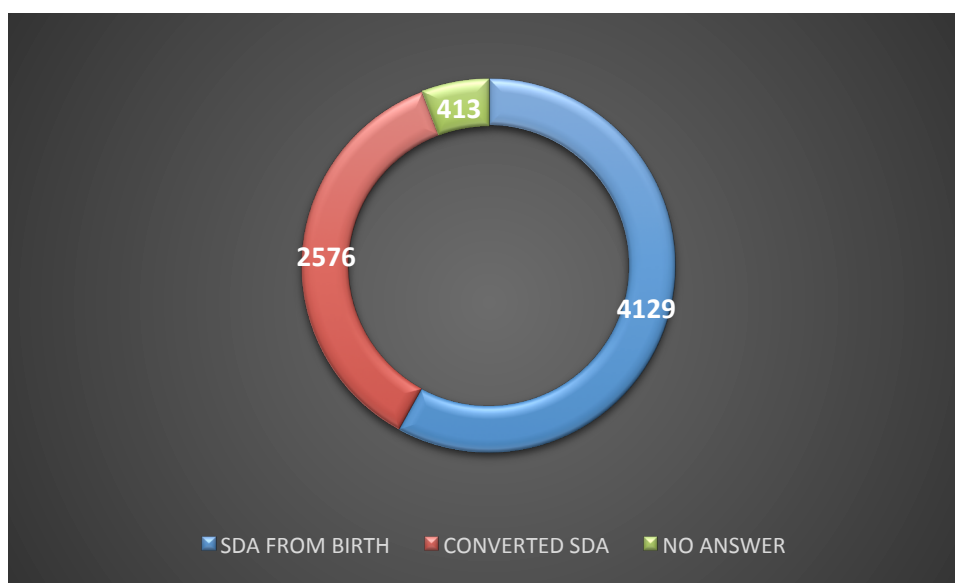
		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	COMPLETED SDA COLLEGE OR UNIVERSITY	226	3.3	100.0	100.0
Missing	System	6669	96.7		
Total		6895	100.0		

SDA graduate school or professional school

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	SDA GRADUATE OR PROFESSIONAL SCHOOL	85	1.2	100.0	100.0
Missing	System	6810	98.8		
Total		6895	100.0		

Have you been a Seventh-day Adventist from birth?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	YES	4129	59.9	61.6	61.6
	NO	2576	37.4	38.4	100.0
	Total	6705	97.2	100.0	
Missing	System	190	2.8		
Total		6895	100.0		



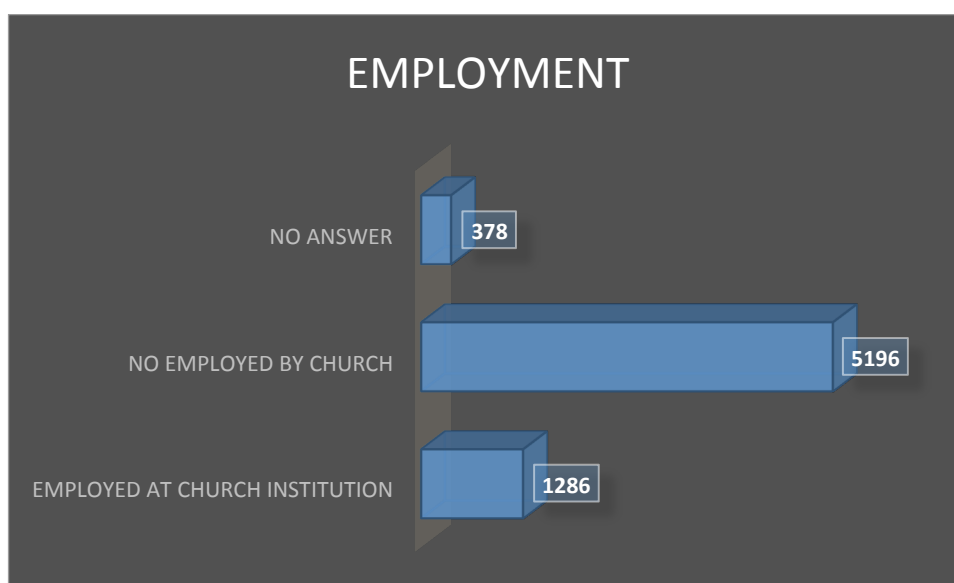
If not, then for how long have been a Seventh-day Adventist?^a

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid Less than one year	75	2.9	3.0	3.0
1-4 years	247	9.6	9.8	12.8
5-10 years	468	18.2	18.6	31.5
11-15 years	534	20.7	21.3	52.7
16-20 years	436	16.9	17.4	70.1
21-25 years	303	11.8	12.1	82.2
26-30 years	200	7.8	8.0	90.2
31-35 years	82	3.2	3.3	93.4
36-40 years	51	2.0	2.0	95.5
41-45 years	36	1.4	1.4	96.9
46-50 years	36	1.4	1.4	98.3
More than 50 years	42	1.6	1.7	100.0
Total	2510	97.4	100.0	
Missing System	66	2.6		
Total	2576	100.0		

a. Have you been a Seventh-day Adventist from birth? = NO

Are you employed by an institution that is owned by or affiliated with the SDA Church?

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid YES	1286	18.7	19.8	19.8
NO	5196	75.4	80.2	100.0
Total	6482	94.0	100.0	
Missing System	413	6.0		
Total	6895	100.0		

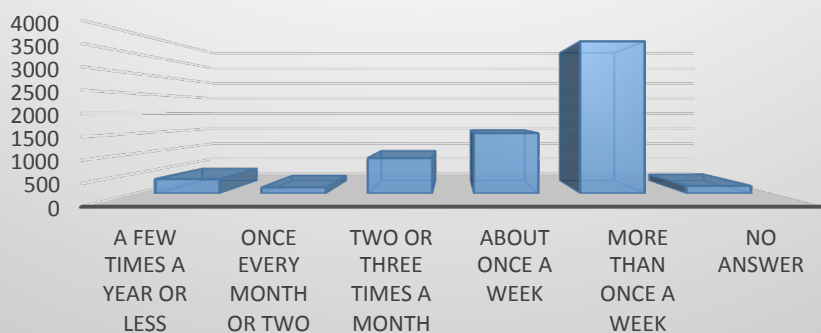


ABOUT THE CHURCH

How often do you attend worship services at your church?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	A few times a year or less	361	5.2	5.4	5.4
	Once every month or two	152	2.2	2.3	7.7
	Two or three times a month	886	12.8	13.2	20.9
	About once a week	1505	21.8	22.4	43.3
	More than once a week	3801	55.1	56.7	100.0
	Total	6705	97.2	100.0	
Missing	System	190	2.8		
Total		6895	100.0		

FREQUENCY OF ATTENDANCE IN WORSHIP SERVICES



I would prefer to go to church

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	A few times a year or less	96	1.4	1.4	1.4
	Once every month or two	73	1.1	1.1	2.5
	Two or three times a month	524	7.6	7.8	10.4
	About once a week	744	10.8	11.1	21.5
	More than once a week	5258	76.3	78.5	100.0
	Total	6695	97.1	100.0	
Missing	System	200	2.9		
Total		6895	100.0		

How do you consider your involvement in your church?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	I do not participate at all in church activities	187	2.7	2.8	2.8
	I consider myself an observer	168	2.4	2.6	5.4
	I consider myself a casual participant	1151	16.7	17.5	22.9
	I consider myself an active participant	2895	42.0	44.0	66.9
	I consider myself a leader in my church	2182	31.6	33.1	100.0
	Total	6583	95.5	100.0	
Missing	System	312	4.5		
Total		6895	100.0		

Descriptive Statistics

	N	Minimum	Maximum	Mean	Std. Deviation
How satisfied are you with the church you attend?	6333	1.00	10.00	8.2200	2.41150
Valid N (listwise)	6333				

What characteristics of church life would make you consider leaving your local SDA Church to worship in another congregation of a different faith?

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid When sermons are boring	291	4.2	5.6	5.6
When church is cold and unfriendly	1177	17.1	22.7	28.3
When there are no activities beyond weekend services	330	4.8	6.4	34.6
When worship services are not meaningful	834	12.1	16.1	50.7
Other	2561	37.1	49.3	100.0
Total	5193	75.3	100.0	
Missing System	1702	24.7		
Total	6895	100.0		

What characteristics of church life would make you consider leaving your local SDA Church to worship in another SDA church?

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid When sermons are boring	389	5.6	7.1	7.1
When church is cold and unfriendly	1461	21.2	26.8	34.0
When there are no activities beyond weekend services	455	6.6	8.4	42.3
When worship services are not meaningful	972	14.1	17.9	60.2
Other	2167	31.4	39.8	100.0
Total	5444	79.0	100.0	
Missing System	1451	21.0		
Total	6895	100.0		

What characteristics of church life would make you consider leaving your local SDA Church to worship at home?

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid When sermons are boring	397	5.8	7.7	7.7
When church is cold and unfriendly	1089	15.8	21.2	28.9
When there are no activities beyond weekend services	339	4.9	6.6	35.5
When worship services are not meaningful	996	14.4	19.4	54.9
Other	2316	33.6	45.1	100.0
Total	5137	74.5	100.0	
Missing System	1758	25.5		
Total	6895	100.0		

Note: In the correlation analysis and analysis of variance, the test statistic that is significant at 0.05 level is flagged with one asterisk (*) and the test statistic that is significant at 0.01 level is flagged with two asterisks ().**

EXPERIENCE WITH THE CHURCH

Descriptive Statistics					
	N	Minimum	Maximum	Mean	Std. Deviation
I feel proud of my church and its role and reputation in my community	6389	1.00	4.00	3.3559	.85764
My church is helping me grow closer to Christ	6336	1.00	4.00	3.3524	.84057
I feel uncomfortable/guilty when I do not attend church most weekends	6314	1.00	4.00	3.3313	.93074
My Sabbath School teachers or leaders know me well	6331	1.00	4.00	3.2579	.95753
I look forward to going to programs at my church	6315	1.00	4.00	3.2006	.89439
I can be myself at church	6254	1.00	4.00	3.0696	1.06142
I go to programs at church because I want to	6183	1.00	4.00	3.0530	1.07308
My pastor knows me well	6338	1.00	4.00	3.0271	1.07940
Programs at my church are interesting	6473	1.00	4.00	3.0014	.91115
The leaders in the church are warm and friendly	6301	1.00	4.00	2.9486	.93379
Programs at my church make me think	6234	1.00	4.00	2.9307	.94039
The leaders in our church care about me	6251	1.00	4.00	2.8984	.98196
I attend small group meetings organized by the church	6271	1.00	4.00	2.8783	.99762
Valid N (listwise)	4850				

Programs at my church are interesting

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid never	282	4.1	4.4	4.4
sometimes	1836	26.6	28.4	32.7
often	1946	28.2	30.1	62.8
almost always	2409	34.9	37.2	100.0
Total	6473	93.9	100.0	
Missing System	422	6.1		
Total	6895	100.0		

Programs at my church make me think

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid never	486	7.0	7.8	7.8
sometimes	1529	22.2	24.5	32.3
often	2150	31.2	34.5	66.8
almost always	2069	30.0	33.2	100.0
Total	6234	90.4	100.0	
Missing System	661	9.6		
Total	6895	100.0		

My Sabbath School teachers or leaders know me well

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	never	476	6.9	7.5	7.5
	sometimes	868	12.6	13.7	21.2
	often	1534	22.2	24.2	45.5
	almost always	3453	50.1	54.5	100.0
	Total	6331	91.8	100.0	
Missing	System	564	8.2		
Total		6895	100.0		

My pastor knows me well

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	never	832	12.1	13.1	13.1
	sometimes	1112	16.1	17.5	30.7
	often	1446	21.0	22.8	53.5
	almost always	2948	42.8	46.5	100.0
	Total	6338	91.9	100.0	
Missing	System	557	8.1		
Total		6895	100.0		

The leaders in the church are warm and friendly

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	never	371	5.4	5.9	5.9
	sometimes	1804	26.2	28.6	34.5
	often	1904	27.6	30.2	64.7
	almost always	2222	32.2	35.3	100.0
	Total	6301	91.4	100.0	
Missing	System	594	8.6		
Total		6895	100.0		

I can be myself at church

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	never	794	11.5	12.7	12.7
	sometimes	938	13.6	15.0	27.7
	often	1561	22.6	25.0	52.7
	almost always	2961	42.9	47.3	100.0
	Total	6254	90.7	100.0	
Missing	System	641	9.3		
Total		6895	100.0		

The leaders in our church care about me

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	never	553	8.0	8.8	8.8
	sometimes	1704	24.7	27.3	36.1
	often	1819	26.4	29.1	65.2
	almost always	2175	31.5	34.8	100.0
	Total	6251	90.7	100.0	
Missing	System	644	9.3		
Total		6895	100.0		

I look forward to going to programs at my church

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	never	306	4.4	4.8	4.8
	sometimes	1101	16.0	17.4	22.3
	often	1928	28.0	30.5	52.8
	almost always	2980	43.2	47.2	100.0
	Total	6315	91.6	100.0	
Missing	System	580	8.4		
Total		6895	100.0		

I go to programs at church because I want to

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	never	837	12.1	13.5	13.5
	sometimes	893	13.0	14.4	28.0
	often	1558	22.6	25.2	53.2
	almost always	2895	42.0	46.8	100.0
	Total	6183	89.7	100.0	
Missing	System	712	10.3		
Total		6895	100.0		

My church is helping me grow closer to Christ

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	never	234	3.4	3.7	3.7
	sometimes	813	11.8	12.8	16.5
	often	1775	25.7	28.0	44.5
	almost always	3514	51.0	55.5	100.0
	Total	6336	91.9	100.0	
Missing	System	559	8.1		
Total		6895	100.0		

I attend small group meetings organized by the church

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	never	622	9.0	9.9	9.9
	sometimes	1682	24.4	26.8	36.7
	often	1804	26.2	28.8	65.5
	almost always	2163	31.4	34.5	100.0
	Total	6271	90.9	100.0	
Missing	System	624	9.1		
Total		6895	100.0		

I feel uncomfortable/guilty when I do not attend church most weekends

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	never	426	6.2	6.7	6.7
	sometimes	757	11.0	12.0	18.7
	often	1430	20.7	22.6	41.4
	almost always	3701	53.7	58.6	100.0
	Total	6314	91.6	100.0	
Missing	System	581	8.4		
Total		6895	100.0		

I feel proud of my church and its role and reputation in my community

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	never	266	3.9	4.2	4.2
	sometimes	819	11.9	12.8	17.0
	often	1679	24.4	26.3	43.3
	almost always	3625	52.6	56.7	100.0
	Total	6389	92.7	100.0	
Missing	System	506	7.3		
Total		6895	100.0		

RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN CHURCH INVOLVEMENT AND CARE OF LEADERS

How do you consider your involvement in your church?	The leaders in our church care about me	My Sabbath School teachers or leaders know me well	My pastor knows me well
Correlation Coefficient	.163**	.244**	.273**
N	6021	6093	6104

Church members who experience care of church leaders tend to be more involved in church activities.

RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN FREQUENCY OF WORSHIP SERVICES ATTENDANCE AND EXPERIENCE WITH CHURCH LEADERS

How often do you attend worship services at your church?	My Sabbath School teachers or leaders know me well	My pastor knows me well	The leaders in the church are warm and friendly	The leaders in our church care about me
Correlation Coefficient	.163**	.141**	.082**	.124**
N	6204	6205	6173	6127

Church members who have positive experiences with church leaders tend to be more regular in attending worship services.

RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN FREQUENCY OF WORSHIP SERVICES ATTENDANCE AND EXPERIENCE WITH/ATTITUDE TOWARD CHURCH PROGRAMS

How often do you attend worship services at your church?	I look forward to going to programs at my church	I go to programs at church because I want to	My church is helping me grow closer to Christ	I attend small group meetings organized by the church
EAST-CENTRAL AFRICA	.179**	.090**	.114**	.213**
Correlation Coefficient				
N	6195	6062	6211	6155

Church members who have positive experience with/attitude toward church programs tend to be more frequent in worship services attendance.

RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN FREQUENCY OF WORSHIP SERVICES ATTENDANCE AND ATTITUDE TOWARD CHURCH

How often do you attend worship services at your church?	I can be myself at church	I feel uncomfortable /guilty when I do not attend church most weekends	I feel proud of my church and its role and reputation in my community
EAST-CENTRAL AFRICA	.103**	.096**	.090**
Correlation Coefficient			
N	6138	6192	6269

Church members who have positive attitude toward church tend to be more regular in worship services attendance.

CHURCH SUPPORT

Descriptive Statistics

	N	Minimum	Maximum	Mean	Std. Deviation
Through my tithe	5963	1.00	5.00	3.7349	1.13555
Sabbath School offerings	5679	1.00	5.00	3.7029	1.16994
The church building fund	5696	1.00	5.00	3.6993	1.18417
The mission program of the church	5652	1.00	5.00	3.5732	1.20905
The evangelistic projects of the church	5567	1.00	5.00	3.5093	1.25705
Christian education	5151	1.00	5.00	3.3564	1.31810
I provide support for the local church school	5232	1.00	5.00	3.0140	1.44986
I provide extra for the 13th Sabbath offering	5633	1.00	5.00	3.0112	1.32128
Through wills and trusts	4792	1.00	5.00	2.8303	1.55690
Valid N (listwise)	3378				

Note: The responses NOT APPLICABLE were treated as MISSING in the computation of the means and standard deviations.

Through my tithe

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid never	311	4.5	5.0	5.0
seldom	462	6.7	7.4	12.5
sometimes	1592	23.1	25.6	38.1
often	1730	25.1	27.9	66.0
always	1868	27.1	30.1	96.1
not applicable	244	3.5	3.9	100.0
Total	6207	90.0	100.0	
Missing System	688	10.0		
Total	6895	100.0		

Sabbath School offerings

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid never	338	4.9	5.6	5.6
seldom	490	7.1	8.1	13.7
sometimes	1482	21.5	24.5	38.2
often	1580	22.9	26.1	64.3
always	1789	25.9	29.6	93.9
not applicable	368	5.3	6.1	100.0
Total	6047	87.7	100.0	
Missing System	848	12.3		
Total	6895	100.0		

Christian education

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	never	671	9.7	11.8	11.8
	seldom	598	8.7	10.5	22.3
	sometimes	1378	20.0	24.3	46.6
	often	1232	17.9	21.7	68.3
	always	1272	18.4	22.4	90.7
	not applicable	531	7.7	9.3	100.0
	Total	5682	82.4	100.0	
Missing	System	1213	17.6		
Total		6895	100.0		

The church building fund

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	never	365	5.3	6.1	6.1
	seldom	472	6.8	7.9	14.1
	sometimes	1501	21.8	25.3	39.3
	often	1531	22.2	25.8	65.1
	always	1827	26.5	30.7	95.9
	not applicable	246	3.6	4.1	100.0
	Total	5942	86.2	100.0	
Missing	System	953	13.8		
Total		6895	100.0		

The mission program of the church

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	never	426	6.2	7.2	7.2
	seldom	584	8.5	9.8	17.0
	sometimes	1543	22.4	26.0	43.0
	often	1522	22.1	25.6	68.6
	always	1577	22.9	26.5	95.1
	not applicable	289	4.2	4.9	100.0
	Total	5941	86.2	100.0	
Missing	System	954	13.8		
Total		6895	100.0		

The evangelistic projects of the church

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	never	523	7.6	9.0	9.0
	seldom	596	8.6	10.2	19.2
	sometimes	1508	21.9	25.8	45.0
	often	1403	20.3	24.0	69.1
	always	1537	22.3	26.3	95.4
	not applicable	267	3.9	4.6	100.0
	Total	5834	84.6	100.0	
Missing	System	1061	15.4		
Total		6895	100.0		

I provide extra for the 13th Sabbath offering

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	never	1012	14.7	17.2	17.2
	seldom	888	12.9	15.1	32.3
	sometimes	1719	24.9	29.2	61.6
	often	1053	15.3	17.9	79.5
	always	961	13.9	16.3	95.8
	not applicable	246	3.6	4.2	100.0
	Total	5879	85.3	100.0	
Missing	System	1016	14.7		
Total		6895	100.0		

I provide support for the local church school

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	never	1263	18.3	21.6	21.6
	seldom	576	8.4	9.9	31.5
	sometimes	1315	19.1	22.5	54.0
	often	981	14.2	16.8	70.8
	always	1097	15.9	18.8	89.6
	not applicable	608	8.8	10.4	100.0
	Total	5840	84.7	100.0	
Missing	System	1055	15.3		
Total		6895	100.0		

Through wills and trusts

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	never	1585	23.0	27.8	27.8
	seldom	487	7.1	8.5	36.4
	sometimes	916	13.3	16.1	52.5
	often	764	11.1	13.4	65.9
	always	1040	15.1	18.3	84.1
	not applicable	904	13.1	15.9	100.0
	Total	5696	82.6	100.0	
Missing	System	1199	17.4		
Total		6895	100.0		

RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN FREQUENCY OF WORSHIP SERVICES ATTENDANCE AND SUPPORT OF MISSION/EVANGELISTIC PROJECTS

How do you consider your involvement in your church?		ECD
The mission program of the church	Correlation Coefficient	.247**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.000
	N	5449
The evangelistic projects of the church	Correlation Coefficient	.229**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.000
	N	5380

Church members who are regular in attending worship services tend to support mission/evangelistic projects of the church.

RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN ROLE OF CHURCH IN HELPING GROWTH IN CHRIST AND SUPPORT OF MISSION/EVANGELISTIC PROJECTS

My church is helping me grow closer to Christ		ECD
The mission program of the church	Correlation Coefficient	.162**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.000
	N	5432
The evangelistic projects of the church	Correlation Coefficient	.172**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.000
	N	5367

Members of churches which help them grow in Christ tend to support the mission/evangelistic projects of the church.

RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN PERCEPTION OF NEED TO IMPROVE OUTREACH EFFORTS AND SUPPORT OF MISSION/EVANGELISTIC PROJECTS

Overall, to what extent do you think the congregation needs to increase or improve its efforts in outreach?		ECD
The mission program of the church	Correlation Coefficient	.038**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.005
	N	5287
The evangelistic projects of the church	Correlation Coefficient	.035*
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.012
	N	5206

Church members who perceive that their congregation needs to improve outreach efforts tend to support the mission/evangelistic projects of the church.

RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN CHURCH EMPLOYMENT AND SUPPORT TO CHRISTIAN EDUCATION AND LOCAL CHURCH SCHOOL

Are you employed by an institution that is owned by or affiliated with the SDA Church? YES – 1 NO - 2		ECD
Christian education	Correlation Coefficient	-.118**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.000
	N	4878
I provide support for the local church school	Correlation Coefficient	-.134**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.000
	N	4941

Church members who are employed by an institution that is owned by or affiliated with the SDA tend to support Christian education and the local church school.

RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN SDA SCHOOLING RECEIVED AND SUPPORT TO CHRISTIAN EDUCATION AND LOCAL CHURCH SCHOOL

SDA SCHOOLING		ECD
Christian education	Correlation Coefficient	.055**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.000
	N	5151
I provide support for the local church school	Correlation Coefficient	.091**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.000
	N	5232

		N	Mean	Std. Deviation	Std. Error
Christian education	NO SDA SCHOOLING	2672	3.2863	1.30746	.02529
	WITH SDA SCHOOLING	2479	3.4320	1.32559	.02662
	Total	5151	3.3564	1.31810	.01837
I provide support for the local church school	NO SDA SCHOOLING	2714	2.8869	1.46369	.02810
	WITH SDA SCHOOLING	2518	3.1509	1.42243	.02835
	Total	5232	3.0140	1.44986	.02004

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		Sum of Squares	df	Mean Square	F	Sig.
Christian education	Between Groups	27.309	1	27.309	15.763	.000
	Within Groups	8920.276	5149	1.732		
	Total	8947.584	5150			
I provide support for the local church school	Between Groups	91.056	1	91.056	43.670	.000
	Within Groups	10904.926	5230	2.085		
	Total	10995.981	5231			

Church members who have received SDA schooling tend to support Christian education and the local church school.

RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN AGE AND CHURCH FINANCIAL SUPPORT

How old are you?		ECD
Through my tithe	Correlation Coefficient	.205**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.000
	N	5896
Sabbath School offerings	Correlation Coefficient	.218**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.000
	N	5619
Christian education	Correlation Coefficient	.171**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.000
	N	5097
The church building fund	Correlation Coefficient	.240**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.000
	N	5635
The mission program of the church	Correlation Coefficient	.172**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.000
	N	5595
The evangelistic projects of the church	Correlation Coefficient	.170**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.000
	N	5513
I provide extra for the 13th Sabbath offering	Correlation Coefficient	.181**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.000
	N	5585
I provide support for the local church school	Correlation Coefficient	.127**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.000
	N	5181
Through wills and trusts	Correlation Coefficient	.093**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.000
	N	4750

Older church members provide financial support to the church more than the younger church members.

RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN CHURCH FINANCIAL SUPPORT AND “BEING ADVENTIST BORN”

Have you been a Seventh-day Adventist from birth? YES – 1 NO - 2		ECD
The church building fund	Pearson Correlation	.038**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.004
	N	5565
The mission program of the church	Pearson Correlation	.051**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.000
	N	5525

Converted SDA church members support the church building fund and the mission program of the church more than the Adventist-born.

RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN CHURCH FINANCIAL SUPPORT AND LENGTH OF YEARS AS CONVERTED SDA

If not, then for how long have been a Seventh-day Adventist?		ECD
Through my tithe	Correlation Coefficient	.164**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.000
	N	2208
Sabbath School offerings	Correlation Coefficient	.215**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.000
	N	2088
Christian education	Correlation Coefficient	.151**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.000
	N	1868
The church building fund	Correlation Coefficient	.191**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.000
	N	2099
The mission program of the church	Correlation Coefficient	.147**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.000
	N	2120
The evangelistic projects of the church	Correlation Coefficient	.148**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.000
	N	2052
I provide extra for the 13th Sabbath offering	Correlation Coefficient	.160**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.000
	N	2089
I provide support for the local church school	Correlation Coefficient	.075**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.001
	N	1906
Through wills and trusts	Correlation Coefficient	.081**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.001
	N	1678

Church members who had been converted to the SDA church for a longer period of time tend to provide financial support to the church.

RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN CHURCH INVOLVEMENT AND CHURCH FINANCIAL SUPPORT

How do you consider your involvement in your church?		ECD
Through my tithe	Correlation Coefficient	.220**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.000
	N	5751
Sabbath School offerings	Correlation Coefficient	.172**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.000
	N	5487
Christian education	Correlation Coefficient	.193**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.000
	N	4979
The church building fund	Correlation Coefficient	.227**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.000
	N	5507
The mission program of the church	Correlation Coefficient	.247**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.000
	N	5449
The evangelistic projects of the church	Correlation Coefficient	.229**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.000
	N	5380
I provide extra for the 13th Sabbath offering	Correlation Coefficient	.181**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.000
	N	5442
I provide support for the local church school	Correlation Coefficient	.170**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.000
	N	5054
Through wills and trusts	Correlation Coefficient	.109**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.000
	N	4653

Church members who are more involved in church activities tend to provide financial support to the church.

RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN TITHE SUPPORT AND POSITIVE EXPERIENCES WITH CHURCH

Through my tithe		ECD
Programs at my church are interesting	Correlation Coefficient	.143**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.000
	N	5763
Programs at my church make me think	Correlation Coefficient	.080**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.000
	N	5565
My Sabbath School teachers or leaders know me well	Correlation Coefficient	.226**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.000
	N	5648
My pastor knows me well	Correlation Coefficient	.224**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.000
	N	5666
The leaders in the church are warm and friendly	Correlation Coefficient	.160**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.000
	N	5631
I can be myself at church	Correlation Coefficient	.113**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.000
	N	5590
The leaders in our church care about me	Correlation Coefficient	.174**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.000
	N	5600
I look forward to going to programs at my church	Correlation Coefficient	.193**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.000
	N	5644
I go to programs at church because I want to	Correlation Coefficient	.145**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.000
	N	5526
My church is helping me grow closer to Christ	Correlation Coefficient	.169**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.000
	N	5690
I attend small group meetings organized by the church	Correlation Coefficient	.249**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.000
	N	5638
I feel uncomfortable/guilty when I do not attend church most weekends	Correlation Coefficient	.152**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.000
	N	5679
I feel proud of my church and its role and reputation in my community	Correlation Coefficient	.165**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.000
	N	5744

Church members who have positive experiences with their church tend to support the church through tithes.

DESCRIPTION OF THE PASTOR

Descriptive Statistics

	N	Minimum	Maximum	Mean	Std. Deviation
A good preacher	5672	1.00	5.00	4.3320	1.04593
Enthusiastic about ministry	5627	1.00	5.00	4.2595	1.13607
Shows true spiritual leadership in our church community	5683	1.00	5.00	4.2391	1.12506
Thorough in pastoral duties	5630	1.00	5.00	4.1835	1.18088
Inspiring	5525	1.00	5.00	4.1573	1.18143
Helpful in times of need	5601	1.00	5.00	4.0989	1.20514
Receptive of new ideas	5581	1.00	5.00	4.0263	1.22146
Sensitive to the needs of others	5620	1.00	5.00	4.0208	1.23315
Occasionally visits members of the church in their home	5624	1.00	5.00	3.7560	1.38199
Valid N (listwise)	4842				

Enthusiastic about ministry

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
not at all	298	4.3	5.3	5.3
2.00	235	3.4	4.2	9.5
3.00	597	8.7	10.6	20.1
4.00	1076	15.6	19.1	39.2
very much	3421	49.6	60.8	100.0
Total	5627	81.6	100.0	
Missing System	1268	18.4		
Total	6895	100.0		

Helpful in times of need

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
not at all	364	5.3	6.5	6.5
2.00	307	4.5	5.5	12.0
3.00	712	10.3	12.7	24.7
4.00	1246	18.1	22.2	46.9
very much	2972	43.1	53.1	100.0
Total	5601	81.2	100.0	
Missing System	1294	18.8		
Total	6895	100.0		

Inspiring

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
not at all	326	4.7	5.9	5.9
2.00	288	4.2	5.2	11.1
3.00	669	9.7	12.1	23.2
4.00	1150	16.7	20.8	44.0
very much	3092	44.8	56.0	100.0
Total	5525	80.1	100.0	
Missing System	1370	19.9		
Total	6895	100.0		

Occasionally visits members of the church in their home

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	not at all	626	9.1	11.1	11.1
	2.00	522	7.6	9.3	20.4
	3.00	901	13.1	16.0	36.4
	4.00	1124	16.3	20.0	56.4
	very much	2451	35.5	43.6	100.0
	Total	5624	81.6	100.0	
Missing	System	1271	18.4		
Total		6895	100.0		

Sensitive to the needs of others

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	not at all	383	5.6	6.8	6.8
	2.00	375	5.4	6.7	13.5
	3.00	792	11.5	14.1	27.6
	4.00	1262	18.3	22.5	50.0
	very much	2808	40.7	50.0	100.0
	Total	5620	81.5	100.0	
Missing	System	1275	18.5		
Total		6895	100.0		

A good preacher

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	not at all	207	3.0	3.6	3.6
	2.00	207	3.0	3.6	7.3
	3.00	610	8.8	10.8	18.1
	4.00	1120	16.2	19.7	37.8
	very much	3528	51.2	62.2	100.0
	Total	5672	82.3	100.0	
Missing	System	1223	17.7		
Total		6895	100.0		

Shows true spiritual leadership in our church community

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	not at all	278	4.0	4.9	4.9
	2.00	263	3.8	4.6	9.5
	3.00	622	9.0	10.9	20.5
	4.00	1179	17.1	20.7	41.2
	very much	3341	48.5	58.8	100.0
	Total	5683	82.4	100.0	
Missing	System	1212	17.6		
Total		6895	100.0		

Receptive of new ideas

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	not at all	381	5.5	6.8
	2.00	333	4.8	12.8
	3.00	806	11.7	27.2
	4.00	1299	18.8	50.5
	very much	2762	40.1	100.0
	Total	5581	80.9	100.0
Missing	System	1314	19.1	
Total		6895	100.0	

Thorough in pastoral duties

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	not at all	339	4.9	6.0
	2.00	280	4.1	11.0
	3.00	629	9.1	22.2
	4.00	1143	16.6	42.5
	very much	3239	47.0	100.0
	Total	5630	81.7	100.0
Missing	System	1265	18.3	
Total		6895	100.0	

RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN FREQUENCY OF WORSHIP SERVICES ATTENDANCE AND CHARACTERISTICS OF PASTOR

How often do you attend worship services at your church?		Correlations
Enthusiastic about ministry	Correlation Coefficient	.042**
	N	.002
Helpful in times of need	Correlation Coefficient	.5511
	N	.050**
Inspiring	Correlation Coefficient	.000
	N	.5484
Occasionally visits members of the church in their home	Correlation Coefficient	.049**
	N	.000
Sensitive to the needs of others	Correlation Coefficient	.5414
	N	.076**
A good preacher	Correlation Coefficient	.000
	N	.5509
Shows true spiritual leadership in our church community	Correlation Coefficient	.059**
	N	.000
Receptive of new ideas	Correlation Coefficient	.5505
	N	.040**
Thorough in pastoral duties	Correlation Coefficient	.003
	N	.5553

Members of the church with pastors who are enthusiastic about ministry, helpful in times of need, and inspiring, who occasionally visits members of the church in their home, are sensitive to the needs of others, good preachers, show true spiritual leadership in church community, receptive of new ideas, and thorough in pastoral duties tend to be more regular in attending worship services.

LOCAL CHURCH LEADERSHIP

Descriptive Statistics

	N	Minimum	Maximum	Mean	Std. Deviation
clearly communicates the mission of the Church	6142	1.00	5.00	3.6237	1.16631
is easy to talk with	6050	1.00	5.00	3.5724	1.18741
is supportive of involving young people in worship services	6075	1.00	5.00	3.5628	1.22862
is doing enough to engage members in mission	6125	1.00	5.00	3.5538	1.19283
is active in assisting our local church	5976	1.00	5.00	3.5033	1.18385
is supportive of our local or conference school	5260	1.00	5.00	3.3479	1.27053
is responsive to local community needs	5802	1.00	5.00	3.2389	1.24647
is open to new ideas	5902	1.00	5.00	3.2369	1.20531
is creative	5583	1.00	5.00	3.2105	1.27060
is out of touch with our local church needs	5393	1.00	5.00	2.4921	1.46560
Valid N (listwise)	3509				

Note: The responses NO OPINION were treated as MISSING in the computation of the means and standard deviations. The scale was recoded as 1 – never true ... 5 – always true

is open to new ideas

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
no opinion	412	6.0	6.5	6.5
never true	380	5.5	6.0	12.5
rarely true	1362	19.8	21.6	34.1
Valid true	1891	27.4	29.9	64.1
often true	1018	14.8	16.1	80.2
always true	1251	18.1	19.8	100.0
Total	6314	91.6	100.0	
Missing System	581	8.4		
Total	6895	100.0		

clearly communicates the mission of the Church

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
no opinion	162	2.3	2.6	2.6
never true	223	3.2	3.5	6.1
rarely true	818	11.9	13.0	19.1
Valid true	1975	28.6	31.3	50.4
often true	1157	16.8	18.4	68.8
always true	1969	28.6	31.2	100.0
Total	6304	91.4	100.0	
Missing System	591	8.6		
Total	6895	100.0		

is doing enough to engage members in mission

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	no opinion	195	2.8	3.1	3.1
	never true	274	4.0	4.3	7.4
	rarely true	940	13.6	14.9	22.3
	true	1869	27.1	29.6	51.9
	often true	1204	17.5	19.1	70.9
	always true	1838	26.7	29.1	100.0
	Total	6320	91.7	100.0	
Missing	System	575	8.3		
Total		6895	100.0		

is easy to talk with

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	no opinion	210	3.0	3.4	3.4
	never true	249	3.6	4.0	7.3
	rarely true	900	13.1	14.4	21.7
	true	1917	27.8	30.6	52.3
	often true	1107	16.1	17.7	70.0
	always true	1877	27.2	30.0	100.0
	Total	6260	90.8	100.0	
Missing	System	635	9.2		
Total		6895	100.0		

is active in assisting our local church

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	no opinion	240	3.5	3.9	3.9
	never true	266	3.9	4.3	8.1
	rarely true	970	14.1	15.6	23.7
	true	1902	27.6	30.6	54.3
	often true	1166	16.9	18.8	73.1
	always true	1672	24.2	26.9	100.0
	Total	6216	90.2	100.0	
Missing	System	679	9.8		
Total		6895	100.0		

is responsive to local community needs

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	no opinion	345	5.0	5.6	5.6
	never true	483	7.0	7.9	13.5
	rarely true	1280	18.6	20.8	34.3
	true	1657	24.0	27.0	61.2
	often true	1132	16.4	18.4	79.7
	always true	1250	18.1	20.3	100.0
	Total	6147	89.2	100.0	
Missing	System	748	10.8		
Total		6895	100.0		

is out of touch with our local church needs

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	no opinion	626	9.1	10.4	10.4
	never true	2031	29.5	33.7	44.1
	rarely true	961	13.9	16.0	60.1
	true	919	13.3	15.3	75.4
	often true	680	9.9	11.3	86.7
	always true	802	11.6	13.3	100.0
	Total	6019	87.3	100.0	
Missing	System	876	12.7		
Total		6895	100.0		

is supportive of involving young people in worship services

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	no opinion	195	2.8	3.1	3.1
	never true	356	5.2	5.7	8.8
	rarely true	849	12.3	13.5	22.3
	true	1810	26.3	28.9	51.2
	often true	1140	16.5	18.2	69.4
	always true	1920	27.8	30.6	100.0
	Total	6270	90.9	100.0	
Missing	System	625	9.1		
Total		6895	100.0		

is creative

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	no opinion	536	7.8	8.8	8.8
	never true	514	7.5	8.4	17.2
	rarely true	1256	18.2	20.5	37.7
	true	1598	23.2	26.1	63.8
	often true	971	14.1	15.9	79.7
	always true	1244	18.0	20.3	100.0
	Total	6119	88.7	100.0	
Missing	System	776	11.3		
Total		6895	100.0		

is supportive of our local or conference school

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	no opinion	870	12.6	14.2	14.2
	never true	461	6.7	7.5	21.7
	rarely true	910	13.2	14.8	36.6
	true	1582	22.9	25.8	62.4
	often true	952	13.8	15.5	77.9
	always true	1355	19.7	22.1	100.0
	Total	6130	88.9	100.0	
Missing	System	765	11.1		
Total		6895	100.0		

REASONS FOR ATTENDING THE CONGREGATION

At least 25% of the respondents identified the following as reasons for attending their congregation: *the doctrines of the church (54%), worship style (36%), the music program (28%), and an evangelism program (28%).*

My friends are there

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	MY FRIENDS ARE THERE	933	13.5	100.0	100.0
Missing	System	5962	86.5		
Total		6895	100.0		

Adult education program

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	ADULT EDUCATION PROGRAM	535	7.8	100.0	100.0
Missing	System	6360	92.2		
Total		6895	100.0		

The music program

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	THE MUSIC PROGRAM	1922	27.9	100.0	100.0
Missing	System	4973	72.1		
Total		6895	100.0		

The worship style

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	THE WORSHIP STYLE	2470	35.8	100.0	100.0
Missing	System	4425	64.2		
Total		6895	100.0		

The doctrines of the church

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	THE DOCTRINES OF THE CHURCH	3730	54.1	100.0	100.0
Missing	System	3165	45.9		
Total		6895	100.0		

The minister

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	THE MINISTER	682	9.9	100.0	100.0
Missing	System	6213	90.1		
Total		6895	100.0		

Proximity to where I live

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	PROXIMITY TO WHERE I LIVE	885	12.8	100.0	100.0
Missing	System	6010	87.2		
Total		6895	100.0		

The church's reputation

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	THE CHURCH'S REPUTATION	1229	17.8	100.0	100.0
Missing	System	5666	82.2		
Total		6895	100.0		

Child and Youth program

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	CHILD AND YOUTH PROGRAM	1260	18.3	100.0	100.0
Missing	System	5635	81.7		
Total		6895	100.0		

The community outreach

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	THE COMMUNITY OUTREACH	1238	18.0	100.0	100.0
Missing	System	5657	82.0		
Total		6895	100.0		

The self-help groups

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	THE SELF-HELP GROUPS	402	5.8	100.0	100.0
Missing	System	6493	94.2		
Total		6895	100.0		

The denominational ties

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	THE DENOMINATIONAL TIES	912	13.2	100.0	100.0
Missing	System	5983	86.8		
Total		6895	100.0		

An evangelism program

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	AN EVANGELISM PROGRAM	1939	28.1	100.0	100.0
Missing	System	4956	71.9		
Total		6895	100.0		

Other

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	OTHER	1249	18.1	100.0	100.0

Missing	System	5646	81.9		
Total		6895	100.0		

RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN REASONS FOR ATTENDING CHURCH CONGREGATION AND AGE

		How old are you?
My friends are there	Pearson Correlation	-.032
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.010
	N	6518
The music program	Pearson Correlation	-.061**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.000
	N	6523
The doctrines of the church	Pearson Correlation	.043**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.000
	N	6677
Child and Youth program	Pearson Correlation	-.140**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.000
	N	6503
The community outreach	Pearson Correlation	-.026
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.035
	N	6577
The self-help groups	Pearson Correlation	-.041**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.001
	N	6482
The denominational ties	Pearson Correlation	.037**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.003
	N	6487
An evangelism program	Pearson Correlation	-.041**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.001
	N	6548

Younger church members were attracted to the congregation they attend because of their friends, the music program, child and youth program, the community outreach, self-help groups, and an evangelism program while older church members were attracted by the doctrines of the church and the denominational ties.

REASONS FOR REMAINING PART OF THE CONGREGATION

At least 25% of the respondents identified the following as reasons for remaining part of their congregation: *the doctrines of the church (57%), worship style (38%), and an evangelism program (29%).*

My friends are there

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	MY FRIENDS ARE THERE	656	9.5	100.0	100.0
Missing	System	6239	90.5		
Total		6895	100.0		

Adult education program

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	ADULT PROGRAM EDUCATION	524	7.6	100.0	100.0

Missing	System	6371	92.4		
Total		6895	100.0		

The music program

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	THE MUSIC PROGRAM	1641	23.8	100.0	100.0
Missing	System	5254	76.2		
Total		6895	100.0		

The worship style

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	THE WORSHIP STYLE	2585	37.5	100.0	100.0
Missing	System	4310	62.5		
Total		6895	100.0		

The doctrines of the church

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	THE DOCTRINES OF THE CHURCH	3943	57.2	100.0	100.0
Missing	System	2952	42.8		
Total		6895	100.0		

The minister

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	THE MINISTER	673	9.8	100.0	100.0
Missing	System	6222	90.2		
Total		6895	100.0		

Proximity to where I live

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	PROXIMITY TO WHERE I LIVE	755	10.9	100.0	100.0
Missing	System	6140	89.1		
Total		6895	100.0		

The church's reputation

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	THE CHURCH'S REPUTATION	1306	18.9	100.0	100.0
Missing	System	5589	81.1		
Total		6895	100.0		

Child and Youth program

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	CHILD AND YOUTH PROGRAM	1111	16.1	100.0	100.0
Missing	System	5784	83.9		
Total		6895	100.0		

The community outreach

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
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Valid	THE COMMUNITY OUTREACH	1285	18.6	100.0	100.0
Missing	System	5610	81.4		
Total		6895	100.0		

The self-help groups

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	THE SELF-HELP GROUPS	507	7.4	100.0	100.0
Missing	System	6388	92.6		
Total		6895	100.0		

The denominational ties

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	THE DENOMINATIONAL TIES	1073	15.6	100.0	100.0
Missing	System	5822	84.4		
Total		6895	100.0		

An evangelism program

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	AN EVANGELISM PROGRAM	2018	29.3	100.0	100.0
Missing	System	4877	70.7		
Total		6895	100.0		

Other

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	OTHER	983	14.3	100.0	100.0
Missing	System	5912	85.7		
Total		6895	100.0		

**RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN REASONS FOR REMAINING PART OF THE CHURCH
CONGREGATION AND AGE**

		How old are you?
My friends are there	Correlation Coefficient	-.037**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.003
	N	6502
The music program	Correlation Coefficient	-.062**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.000
	N	6520
The doctrines of the church	Correlation Coefficient	.051**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.000
	N	6681
Child and Youth program	Correlation Coefficient	-.133**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.000
	N	6495
The community outreach	Correlation Coefficient	-.026*
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.034
	N	6570
The self-help groups	Correlation Coefficient	-.049**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.000
	N	6519
The denominational ties	Correlation Coefficient	.029*

An evangelism program	Sig. (2-tailed)	.019
	N	6551
	Correlation Coefficient	-.048**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.000
	N	6561

Younger church members remain part of the congregation they attend because of their friends, the music program, child and youth program, community outreach, self-help groups, and an evangelism program while older church members were attracted by the doctrines of the church and the denominational ties.

IMPORTANCE OF PERSONAL TRAITS OF PASTORAL LEADERSHIP

Descriptive Statistics

	N	Minimum	Maximum	Mean	Std. Deviation
Biblical preaching and teaching	6179	1.00	5.00	4.4994	.83551
Gives whole self to the church	6262	1.00	5.00	4.3764	.96578
Emphasis on spiritual development and growth	6233	1.00	5.00	4.3733	.92361
Comforting and reassuring	6146	1.00	5.00	4.2742	.98772
Advises people what to do	6097	1.00	5.00	4.2606	.99448
Expertise in biblical and theological matters	6182	1.00	5.00	4.2587	1.01433
Works hard to accomplish tasks	6057	1.00	5.00	4.2240	1.06299
Encourages lay decision-making	6078	1.00	5.00	4.1255	1.09084
Preaching and teaching on contemporary issues	5994	1.00	5.00	4.0973	1.08801
Outgoing and socially engaging	6062	1.00	5.00	4.0701	1.13524
Helps people figure things out for themselves	6011	1.00	5.00	3.9965	1.14628
New approaches and ideas	6032	1.00	5.00	3.9862	1.13811
Maintains a balanced life	5988	1.00	5.00	3.9517	1.22778
Thought-provoking and challenging	5997	1.00	5.00	3.9138	1.22246
Places feelings of others ahead of achieving goals	5973	1.00	5.00	3.8478	1.24540
Strong and decisive decision-maker	5956	1.00	5.00	3.7503	1.38189
Reflective and reserved	5897	1.00	5.00	3.7389	1.33423
Does things as they have always been done	5888	1.00	5.00	3.6311	1.32008
Formal interpersonal style	5759	1.00	5.00	3.6154	1.33974
Relaxed interpersonal style	5812	1.00	5.00	3.4427	1.43511
Valid N (listwise)	4071				

Expertise in biblical and theological matters

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	not important	161	2.3	2.6
	slightly important	310	4.5	7.6
	fairly important	691	10.0	18.8
	quite important	1627	23.6	45.1

	very important	3393	49.2	54.9	100.0
	Total	6182	89.7	100.0	
Missing	System	713	10.3		
Total		6895	100.0		

Emphasis on spiritual development and growth

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
	not important	94	1.4	1.5	1.5
	slightly important	264	3.8	4.2	5.7
	fairly important	573	8.3	9.2	14.9
	quite important	1592	23.1	25.5	40.5
	very important	3710	53.8	59.5	100.0
	Total	6233	90.4	100.0	
Missing	System	662	9.6		
Total		6895	100.0		

Thought-provoking and challenging

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
	not important	426	6.2	7.1	7.1
	slightly important	420	6.1	7.0	14.1
	fairly important	945	13.7	15.8	29.9
	quite important	1660	24.1	27.7	57.5
	very important	2546	36.9	42.5	100.0
	Total	5997	87.0	100.0	
Missing	System	898	13.0		
Total		6895	100.0		

Comforting and reassuring

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
	not important	130	1.9	2.1	2.1
	slightly important	298	4.3	4.8	7.0
	fairly important	712	10.3	11.6	18.5
	quite important	1623	23.5	26.4	45.0
	very important	3383	49.1	55.0	100.0
	Total	6146	89.1	100.0	
Missing	System	749	10.9		
Total		6895	100.0		

Biblical preaching and teaching

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
	not important	65	.9	1.1	1.1
	slightly important	197	2.9	3.2	4.2
	fairly important	403	5.8	6.5	10.8
	quite important	1436	20.8	23.2	34.0
	very important	4078	59.1	66.0	100.0
	Total	6179	89.6	100.0	

Missing	System	716	10.4		
Total		6895	100.0		

Preaching and teaching on contemporary issues

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	not important	227	3.3	3.8	3.8
	slightly important	368	5.3	6.1	9.9
	fairly important	818	11.9	13.6	23.6
	quite important	1763	25.6	29.4	53.0
	very important	2818	40.9	47.0	100.0
	Total	5994	86.9	100.0	
Missing	System	901	13.1		
Total		6895	100.0		

New approaches and ideas

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	not important	270	3.9	4.5	4.5
	slightly important	450	6.5	7.5	11.9
	fairly important	978	14.2	16.2	28.1
	quite important	1729	25.1	28.7	56.8
	very important	2605	37.8	43.2	100.0
	Total	6032	87.5	100.0	
Missing	System	863	12.5		
Total		6895	100.0		

Does things as they have always been done

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	not important	606	8.8	10.3	10.3
	slightly important	605	8.8	10.3	20.6
	fairly important	1165	16.9	19.8	40.4
	quite important	1491	21.6	25.3	65.7
	very important	2021	29.3	34.3	100.0
	Total	5888	85.4	100.0	
Missing	System	1007	14.6		
Total		6895	100.0		

Strong and decisive decision-maker

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	not important	738	10.7	12.4	12.4
	slightly important	448	6.5	7.5	19.9
	fairly important	843	12.2	14.2	34.1
	quite important	1461	21.2	24.5	58.6
	very important	2466	35.8	41.4	100.0
	Total	5956	86.4	100.0	

Missing	System	939	13.6		
Total		6895	100.0		

Encourages lay decision-making

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	not important	247	3.6	4.1	4.1
	slightly important	339	4.9	5.6	9.6
	fairly important	783	11.4	12.9	22.5
	quite important	1744	25.3	28.7	51.2
	very important	2965	43.0	48.8	100.0
	Total	6078	88.2	100.0	
Missing	System	817	11.8		
Total		6895	100.0		

Relaxed interpersonal style

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	not important	978	14.2	16.8	16.8
	slightly important	541	7.8	9.3	26.1
	fairly important	1015	14.7	17.5	43.6
	quite important	1486	21.6	25.6	69.2
	very important	1792	26.0	30.8	100.0
	Total	5812	84.3	100.0	
Missing	System	1083	15.7		
Total		6895	100.0		

Formal interpersonal style

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	not important	640	9.3	11.1	11.1
	slightly important	599	8.7	10.4	21.5
	fairly important	1064	15.4	18.5	40.0
	quite important	1489	21.6	25.9	65.8
	very important	1967	28.5	34.2	100.0
	Total	5759	83.5	100.0	
Missing	System	1136	16.5		
Total		6895	100.0		

Works hard to accomplish tasks

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	not important	214	3.1	3.5	3.5
	slightly important	301	4.4	5.0	8.5
	fairly important	708	10.3	11.7	20.2
	quite important	1525	22.1	25.2	45.4
	very important	3309	48.0	54.6	100.0
	Total	6057	87.8	100.0	

Missing	System	838	12.2		
Total		6895	100.0		

Places feelings of others ahead of achieving goals

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	not important	435	6.3	7.3	7.3
	slightly important	521	7.6	8.7	16.0
	fairly important	982	14.2	16.4	32.4
	quite important	1615	23.4	27.0	59.5
	very important	2420	35.1	40.5	100.0
	Total	5973	86.6	100.0	
Missing	System	922	13.4		
Total		6895	100.0		

Helps people figure things out for themselves

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	not important	315	4.6	5.2	5.2
	slightly important	395	5.7	6.6	11.8
	fairly important	884	12.8	14.7	26.5
	quite important	1819	26.4	30.3	56.8
	very important	2598	37.7	43.2	100.0
	Total	6011	87.2	100.0	
Missing	System	884	12.8		
Total		6895	100.0		

Advises people what to do

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	not important	157	2.3	2.6	2.6
	slightly important	247	3.6	4.1	6.6
	fairly important	744	10.8	12.2	18.8
	quite important	1651	23.9	27.1	45.9
	very important	3298	47.8	54.1	100.0
	Total	6097	88.4	100.0	
Missing	System	798	11.6		
Total		6895	100.0		

Reflective and reserved

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	not important	639	9.3	10.8	10.8
	slightly important	476	6.9	8.1	18.9
	fairly important	957	13.9	16.2	35.1
	quite important	1539	22.3	26.1	61.2
	very important	2286	33.2	38.8	100.0
	Total	5897	85.5	100.0	

Missing	System	998	14.5		
Total		6895	100.0		

Outgoing and socially engaging

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	not important	280	4.1	4.6	4.6
	slightly important	388	5.6	6.4	11.0
	fairly important	864	12.5	14.3	25.3
	quite important	1625	23.6	26.8	52.1
	very important	2905	42.1	47.9	100.0
	Total	6062	87.9	100.0	
Missing	System	833	12.1		
Total		6895	100.0		

Maintains a balanced life

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	not important	462	6.7	7.7	7.7
	slightly important	343	5.0	5.7	13.4
	fairly important	863	12.5	14.4	27.9
	quite important	1674	24.3	28.0	55.8
	very important	2646	38.4	44.2	100.0
	Total	5988	86.8	100.0	
Missing	System	907	13.2		
Total		6895	100.0		

Gives whole self to the church

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	not important	141	2.0	2.3	2.3
	slightly important	248	3.6	4.0	6.2
	fairly important	595	8.6	9.5	15.7
	quite important	1407	20.4	22.5	38.2
	very important	3871	56.1	61.8	100.0
	Total	6262	90.8	100.0	
Missing	System	633	9.2		
Total		6895	100.0		

RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN PERCEPTIONS ON IMPORTANCE OF PERSONAL TRAITS OF PASTORAL LEADERSHIP AND AGE

		How old are you?
Emphasis on spiritual development and growth	Pearson Correlation	-.028 [*]
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.025
	N	6168
Comforting and reassuring	Pearson Correlation	-.034 ^{**}
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.008
	N	6078
Biblical preaching and teaching	Pearson Correlation	-.037 ^{**}
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.004
	N	6120
Preaching and teaching on contemporary issues	Pearson Correlation	-.031 [*]
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.016
	N	5931
Relaxed interpersonal style	Pearson Correlation	.033 [*]
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.011
	N	5748
Works hard to accomplish tasks	Pearson Correlation	-.027 [*]
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.034
	N	5995
Advises people what to do	Pearson Correlation	-.043 ^{**}
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.001
	N	6033

Younger church members place more importance on the following personal traits of pastoral leadership: emphasis on spiritual development and growth, comforting and reassuring, Biblical preaching and teaching, preaching and teaching on contemporary issues, works hard to accomplish tasks, and advises people what to do while the older church members place more importance on relaxed interpersonal style.

Overall, to what extent do you think the congregation needs to increase or improve its efforts in outreach?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	We're doing too much now	319	4.6	5.1	5.1
	We are doing fine as is	470	6.8	7.5	12.5
	Should increase or improve to some extent	1350	19.6	21.4	34.0
	Should increase or improve to a great extent	4158	60.3	66.0	100.0
	Total	6297	91.3	100.0	

Missing	System	598	8.7		
Total		6895	100.0		

Overall, to what extent do you think the congregation needs to increase or improve its efforts in caring and nurture?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	We're doing too much now	264	3.8	4.2	4.2
	We are doing fine as is	589	8.5	9.3	13.5
	Should increase or improve to some extent	1392	20.2	22.0	35.4
	Should increase or improve to a great extent	4092	59.3	64.6	100.0
	Total	6337	91.9	100.0	
Missing	System	558	8.1		
Total		6895	100.0		

RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN PERCEPTIONS ON NEED TO INCREASE EFFORT IN CARING AND NURTURE AND AGE

How old are you?		ECD
Overall, to what extent do you think the congregation needs to increase or improve its efforts in caring and nurture?	Correlation	.038**
	Coefficient	
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.003
	N	6266

Older church members perceive the need for their congregation to increase or improve its efforts in caring and nurture more than the younger church members.

Descriptive Statistics

	N	Minimum	Maximum	Mean	Std. Deviation
To what extent would you personally be willing to get more involved in outreach by your congregation?	6488	1.00	4.00	3.5589	.72752
Without the support of the worship service in my local church, I feel my faith might gradually fade away.	6499	1.00	4.00	2.6175	1.26626
I use information from the internet (World Wide Web) as a way to grow my faith.	6168	1.00	4.00	1.7636	1.05479
Valid N (listwise)	5973				

To what extent would you personally be willing to get more involved in outreach by your congregation?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	not at all	106	1.5	1.6	1.6
	to some extent	599	8.7	9.2	10.9
	to a moderate extent	1346	19.5	20.7	31.6
	to a great extent	4437	64.4	68.4	100.0

Total	6488	94.1	100.0
Missing System	407	5.9	
Total	6895	100.0	

Without the support of the worship service in my local church, I feel my faith might gradually fade away.

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid not at all	1901	27.6	29.3	29.3
to some extent	1225	17.8	18.8	48.1
to a moderate extent	832	12.1	12.8	60.9
to a great extent	2541	36.9	39.1	100.0
Total	6499	94.3	100.0	
Missing System	396	5.7		
Total	6895	100.0		

I use information from the internet (World Wide Web) as a way to grow my faith.

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid not at all	3566	51.7	57.8	57.8
to some extent	1260	18.3	20.4	78.2
to a moderate extent	576	8.4	9.3	87.6
to a great extent	766	11.1	12.4	100.0
Total	6168	89.5	100.0	
Missing System	727	10.5		
Total	6895	100.0		

RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN WILLINGNESS TO GET INVOLVED IN OUTREACH AND FREQUENCY/PREFERENCE OF WORSHIP SERVICES ATTENDANCE

To what extent would you personally be willing to get more involved in outreach by your congregation?	ECD
How often do you attend worship services at your church?	Correlation Coefficient .133**
	Sig. (2-tailed) .000
	N 6353
I would prefer to go to church	Correlation Coefficient .145**
	Sig. (2-tailed) .000
	N 6343

Church members who regularly attend worship services or who prefer to be regular in worship services attendance tend to be more willing to get involved in outreach activities.

ROLE IN RELIGIOUS LIFE DEVELOPMENT

Descriptive Statistics

	N	Minimum	Maximum	Mean	Std. Deviation
Church worship services	6288	1.00	4.00	3.4467	.75251
Sabbath School	6261	1.00	4.00	3.4063	.80715
Personal Bible study and prayer	6313	1.00	4.00	3.4055	.80318
Pastor's sermons	6097	1.00	4.00	3.2772	.84934
The Sabbath School quarterly	5933	1.00	4.00	3.2666	.86769
Weeks of Prayer at church	6100	1.00	4.00	3.1659	.92497
Prayer meetings	6110	1.00	4.00	3.1268	.92320
Family worship	5999	1.00	4.00	3.0757	.93732
Evangelistic meetings (Public)	5855	1.00	4.00	3.0639	.93156
The church pastor	5761	1.00	4.00	2.9915	.96417
The local elders in my church	5765	1.00	4.00	2.9613	.94692
Family	5581	1.00	6.00	2.9305	.97707
Evangelistic outreach (Giving Bible studies, distributing literature, etc)	5632	1.00	4.00	2.8867	1.02670
Adventist Radio	5221	1.00	4.00	2.8479	1.07544
Attending an Adventist school	4543	1.00	4.00	2.7982	1.15774
Friends	5552	1.00	4.00	2.7758	.94544
Church Community outreach	5767	1.00	4.00	2.7614	.97592
Small groups	5510	1.00	4.00	2.7383	1.01008
Church retreats	5532	1.00	4.00	2.7366	1.03660
Conference-sponsored events	5358	1.00	4.00	2.7096	1.04894
Adventist publications (Union/Division paper)	5205	1.00	4.00	2.7074	1.07137
The youth pastor	4956	1.00	4.00	2.6816	1.06362
Adventist publication (Adventist Review/Adventist World)	5055	1.00	4.00	2.6795	1.07925
Adventist TV	4479	1.00	4.00	2.5651	1.16204
Short-term mission projects	5088	1.00	4.00	2.5452	1.03768
On-line church publications	4397	1.00	4.00	2.3805	1.12062
Internet sites	4185	1.00	4.00	2.2999	1.11939
Valid N (listwise)	1691				

Note: The responses DOES NOT APPLY TO ME were treated as MISSING in the computation of the means and standard deviations. The scale was recoded as 1 – not at all ... 4 – very much

Sabbath School

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	does not apply to me	151	2.2	2.4
	not at all	137	2.0	4.5
	sometimes	873	12.7	18.1
	often	1560	22.6	42.4
	very much	3691	53.5	100.0
	Total	6412	93.0	100.0
Missing	System	483	7.0	

Total	6895	100.0		
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Personal Bible study and prayer

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	does not apply to me	96	1.4	1.5	1.5
	not at all	129	1.9	2.0	3.5
	sometimes	888	12.9	13.9	17.4
	often	1590	23.1	24.8	42.2
	very much	3706	53.7	57.8	100.0
	Total	6409	93.0	100.0	
Missing	System	486	7.0		
Total		6895	100.0		

Church worship services

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	does not apply to me	64	.9	1.0	1.0
	not at all	103	1.5	1.6	2.6
	sometimes	694	10.1	10.9	13.6
	often	1782	25.8	28.1	41.6
	very much	3709	53.8	58.4	100.0
	Total	6352	92.1	100.0	
Missing	System	543	7.9		
Total		6895	100.0		

Family worship

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	does not apply to me	254	3.7	4.1	4.1
	not at all	325	4.7	5.2	9.3
	sometimes	1450	21.0	23.2	32.4
	often	1670	24.2	26.7	59.2
	very much	2554	37.0	40.8	100.0
	Total	6253	90.7	100.0	
Missing	System	642	9.3		
Total		6895	100.0		

Prayer meetings

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	does not apply to me	201	2.9	3.2	3.2
	not at all	275	4.0	4.4	7.5
	sometimes	1440	20.9	22.8	30.4
	often	1630	23.6	25.8	56.2
	very much	2765	40.1	43.8	100.0
	Total	6311	91.5	100.0	
Missing	System	584	8.5		

Total	6895	100.0		
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Weeks of Prayer at church

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	does not apply to me	187	2.7	3.0	3.0
	not at all	288	4.2	4.6	7.6
	sometimes	1323	19.2	21.0	28.6
	often	1578	22.9	25.1	53.7
	very much	2911	42.2	46.3	100.0
	Total	6287	91.2	100.0	
Missing	System	608	8.8		
Total		6895	100.0		

Church retreats

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	does not apply to me	607	8.8	9.9	9.9
	not at all	723	10.5	11.8	21.7
	sometimes	1723	25.0	28.1	49.7
	often	1374	19.9	22.4	72.1
	very much	1712	24.8	27.9	100.0
	Total	6139	89.0	100.0	
Missing	System	756	11.0		
Total		6895	100.0		

Church Community outreach

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	does not apply to me	396	5.7	6.4	6.4
	not at all	532	7.7	8.6	15.1
	sometimes	2002	29.0	32.5	47.5
	often	1543	22.4	25.0	72.6
	very much	1690	24.5	27.4	100.0
	Total	6163	89.4	100.0	
Missing	System	732	10.6		
Total		6895	100.0		

Short-term mission projects

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	does not apply to me	885	12.8	14.8	14.8
	not at all	878	12.7	14.7	29.5
	sometimes	1788	25.9	29.9	59.5
	often	1192	17.3	20.0	79.4
	very much	1230	17.8	20.6	100.0
	Total	5973	86.6	100.0	
Missing	System	922	13.4		

Total	6895	100.0		
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Attending an Adventist school

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	does not apply to me	1454	21.1	24.2	24.2
	not at all	889	12.9	14.8	39.1
	sometimes	928	13.5	15.5	54.5
	often	937	13.6	15.6	70.2
	very much	1789	25.9	29.8	100.0
	Total	5997	87.0	100.0	
Missing	System	898	13.0		
Total		6895	100.0		

Evangelistic outreach (Giving Bible studies, distributing literature, etc)

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	does not apply to me	560	8.1	9.0	9.0
	not at all	582	8.4	9.4	18.4
	sometimes	1577	22.9	25.5	43.9
	often	1370	19.9	22.1	66.0
	very much	2103	30.5	34.0	100.0
	Total	6192	89.8	100.0	
Missing	System	703	10.2		
Total		6895	100.0		

Conference-sponsored events

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	does not apply to me	798	11.6	13.0	13.0
	not at all	753	10.9	12.2	25.2
	sometimes	1692	24.5	27.5	52.7
	often	1271	18.4	20.6	73.3
	very much	1642	23.8	26.7	100.0
	Total	6156	89.3	100.0	
Missing	System	739	10.7		
Total		6895	100.0		

The church pastor

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	does not apply to me	342	5.0	5.6	5.6
	not at all	415	6.0	6.8	12.4
	sometimes	1457	21.1	23.9	36.3
	often	1651	23.9	27.1	63.3
	very much	2238	32.5	36.7	100.0
	Total	6103	88.5	100.0	
Missing	System	792	11.5		

Total	6895	100.0		
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The youth pastor

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	does not apply to me	942	13.7	16.0	16.0
	not at all	815	11.8	13.8	29.8
	sometimes	1398	20.3	23.7	53.5
	often	1293	18.8	21.9	75.4
	very much	1450	21.0	24.6	100.0
	Total	5898	85.5	100.0	
Missing	System	997	14.5		
Total		6895	100.0		

The local elders in my church

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	does not apply to me	300	4.4	4.9	4.9
	not at all	389	5.6	6.4	11.4
	sometimes	1533	22.2	25.3	36.6
	often	1755	25.5	28.9	65.6
	very much	2088	30.3	34.4	100.0
	Total	6065	88.0	100.0	
Missing	System	830	12.0		
Total		6895	100.0		

The Sabbath School quarterly

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	does not apply to me	175	2.5	2.9	2.9
	not at all	206	3.0	3.4	6.2
	sometimes	1035	15.0	16.9	23.2
	often	1663	24.1	27.2	50.4
	very much	3029	43.9	49.6	100.0
	Total	6108	88.6	100.0	
Missing	System	787	11.4		
Total		6895	100.0		

Evangelistic meetings (Public)

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	does not apply to me	237	3.4	3.9	3.9
	not at all	329	4.8	5.4	9.3
	sometimes	1378	20.0	22.6	31.9
	often	1738	25.2	28.5	60.4
	very much	2410	35.0	39.6	100.0
	Total	6092	88.4	100.0	
Missing	System	803	11.6		

Total	6895	100.0		
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Small groups

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	does not apply to me	484	7.0	8.1	8.1
	not at all	654	9.5	10.9	19.0
	sometimes	1758	25.5	29.3	48.3
	often	1474	21.4	24.6	72.9
	very much	1624	23.6	27.1	100.0
	Total	5994	86.9	100.0	
Missing	System	901	13.1		
Total		6895	100.0		

Adventist publications (Union/Division paper)

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	does not apply to me	769	11.2	12.9	12.9
	not at all	815	11.8	13.6	26.5
	sometimes	1526	22.1	25.5	52.1
	often	1231	17.9	20.6	72.7
	very much	1633	23.7	27.3	100.0
	Total	5974	86.6	100.0	
Missing	System	921	13.4		
Total		6895	100.0		

Adventist publication (Adventist Review/Adventist World)

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	does not apply to me	893	13.0	15.0	15.0
	not at all	831	12.1	14.0	29.0
	sometimes	1520	22.0	25.6	54.5
	often	1142	16.6	19.2	73.7
	very much	1562	22.7	26.3	100.0
	Total	5948	86.3	100.0	
Missing	System	947	13.7		
Total		6895	100.0		

On-line church publications

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	does not apply to me	1462	21.2	25.0	25.0
	not at all	1219	17.7	20.8	45.8
	sometimes	1309	19.0	22.3	68.1
	often	846	12.3	14.4	82.5
	very much	1023	14.8	17.5	100.0
	Total	5859	85.0	100.0	
Missing	System	1036	15.0		

Total	6895	100.0		
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Family

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	does not apply to me	413	6.0	6.9	6.9
	not at all	458	6.6	7.6	14.5
	sometimes	1494	21.7	24.9	39.5
	often	1609	23.3	26.8	66.3
	very much	2019	29.3	33.7	100.0
	6.00	1	.0	.0	100.0
	Total	5994	86.9	100.0	
Missing	System	901	13.1		
Total		6895	100.0		

Friends

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	does not apply to me	404	5.9	6.8	6.8
	not at all	447	6.5	7.5	14.3
	sometimes	1902	27.6	31.9	46.2
	often	1652	24.0	27.7	74.0
	very much	1551	22.5	26.0	100.0
	Total	5956	86.4	100.0	
Missing	System	939	13.6		
Total		6895	100.0		

Internet sites

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	does not apply to me	1651	23.9	28.3	28.3
	not at all	1296	18.8	22.2	50.5
	sometimes	1224	17.8	21.0	71.5
	often	779	11.3	13.3	84.8
	very much	886	12.8	15.2	100.0
	Total	5836	84.6	100.0	
Missing	System	1059	15.4		
Total		6895	100.0		

Adventist Radio

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	does not apply to me	847	12.3	14.0	14.0
	not at all	710	10.3	11.7	25.7
	sometimes	1346	19.5	22.2	47.8
	often	1193	17.3	19.7	67.5
	very much	1972	28.6	32.5	100.0
	Total	6068	88.0	100.0	

Missing	System	827	12.0		
Total		6895	100.0		

Adventist TV

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	does not apply to me	1386	20.1	23.6	23.6
	not at all	1094	15.9	18.7	42.3
	sometimes	1139	16.5	19.4	61.7
	often	867	12.6	14.8	76.5
	very much	1379	20.0	23.5	100.0
	Total	5865	85.1	100.0	
Missing	System	1030	14.9		
Total		6895	100.0		

Pastor's sermons

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	does not apply to me	157	2.3	2.5	2.5
	not at all	174	2.5	2.8	5.3
	sometimes	1066	15.5	17.0	22.3
	often	1753	25.4	28.0	50.4
	very much	3104	45.0	49.6	100.0
	Total	6254	90.7	100.0	
Missing	System	641	9.3		
Total		6895	100.0		

LOCAL CHURCH CHARACTERISTICS**Descriptive Statistics**

	N	Minimum	Maximum	Mean	Std. Deviation
It stretches me in worship	6044	1.00	4.00	3.4414	.88306
I learn a lot	6039	1.00	4.00	3.4237	.88477
Strangers feel welcome	6045	1.00	4.00	3.3921	.91686
It provides fellowship	6063	1.00	4.00	3.3607	.93222
It expects people to learn and think	5995	1.00	4.00	3.3214	.94065
It encourages me to ask questions	6006	1.00	4.00	3.3127	.95431
It accepts people who are different	5940	1.00	4.00	3.2995	.99791
It is friendly	6026	1.00	4.00	3.2041	1.00430
Most members want to be challenged to think about religious issues and ideas	5958	1.00	4.00	3.1692	1.03274
It feels warm	6009	1.00	4.00	3.1316	1.06285
It challenges my thinking	5846	1.00	4.00	3.1144	1.06780
Valid N (listwise)	4636				

Note: The responses I DO NOT ATTEND CHURCH were treated as MISSING in the computation of the means and standard deviations. The scale was recoded as 1 – not at all true ... 4 – very true

It feels warm

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
	I do not attend church	116	1.7	1.9	1.9
	not at all true	733	10.6	12.0	13.9
Valid	3.00	851	12.3	13.9	27.8
	4.00	1317	19.1	21.5	49.3
	very true	3108	45.1	50.7	100.0
	Total	6125	88.8	100.0	
Missing	System	770	11.2		
Total		6895	100.0		

I learn a lot

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
	I do not attend church	62	.9	1.0	1.0
	not at all true	340	4.9	5.6	6.6
Valid	3.00	606	8.8	9.9	16.5
	4.00	1248	18.1	20.5	37.0
	very true	3845	55.8	63.0	100.0
	Total	6101	88.5	100.0	
Missing	System	794	11.5		
Total		6895	100.0		

It accepts people who are different

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
	I do not attend church	136	2.0	2.2	2.2
	not at all true	560	8.1	9.2	11.5
Valid	3.00	654	9.5	10.8	22.2
	4.00	1173	17.0	19.3	41.5
	very true	3553	51.5	58.5	100.0
	Total	6076	88.1	100.0	
Missing	System	819	11.9		
Total		6895	100.0		

Most members want to be challenged to think about religious issues and ideas

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
	I do not attend church	124	1.8	2.0	2.0
	not at all true	636	9.2	10.5	12.5
Valid	3.00	850	12.3	14.0	26.5
	4.00	1342	19.5	22.1	48.5
	very true	3130	45.4	51.5	100.0
	Total	6082	88.2	100.0	

Missing	System	813	11.8		
Total		6895	100.0		

It is friendly

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	I do not attend church	99	1.4	1.6	1.6
	not at all true	569	8.3	9.3	10.9
	3.00	842	12.2	13.7	24.7
	4.00	1405	20.4	22.9	47.6
	very true	3210	46.6	52.4	100.0
	Total	6125	88.8	100.0	
Missing	System	770	11.2		
Total		6895	100.0		

It challenges my thinking

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	I do not attend church	138	2.0	2.3	2.3
	not at all true	743	10.8	12.4	14.7
	3.00	807	11.7	13.5	28.2
	4.00	1334	19.3	22.3	50.5
	very true	2962	43.0	49.5	100.0
	Total	5984	86.8	100.0	
Missing	System	911	13.2		
Total		6895	100.0		

It encourages me to ask questions

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	I do not attend church	86	1.2	1.4	1.4
	not at all true	448	6.5	7.4	8.8
	3.00	745	10.8	12.2	21.0
	4.00	1294	18.8	21.2	42.2
	very true	3519	51.0	57.8	100.0
	Total	6092	88.4	100.0	
Missing	System	803	11.6		
Total		6895	100.0		

Strangers feel welcome

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	I do not attend church	90	1.3	1.5	1.5
	not at all true	384	5.6	6.3	7.7
	3.00	668	9.7	10.9	18.6
	4.00	1187	17.2	19.3	38.0
	very true	3806	55.2	62.0	100.0
	Total	6135	89.0	100.0	

Missing	System	760	11.0		
Total		6895	100.0		

It expects people to learn and think

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
	I do not attend church	88	1.3	1.4	1.4
	not at all true	428	6.2	7.0	8.5
Valid	3.00	714	10.4	11.7	20.2
	4.00	1356	19.7	22.3	42.5
	very true	3497	50.7	57.5	100.0
	Total	6083	88.2	100.0	
Missing	System	812	11.8		
Total		6895	100.0		

It stretches me in worship

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
	I do not attend church	110	1.6	1.8	1.8
	not at all true	340	4.9	5.5	7.3
Valid	3.00	591	8.6	9.6	16.9
	4.00	1174	17.0	19.1	36.0
	very true	3939	57.1	64.0	100.0
	Total	6154	89.3	100.0	
Missing	System	741	10.7		
Total		6895	100.0		

It provides fellowship

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
	I do not attend church	107	1.6	1.7	1.7
	not at all true	429	6.2	7.0	8.7
Valid	3.00	648	9.4	10.5	19.2
	4.00	1293	18.8	21.0	40.1
	very true	3693	53.6	59.9	100.0
	Total	6170	89.5	100.0	
Missing	System	725	10.5		
Total		6895	100.0		

RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN FREQUENCY OF WORSHIP SERVICES ATTENDANCE AND CHARACTERISTICS OF THE LOCAL CHURCH

How often do you attend worship services at your church?		ECD
It feels warm	Correlation Coefficient	.080**
	N	5886
I learn a lot	Correlation Coefficient	.087**
	N	5909
It accepts people who are different	Correlation Coefficient	.067**
	N	5810
Most members want to be challenged to think about religious issues and ideas	Correlation Coefficient	.104**
	N	5828
It is friendly	Correlation Coefficient	.062**
	N	5900
It challenges my thinking	Correlation Coefficient	.082**
	N	5721
It encourages me to ask questions	Correlation Coefficient	.090**
	N	5877
Strangers feel welcome	Correlation Coefficient	.037**
	N	5915
It expects people to learn and think	Correlation Coefficient	.083**
	N	5868
It stretches me in worship	Correlation Coefficient	.113**
	N	5917
It provides fellowship	Correlation Coefficient	.084**
	N	5939

Churches with the above characteristics have members who attend worship services more frequently.

SELF-EVALUATION

Which of the following best describes your commitment to Jesus Christ?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	I am committed to Christ	57	.8	.9	.9
	I am not sure if I am committed to Christ	186	2.7	3.0	4.0
	I committed my life to Christ at a specific moment in my life, but it didn't last	338	4.9	5.5	9.5
	My commitment to Christ has developed gradually over a period of time	1622	23.5	26.6	36.1
	My commitment to Christ came suddenly and I was changed	763	11.1	12.5	48.6
	I've been committed to Christ since I was a young child and continue to be committed to Him now	3143	45.6	51.4	100.0
	Total	6109	88.6	100.0	

Missing	System	786	11.4	
Total		6895	100.0	

Descriptive Statistics

	N	Minimum	Maximum	Mean	Std. Deviation
I am spiritually moved by the beauty of God's creation	6283	1.00	5.00	4.7189	.69629
I have a real sense that God is guiding me	6222	1.00	5.00	4.6562	.71717
I seek out opportunities to help me grow spiritually	6273	1.00	5.00	4.4875	.87055
I feel my life is filled with meaning and purpose	6085	1.00	5.00	4.4588	.93220
I feel God's presence in my relationships with other people	6248	1.00	5.00	4.4568	.85758
I talk with other people about my faith	6228	1.00	5.00	4.3276	.99685
The things I do reflect a commitment to Jesus Christ	6179	1.00	5.00	4.2654	1.01500
I feel a deep sense of responsibility for reducing pain and suffering in the world	6098	1.00	5.00	4.2530	1.11886
I help others with their religious questions and struggles	6278	1.00	5.00	4.1599	1.14487
I show that I care a great deal about reducing poverty in my country and throughout the world	6044	1.00	5.00	3.9520	1.30517
I give significant portions of time and money to help other people	6180	1.00	5.00	3.8396	1.27711
I apply my faith to political and social issues	6057	1.00	5.00	3.3307	1.60840
Valid N (listwise)	5278				

I help others with their religious questions and struggles

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
never	315	4.6	5.0	5.0
2.00	283	4.1	4.5	9.5
3.00	953	13.8	15.2	24.7
4.00	1259	18.3	20.1	44.8
often	3468	50.3	55.2	100.0
Total	6278	91.1	100.0	
Missing	System	617	8.9	
Total		6895	100.0	

I seek out opportunities to help me grow spiritually

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
never	116	1.7	1.8	1.8
2.00	126	1.8	2.0	3.9
3.00	519	7.5	8.3	12.1
4.00	1335	19.4	21.3	33.4
often	4177	60.6	66.6	100.0
Total	6273	91.0	100.0	
Missing	System	622	9.0	

Total	6895	100.0		
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I feel a deep sense of responsibility for reducing pain and suffering in the world

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
never	329	4.8	5.4	5.4
2.00	195	2.8	3.2	8.6
3.00	681	9.9	11.2	19.8
4.00	1292	18.7	21.2	40.9
often	3601	52.2	59.1	100.0
Total	6098	88.4	100.0	
Missing System	797	11.6		
Total	6895	100.0		

I give significant portions of time and money to help other people

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
never	530	7.7	8.6	8.6
2.00	409	5.9	6.6	15.2
3.00	1207	17.5	19.5	34.7
4.00	1410	20.4	22.8	57.5
often	2624	38.1	42.5	100.0
Total	6180	89.6	100.0	
Missing System	715	10.4		
Total	6895	100.0		

I feel God's presence in my relationships with other people

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
never	90	1.3	1.4	1.4
2.00	125	1.8	2.0	3.4
3.00	607	8.8	9.7	13.2
4.00	1445	21.0	23.1	36.3
often	3981	57.7	63.7	100.0
Total	6248	90.6	100.0	
Missing System	647	9.4		
Total	6895	100.0		

I feel my life is filled with meaning and purpose

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
never	165	2.4	2.7	2.7
2.00	142	2.1	2.3	5.0
3.00	472	6.8	7.8	12.8
4.00	1263	18.3	20.8	33.6
often	4043	58.6	66.4	100.0
Total	6085	88.3	100.0	
Missing System	810	11.7		
Total	6895	100.0		

I show that I care a great deal about reducing poverty in my country and throughout the world

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	never	555	8.0	9.2	9.2
	2.00	350	5.1	5.8	15.0
	3.00	919	13.3	15.2	30.2
	4.00	1226	17.8	20.3	50.5
	often	2994	43.4	49.5	100.0
	Total	6044	87.7	100.0	
Missing	System	851	12.3		
Total		6895	100.0		

I apply my faith to political and social issues

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	never	1512	21.9	25.0	25.0
	2.00	436	6.3	7.2	32.2
	3.00	837	12.1	13.8	46.0
	4.00	1081	15.7	17.8	63.8
	often	2191	31.8	36.2	100.0
	Total	6057	87.8	100.0	
Missing	System	838	12.2		
Total		6895	100.0		

The things I do reflect a commitment to Jesus Christ

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	never	197	2.9	3.2	3.2
	2.00	187	2.7	3.0	6.2
	3.00	837	12.1	13.5	19.8
	4.00	1516	22.0	24.5	44.3
	often	3442	49.9	55.7	100.0
	Total	6179	89.6	100.0	
Missing	System	716	10.4		
Total		6895	100.0		

I talk with other people about my faith

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	never	192	2.8	3.1	3.1
	2.00	187	2.7	3.0	6.1
	3.00	695	10.1	11.2	17.2
	4.00	1469	21.3	23.6	40.8
	often	3685	53.4	59.2	100.0
	Total	6228	90.3	100.0	
Missing	System	667	9.7		
Total		6895	100.0		

I have a real sense that God is guiding me

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	never	61	.9	1.0	1.0
	2.00	62	.9	1.0	2.0
	3.00	346	5.0	5.6	7.5
	4.00	1017	14.7	16.3	23.9
	often	4736	68.7	76.1	100.0
	Total	6222	90.2	100.0	
Missing	System	673	9.8		
Total		6895	100.0		

I am spiritually moved by the beauty of God's creation

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	never	83	1.2	1.3	1.3
	2.00	50	.7	.8	2.1
	3.00	240	3.5	3.8	5.9
	4.00	804	11.7	12.8	18.7
	often	5106	74.1	81.3	100.0
	Total	6283	91.1	100.0	
Missing	System	612	8.9		
Total		6895	100.0		

ATTITUDE TOWARD RELIGION

Descriptive Statistics

	N	Minimum	Maximum	Mean	Std. Deviation
I enjoy reading about Seventh-day Adventism	6335	1.00	5.00	4.6638	.72680
I have often had a strong sense of God's presence	6259	1.00	5.00	4.6584	.71661
It is important to me to spend time in private thought and prayer	6280	1.00	5.00	4.6059	.82229
My religion is important because it answers many questions about the meaning of life	6262	1.00	5.00	4.5634	.90221
I try hard to live according to my religious beliefs	6118	1.00	5.00	4.4783	.90866
Prayer is for peace and happiness	6169	1.00	5.00	4.3018	1.18094
What religion offers me most is comfort in difficult times	6133	1.00	5.00	4.1453	1.27098
My whole approach to life is based on my religion	5970	1.00	11.00	4.0672	1.27911
I would rather join a Bible study group than a church social group	6163	1.00	5.00	4.0422	1.29420
I pray mainly to gain relief and protection	6085	1.00	5.00	4.0196	1.42040
Prayers I say when I am alone are as important to me as those I say in church	6117	1.00	5.00	3.9014	1.42570
I go to church because it helps me to make friends	6128	1.00	5.00	3.1717	1.60602
I pray mainly because I have been taught to pray	6071	1.00	5.00	3.1710	1.69321
Although I believe in my religion, many other things are more important to me	6090	1.00	5.00	2.9217	1.68449
Although I am religious, I don't let it affect my daily life	5868	1.00	5.00	2.9143	1.65490
It doesn't much matter what I believe so long as I am good	5953	1.00	5.00	2.4907	1.60161
Sometimes I have to disregard my religious beliefs because of what people might think of me	6037	1.00	5.00	2.2399	1.52311
I go to church mostly to spend time with my friends	5967	1.00	5.00	2.1006	1.49059
I go to church mainly because I enjoy seeing people I know there	5995	1.00	5.00	2.0952	1.49063
Valid N (listwise)	4503				

I enjoy reading about Seventh-day Adventism

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
I strongly disagree	83	1.2	1.3	1.3
I tend to disagree	89	1.3	1.4	2.7
I'm not sure	201	2.9	3.2	5.9
I tend to agree	1129	16.4	17.8	23.7
I strongly agree	4833	70.1	76.3	100.0
Total	6335	91.9	100.0	

Missing	System	560	8.1		
Total		6895	100.0		

I go to church because it helps me to make friends

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	I strongly disagree	1657	24.0	27.0	27.0
	I tend to disagree	672	9.7	11.0	38.0
	I'm not sure	584	8.5	9.5	47.5
	I tend to agree	1392	20.2	22.7	70.3
	I strongly agree	1823	26.4	29.7	100.0
	Total	6128	88.9	100.0	
Missing	System	767	11.1		
Total		6895	100.0		

It doesn't much matter what I believe so long as I am good

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	I strongly disagree	2685	38.9	45.1	45.1
	I tend to disagree	718	10.4	12.1	57.2
	I'm not sure	643	9.3	10.8	68.0
	I tend to agree	758	11.0	12.7	80.7
	I strongly agree	1149	16.7	19.3	100.0
	Total	5953	86.3	100.0	
Missing	System	942	13.7		
Total		6895	100.0		

Sometimes I have to disregard my religious beliefs because of what people might think of me

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	I strongly disagree	3146	45.6	52.1	52.1
	I tend to disagree	737	10.7	12.2	64.3
	I'm not sure	579	8.4	9.6	73.9
	I tend to agree	710	10.3	11.8	85.7
	I strongly agree	865	12.5	14.3	100.0
	Total	6037	87.6	100.0	
Missing	System	858	12.4		
Total		6895	100.0		

It is important to me to spend time in private thought and prayer

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	I strongly disagree	116	1.7	1.8	1.8
	I tend to disagree	129	1.9	2.1	3.9
	I'm not sure	290	4.2	4.6	8.5
	I tend to agree	1044	15.1	16.6	25.1
	I strongly agree	4701	68.2	74.9	100.0
	Total	6280	91.1	100.0	
Missing	System	615	8.9		

Total	6895	100.0		
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I have often had a strong sense of God's presence

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid				
I strongly disagree	70	1.0	1.1	1.1
I tend to disagree	67	1.0	1.1	2.2
I'm not sure	282	4.1	4.5	6.7
I tend to agree	1093	15.9	17.5	24.2
I strongly agree	4747	68.8	75.8	100.0
Total	6259	90.8	100.0	
Missing				
System	636	9.2		
Total	6895	100.0		

I pray mainly to gain relief and protection

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid				
I strongly disagree	812	11.8	13.3	13.3
I tend to disagree	289	4.2	4.7	18.1
I'm not sure	340	4.9	5.6	23.7
I tend to agree	1171	17.0	19.2	42.9
I strongly agree	3473	50.4	57.1	100.0
Total	6085	88.3	100.0	
Missing				
System	810	11.7		
Total	6895	100.0		

I try hard to live according to my religious beliefs

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid				
I strongly disagree	163	2.4	2.7	2.7
I tend to disagree	138	2.0	2.3	4.9
I'm not sure	370	5.4	6.0	11.0
I tend to agree	1386	20.1	22.7	33.6
I strongly agree	4061	58.9	66.4	100.0
Total	6118	88.7	100.0	
Missing				
System	777	11.3		
Total	6895	100.0		

What religion offers me most is comfort in difficult times

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid				
I strongly disagree	554	8.0	9.0	9.0
I tend to disagree	271	3.9	4.4	13.5
I'm not sure	435	6.3	7.1	20.5
I tend to agree	1343	19.5	21.9	42.4
I strongly agree	3530	51.2	57.6	100.0
Total	6133	88.9	100.0	
Missing				
System	762	11.1		

Total	6895	100.0		
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My religion is important because it answers many questions about the meaning of life

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid				
I strongly disagree	186	2.7	3.0	3.0
I tend to disagree	121	1.8	1.9	4.9
I'm not sure	299	4.3	4.8	9.7
I tend to agree	1029	14.9	16.4	26.1
I strongly agree	4627	67.1	73.9	100.0
Total	6262	90.8	100.0	
Missing				
System	633	9.2		
Total	6895	100.0		

I would rather join a Bible study group than a church social group

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid				
I strongly disagree	542	7.9	8.8	8.8
I tend to disagree	397	5.8	6.4	15.2
I'm not sure	593	8.6	9.6	24.9
I tend to agree	1358	19.7	22.0	46.9
I strongly agree	3273	47.5	53.1	100.0
Total	6163	89.4	100.0	
Missing				
System	732	10.6		
Total	6895	100.0		

Prayer is for peace and happiness

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid				
I strongly disagree	399	5.8	6.5	6.5
I tend to disagree	298	4.3	4.8	11.3
I'm not sure	363	5.3	5.9	17.2
I tend to agree	1091	15.8	17.7	34.9
I strongly agree	4018	58.3	65.1	100.0
Total	6169	89.5	100.0	
Missing				
System	726	10.5		
Total	6895	100.0		

Although I am religious, I don't let it affect my daily life

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid				
I strongly disagree	1972	28.6	33.6	33.6
I tend to disagree	749	10.9	12.8	46.4
I'm not sure	599	8.7	10.2	56.6
I tend to agree	906	13.1	15.4	72.0
I strongly agree	1642	23.8	28.0	100.0
Total	5868	85.1	100.0	
Missing				
System	1027	14.9		

Total	6895	100.0		
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I go to church mostly to spend time with my friends

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	I strongly disagree	3342	48.5	56.0	56.0
	I tend to disagree	866	12.6	14.5	70.5
	I'm not sure	409	5.9	6.9	77.4
	I tend to agree	517	7.5	8.7	86.0
	I strongly agree	833	12.1	14.0	100.0
	Total	5967	86.5	100.0	
Missing	System	928	13.5		
Total		6895	100.0		

My whole approach to life is based on my religion

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	I strongly disagree	519	7.5	8.7	8.7
	I tend to disagree	331	4.8	5.5	14.2
	I'm not sure	568	8.2	9.5	23.8
	I tend to agree	1370	19.9	22.9	46.7
	I strongly agree	3181	46.1	53.3	100.0
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Missing	Total	5970	86.6	100.0	
	System	925	13.4		
Total		6895	100.0		

I go to church mainly because I enjoy seeing people I know there

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	I strongly disagree	3382	49.1	56.4	56.4
	I tend to disagree	851	12.3	14.2	70.6
	I'm not sure	399	5.8	6.7	77.3
	I tend to agree	535	7.8	8.9	86.2
	I strongly agree	828	12.0	13.8	100.0
	Total	5995	86.9	100.0	
Missing	System	900	13.1		
Total		6895	100.0		

I pray mainly because I have been taught to pray

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	I strongly disagree	1810	26.3	29.8	29.8
	I tend to disagree	659	9.6	10.9	40.7
	I'm not sure	467	6.8	7.7	48.4
	I tend to agree	953	13.8	15.7	64.1
	I strongly agree	2182	31.6	35.9	100.0
	Total	6071	88.0	100.0	
Missing	System	824	12.0		

Total	6895	100.0		
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Prayers I say when I am alone are as important to me as those I say in church

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	I strongly disagree	729	10.6	11.9	11.9
	I tend to disagree	559	8.1	9.1	21.1
	I'm not sure	496	7.2	8.1	29.2
	I tend to agree	1135	16.5	18.6	47.7
	I strongly agree	3198	46.4	52.3	100.0
	Total	6117	88.7	100.0	
Missing	System	778	11.3		
Total		6895	100.0		

Although I believe in my religion, many other things are more important to me

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		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	I strongly disagree	2099	30.4	34.5	34.5
	I tend to disagree	772	11.2	12.7	47.1
	I'm not sure	553	8.0	9.1	56.2
	I tend to agree	839	12.2	13.8	70.0
	I strongly agree	1827	26.5	30.0	100.0
	Total	6090	88.3	100.0	
Missing	System	805	11.7		
Total		6895	100.0		

RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN ATTITUDE TOWARD RELIGION AND AGE

		Age is 30 years or younger
I enjoy reading about Seventh-day Adventism	Correlation Coefficient	.037**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.003
	N	6264
It doesn't much matter what I believe so long as I am good	Correlation Coefficient	-.026*
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.044
	N	5893
Sometimes I have to disregard my religious beliefs because of what people might think of me	Correlation Coefficient	-.060**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.000
	N	5974
I try hard to live according to my religious beliefs	Correlation Coefficient	.040**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.002
	N	6052
Prayer is for peace and happiness	Correlation Coefficient	-.027*
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.032
	N	6106
Although I am religious, I don't let it affect my daily life	Correlation Coefficient	-.038**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.004
	N	5810
My whole approach to life is based on my religion	Correlation Coefficient	.040**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.002
	N	5908
I go to church mainly because I enjoy seeing people I know there	Correlation Coefficient	-.028*
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.029

Although I believe in my religion, many other things are more important to me	N	5930
	Correlation Coefficient	-.030 ^{**}
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.019
	N	6028

Older church members enjoy reading about Seventh-day Adventism, try hard to live according to their religious beliefs, and approach life based on their religion. On the other hand, younger church members believe that it doesn't matter what they believe as long as they are good, sometimes have to disregard their religious beliefs because of what people might think of them, believe that prayer is for peace and happiness, do not let religion affect their life, go to church mainly because they enjoy seeing people they know there, and consider other things more important than the religion they believe.

FREQUENCY OF INVOLVEMENT IN RELIGIOUS ACTIVITIES

Descriptive Statistics

	N	Minimum	Maximum	Mean	Std. Deviation
Read the Bible	6312	1.00	5.00	4.0127	.99220
Engage in personal devotions	6197	1.00	5.00	3.9847	1.13370
Have family worship (Prayers or religious devotions you have together as a family away from church)	6201	1.00	5.00	3.7392	1.41691
Read the writings of Ellen G. White	6099	1.00	5.00	3.0553	1.40072
Valid N (listwise)	5877				

Read the Bible

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	never	155	2.2	2.5
	less than once a month	305	4.4	7.3
	about once a week	1222	17.7	26.6
	more than once a week	2253	32.7	62.3
	daily or more than once a day	2377	34.5	100.0
	Total	6312	91.5	100.0
Missing	System	583	8.5	
Total		6895	100.0	

Engage in personal devotions

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	never	284	4.1	4.6
	less than once a month	438	6.4	11.7
	about once a week	1012	14.7	28.0
	more than once a week	1818	26.4	57.3

	daily or more than once a day	2645	38.4	42.7	100.0
	Total	6197	89.9	100.0	
Missing	System	698	10.1		
Total		6895	100.0		

Read the writings of Ellen G. White

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
	never	1148	16.6	18.8	18.8
	less than once a month	1178	17.1	19.3	38.1
	about once a week	1163	16.9	19.1	57.2
Valid	more than once a week	1409	20.4	23.1	80.3
	daily or more than once a day	1201	17.4	19.7	100.0
	Total	6099	88.5	100.0	
Missing	System	796	11.5		
Total		6895	100.0		

Have family worship (Prayers or religious devotions you have together as a family away from church)

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
	never	781	11.3	12.6	12.6
	less than once a month	581	8.4	9.4	22.0
	about once a week	814	11.8	13.1	35.1
Valid	more than once a week	1323	19.2	21.3	56.4
	daily or more than once a day	2702	39.2	43.6	100.0
	Total	6201	89.9	100.0	
Missing	System	694	10.1		
Total		6895	100.0		

RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN FREQUENCY OF INVOLVEMENT IN RELIGIOUS ACTIVITIES AND AGE

Age is 30 years or younger			ECD
	Correlation Coefficient		.113**
Read the Bible	Sig. (2-tailed)		.000
	N		6239
	Correlation Coefficient		.099**
Engage in personal devotions	Sig. (2-tailed)		.000
	N		6125
	Correlation Coefficient		.168**
Read the writings of Ellen G. White	Sig. (2-tailed)		.000
	N		6037
Have family worship (Prayers or religious devotions you have together as a family away from church)	Correlation Coefficient		.164**
	Sig. (2-tailed)		.000
	N		6136

Older church members tend to get involved in the above religious activities more than the younger church members.

RELIGIOUS BELIEFS

Descriptive Statistics

	N	Minimum	Maximum	Mean	Std. Deviation
I believe God created the world	6189	1.00	4.00	3.8804	.44430
The Seventh-day Adventist Church is God's true last-day church with a message to prepare the world for the Second Coming of Christ	6293	1.00	4.00	3.8560	.48786
I believe that Jesus was born of a virgin	6217	1.00	4.00	3.8326	.54476
The true Sabbath is the seventh-day Saturday	6245	1.00	4.00	3.7925	.65844
Christianity is about Jesus giving power to conquer sin in my life	6269	1.00	4.00	3.7835	.56871
I believe in a personal God who seeks a relationship with human beings	6291	1.00	4.00	3.7717	.64023
I am saved the moment I believe and accept what Jesus has done for me	6229	1.00	4.00	3.7383	.65125
When you get right down to it, there are only two kinds of people in the world: the righteous, who will be rewarded by God, and the rest, who will not	6225	1.00	4.00	3.6856	.71499
God loves everyone, and I should be all right in the end if I am a morally good person	6278	1.00	4.00	3.6410	.79013
A relationship with Jesus is important, but I will not get to heaven unless I obey God's law	6222	1.00	4.00	3.6283	.81293
When a person dies their body remains in the grave and their soul sleeps until the resurrection	6124	1.00	4.00	3.4236	1.05470
I believe God created the world in exactly six days of 24 hours each in the relatively recent past	6034	1.00	4.00	3.4161	1.02675
If I am to be saved, I need to be baptized into the Seventh-day Adventist church	6067	1.00	4.00	3.3972	.98092
If I have been baptized, I will make it to heaven if I remain a good person all my life	6158	1.00	4.00	3.3951	1.00298
Of all the people on earth, one group has a special relationship with God	6158	1.00	4.00	3.2501	1.12546
There is no body of teaching, or set of scriptures, which is completely without error or contradiction	5973	1.00	4.00	2.6076	1.25661
The Adventist church believes in "present truth" which means beliefs might change over time	6028	1.00	4.00	2.4061	1.32554
I believe witchcraft is real and even Christians can go to the witchdoctors for protection.	6113	1.00	4.00	1.9156	1.25903
I expect the world as we know it to end within the next 20 years	5989	1.00	4.00	1.8876	1.16488

The fact that men of God, such as Abraham, Jacob, David, and Solomon, were polygamists, shows that God approves polygamy.	6158	1.00	4.00	1.6021	1.07832
Valid N (listwise)	4709				

***Statements included in the African church survey**

God loves everyone, and I should be all right in the end if I am a morally good person

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid strongly disagree	338	4.9	5.4	5.4
disagree more than agree	223	3.2	3.6	8.9
agree more than disagree	794	11.5	12.6	21.6
strongly agree	4923	71.4	78.4	100.0
Total	6278	91.1	100.0	
Missing System	617	8.9		
Total	6895	100.0		

I believe in a personal God who seeks a relationship with human beings

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid strongly disagree	205	3.0	3.3	3.3
disagree more than agree	120	1.7	1.9	5.2
agree more than disagree	581	8.4	9.2	14.4
strongly agree	5385	78.1	85.6	100.0
Total	6291	91.2	100.0	
Missing System	604	8.8		
Total	6895	100.0		

When you get right down to it, there are only two kinds of people in the world: the righteous, who will be rewarded by God, and the rest, who will not

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid strongly disagree	224	3.2	3.6	3.6
disagree more than agree	248	3.6	4.0	7.6
agree more than disagree	789	11.4	12.7	20.3
strongly agree	4964	72.0	79.7	100.0
Total	6225	90.3	100.0	
Missing System	670	9.7		
Total	6895	100.0		

Christianity is about Jesus giving power to conquer sin in my life

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid strongly disagree	119	1.7	1.9	1.9
disagree more than agree	125	1.8	2.0	3.9
agree more than disagree	750	10.9	12.0	15.9

	strongly agree	5275	76.5	84.1	100.0
	Total	6269	90.9	100.0	
Missing	System	626	9.1		
Total		6895	100.0		

I am saved the moment I believe and accept what Jesus has done for me

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	strongly disagree	181	2.6	2.9	2.9
	disagree more than agree	176	2.6	2.8	5.7
	agree more than disagree	735	10.7	11.8	17.5
	strongly agree	5137	74.5	82.5	100.0
	Total	6229	90.3	100.0	
Missing	System	666	9.7		
Total		6895	100.0		

I believe that Jesus was born of a virgin

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	strongly disagree	128	1.9	2.1	2.1
	disagree more than agree	105	1.5	1.7	3.7
	agree more than disagree	447	6.5	7.2	10.9
	strongly agree	5537	80.3	89.1	100.0
	Total	6217	90.2	100.0	
Missing	System	678	9.8		
Total		6895	100.0		

The Seventh-day Adventist Church is God's true last-day church with a message to prepare the world for the Second Coming of Christ

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	strongly disagree	90	1.3	1.4	1.4
	disagree more than agree	91	1.3	1.4	2.9
	agree more than disagree	454	6.6	7.2	10.1
	strongly agree	5658	82.1	89.9	100.0
	Total	6293	91.3	100.0	
Missing	System	602	8.7		
Total		6895	100.0		

There is no body of teaching, or set of scriptures, which is completely without error or contradiction

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	strongly disagree	1889	27.4	31.6	31.6
	disagree more than agree	680	9.9	11.4	43.0
	agree more than disagree	1290	18.7	21.6	64.6

	strongly agree	2114	30.7	35.4	100.0
	Total	5973	86.6	100.0	
Missing	System	922	13.4		
Total		6895	100.0		

Of all the people on earth, one group has a special relationship with God

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
	strongly disagree	981	14.2	15.9	15.9
	disagree more than agree	379	5.5	6.2	22.1
Valid	agree more than disagree	917	13.3	14.9	37.0
	strongly agree	3881	56.3	63.0	100.0
	Total	6158	89.3	100.0	
Missing	System	737	10.7		
Total		6895	100.0		

A relationship with Jesus is important, but I will not get to heaven unless I obey God's law

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
	strongly disagree	370	5.4	5.9	5.9
	disagree more than agree	219	3.2	3.5	9.5
Valid	agree more than disagree	765	11.1	12.3	21.8
	strongly agree	4868	70.6	78.2	100.0
	Total	6222	90.2	100.0	
Missing	System	673	9.8		
Total		6895	100.0		

I expect the world as we know it to end within the next 20 years

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
	strongly disagree	3429	49.7	57.3	57.3
	disagree more than agree	812	11.8	13.6	70.8
Valid	agree more than disagree	740	10.7	12.4	83.2
	strongly agree	1008	14.6	16.8	100.0
	Total	5989	86.9	100.0	
Missing	System	906	13.1		
Total		6895	100.0		

If I have been baptized, I will make it to heaven if I remain a good person all my life

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
	strongly disagree	649	9.4	10.5	10.5
Valid	disagree more than agree	414	6.0	6.7	17.3
	agree more than disagree	950	13.8	15.4	32.7

	strongly agree	4145	60.1	67.3	100.0
	Total	6158	89.3	100.0	
Missing	System	737	10.7		
Total		6895	100.0		

I believe God created the world in exactly six days of 24 hours each in the relatively recent past

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
	strongly disagree	733	10.6	12.1	12.1
	disagree more than agree	248	3.6	4.1	16.3
Valid	agree more than disagree	828	12.0	13.7	30.0
	strongly agree	4225	61.3	70.0	100.0
	Total	6034	87.5	100.0	
Missing	System	861	12.5		
Total		6895	100.0		

I believe God created the world

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
	strongly disagree	75	1.1	1.2	1.2
	disagree more than agree	60	.9	1.0	2.2
Valid	agree more than disagree	395	5.7	6.4	8.6
	strongly agree	5659	82.1	91.4	100.0
	Total	6189	89.8	100.0	
Missing	System	706	10.2		
Total		6895	100.0		

If I am to be saved, I need to be baptized into the Seventh-day Adventist church

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
	strongly disagree	607	8.8	10.0	10.0
	disagree more than agree	371	5.4	6.1	16.1
Valid	agree more than disagree	1094	15.9	18.0	34.2
	strongly agree	3995	57.9	65.8	100.0
	Total	6067	88.0	100.0	
Missing	System	828	12.0		
Total		6895	100.0		

The Adventist church believes in "present truth" which means beliefs might change over time

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
	strongly disagree	2509	36.4	41.6	41.6
Valid	disagree more than agree	621	9.0	10.3	51.9
	agree more than disagree	839	12.2	13.9	65.8

	strongly agree	2059	29.9	34.2	100.0
	Total	6028	87.4	100.0	
Missing	System	867	12.6		
Total		6895	100.0		

The true Sabbath is the seventh-day Saturday

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
	strongly disagree	247	3.6	4.0	4.0
	disagree more than agree	99	1.4	1.6	5.5
Valid	agree more than disagree	357	5.2	5.7	11.3
	strongly agree	5542	80.4	88.7	100.0
	Total	6245	90.6	100.0	
Missing	System	650	9.4		
Total		6895	100.0		

When a person dies their body remains in the grave and their soul sleeps until the resurrection

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
	strongly disagree	800	11.6	13.1	13.1
	disagree more than agree	258	3.7	4.2	17.3
Valid	agree more than disagree	614	8.9	10.0	27.3
	strongly agree	4452	64.6	72.7	100.0
	Total	6124	88.8	100.0	
Missing	System	771	11.2		
Total		6895	100.0		

Statements included in the African church survey

I believe witchcraft is real and even Christians can go to the witchdoctors for protection.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
	strongly disagree	3762	54.6	61.5	61.5
	disagree more than agree	467	6.8	7.6	69.2
Valid	agree more than disagree	522	7.6	8.5	77.7
	strongly agree	1362	19.8	22.3	100.0
	Total	6113	88.7	100.0	
Missing	System	782	11.3		
Total		6895	100.0		

The fact that men of God, such as Abraham, Jacob, David, and Solomon, were polygamists, shows that God approves polygamy.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
	strongly disagree	4448	64.5	72.2	72.2
	disagree more than agree	556	8.1	9.0	81.3
Valid	agree more than disagree	310	4.5	5.0	86.3
	strongly agree	844	12.2	13.7	100.0

Total	6158	89.3	100.0
Missing System	737	10.7	
Total	6895	100.0	

RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN RELIGIOUS BELIEFS AND AGE

		Age is 30 years or younger
God loves everyone, and I should be all right in the end if I am a morally good person	Pearson Correlation	-.041**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.001
	N	6201
When you get right down to it, there are only two kinds of people in the world: the righteous, who will be rewarded by God, and the rest, who will not	Pearson Correlation	.072**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.000
	N	6151
Christianity is about Jesus giving power to conquer sin in my life	Pearson Correlation	.027*
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.035
	N	6194
There is no body of teaching, or set of scriptures, which is completely without error or contradiction	Pearson Correlation	-.046**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.000
	N	5907
Of all the people on earth, one group has a special relationship with God	Pearson Correlation	.076**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.000
	N	6089
I expect the world as we know it to end within the next 20 years	Pearson Correlation	-.061**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.000
	N	5925
If I have been baptized, I will make it to heaven if I remain a good person all my life	Pearson Correlation	-.044**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.001
	N	6088
The Adventist church believes in "present truth" which means beliefs might change over time	Pearson Correlation	-.056**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.000
	N	5964
When a person dies their body remains in the grave and their soul sleeps until the resurrection	Pearson Correlation	.028*
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.031
	N	6055
I believe witchcraft is real and even Christians can go to the witchdoctors for protection.	Pearson Correlation	-.126**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.000
	N	6044
The fact that men of God, such as Abraham, Jacob, David, and Solomon, were polygamists, shows that God approves polygamy.	Pearson Correlation	-.065**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.000
	N	6093

Beliefs with negative correlations (in red) are associated with those age of 30 or younger and beliefs with positive correlations are associated with those older than 30 years.

Your closest understanding of what the Bible is

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	The Bible contains no more truth or wisdom than do the religious books of other world religions	217	3.1	4.5	4.5
	The Bible is the work of people who collected stories that had been created to explain the mysteries of life. It contains a great deal of wisdom about the human experience	82	1.2	1.7	6.3
	The Bible is the work of people who genuinely loved God and who wanted to share their understanding of God's activity in the world	439	6.4	9.2	15.5
	The Bible is the work of people who were inspired by God and who represented God's message in terms of their own place and time	1112	16.1	23.3	38.8
	The Bible is the work of people who copied what God told them word for word, and who wrote without being influenced by their own place and time	549	8.0	11.5	50.3
	The Bible is the work of people who were inspired by God and who, though expressing their message in terms of their own time and place, expressed eternal truths	2374	34.4	49.7	100.0
	Total	4773	69.2	100.0	
Missing	System	2122	30.8		
Total		6895	100.0		

Your closest understanding of the writings of Ellen G. White

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	I don't know who Ellen G. White is	186	2.7	3.5	3.5
	Ellen G. White's writings contain no more truth or wisdom than do the religious works written by leaders of other denominations	97	1.4	1.8	5.3
	Ellen G. White was a person who created stories of supernatural guidance in order to explain the mysteries of life. Her writings contain a great deal of wisdom about the human experience	359	5.2	6.7	12.0
	Ellen G. White was inspired by God and presented God's message in terms of her own place and time	2664	38.6	50.0	62.0

	Ellen G. White copied what God told her word for word, and wrote without being influenced by her own place and time	2022	29.3	38.0	100.0
	Total	5328	77.3	100.0	
Missing	System	1567	22.7		
Total		6895	100.0		

ACCEPTANCE OF SDA TEACHINGS

Jesus Christ is the son of God

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
	I embrace it wholeheartedly	5179	75.1	82.4	82.4
	I accept it because the church teaches it	480	7.0	7.6	90.1
	I have some questions about it	59	.9	.9	91.0
Valid	I have major doubts about it	61	.9	1.0	92.0
	I don't accept it	84	1.2	1.3	93.3
	This question is not important to me	419	6.1	6.7	100.0
	Total	6282	91.1	100.0	
Missing	System	613	8.9		
Total		6895	100.0		

The investigative or pre-Advent judgment began in 1844

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
	I embrace it wholeheartedly	3473	50.4	57.6	57.6
	I accept it because the church teaches it	952	13.8	15.8	73.4
	I have some questions about it	501	7.3	8.3	81.7
Valid	I have major doubts about it	330	4.8	5.5	87.2
	I don't accept it	340	4.9	5.6	92.8
	This question is not important to me	434	6.3	7.2	100.0
	Total	6030	87.5	100.0	
Missing	System	865	12.5		
Total		6895	100.0		

The Church's interpretation of end-time prophecies

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
	I embrace it wholeheartedly	3952	57.3	64.8	64.8
	I accept it because the church teaches it	1012	14.7	16.6	81.4
	I have some questions about it	408	5.9	6.7	88.1
Valid	I have major doubts about it	201	2.9	3.3	91.4
	I don't accept it	166	2.4	2.7	94.2
	This question is not important to me	356	5.2	5.8	100.0
	Total	6095	88.4	100.0	
Missing	System	800	11.6		
Total		6895	100.0		

Ellen G. White was an inspired messenger to the Adventist church

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	I embrace it wholeheartedly	4284	62.1	69.3	69.3

	I accept it because the church teaches it	877	12.7	14.2	83.5
	I have some questions about it	238	3.5	3.9	87.3
	I have major doubts about it	135	2.0	2.2	89.5
	I don't accept it	268	3.9	4.3	93.9
	This question is not important to me	379	5.5	6.1	100.0
	Total	6181	89.6	100.0	
Missing	System	714	10.4		
Total		6895	100.0		

Adventist standards regarding healthful living

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	I embrace it wholeheartedly	4261	61.8	69.1	69.1
	I accept it because the church teaches it	911	13.2	14.8	83.9
	I have some questions about it	325	4.7	5.3	89.2
	I have major doubts about it	159	2.3	2.6	91.8
	I don't accept it	136	2.0	2.2	94.0
	This question is not important to me	372	5.4	6.0	100.0
	Total	6164	89.4	100.0	
Missing	System	731	10.6		
Total		6895	100.0		

Adventist standards regarding modesty and simplicity in dress

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	I embrace it wholeheartedly	4042	58.6	65.7	65.7
	I accept it because the church teaches it	861	12.5	14.0	79.7
	I have some questions about it	422	6.1	6.9	86.5
	I have major doubts about it	200	2.9	3.3	89.8
	I don't accept it	250	3.6	4.1	93.9
	This question is not important to me	378	5.5	6.1	100.0
	Total	6153	89.2	100.0	
Missing	System	742	10.8		
Total		6895	100.0		

RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN ACCEPTANCE OF SDA TEACHINGS AND AGE

Age is 30 years or younger – 1	Age is older than 30 years of age - 2	ECD
Jesus Christ is the son of God	Correlation Coefficient	.028
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.025
	N	6204
The investigative or pre-Advent judgment began in 1844	Correlation Coefficient	-.134**
	Sig. (2-tailed)	.000
	N	5964
Adventist standards regarding modesty	Correlation Coefficient	-.033*

	and simplicity in dress	Sig. (2-tailed)	.012
		N	5796

1 – I embrace it wholeheartedly, ... , 6 – not important

The younger church members tend to accept the belief that Jesus Christ is the son of God while the older church members tend to accept the SDA teachings that the investigative or pre-Advent judgment began in 1844 and on the Adventist standards regarding modesty and simplicity in dress.

How would you describe your attitude toward religion and spirituality?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	I'm religious but not spiritual	432	6.3	7.1	7.1
	I'm spiritual but not religious	343	5.0	5.6	12.7
	I am both spiritual and religious	5022	72.8	82.4	95.1
	I am neither spiritual nor religious	300	4.4	4.9	100.0
	Total	6097	88.4	100.0	
Missing	System	798	11.6		
Total		6895	100.0		

APPENDIX A

Membership Report Template

NAME OF ADMINISTRATIVE FIELD

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APPENDIX B – ENGLISH VERSION

GENERAL CONFERENCE OF SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST
East-Central Africa Division



Valuegenesis Church Research Survey Instrument
Seventh-day Adventist Church Member Survey

**FAITH, BELIEFS, PERCEPTIONS, ATTITUDES AND
ACTIONS**

This questionnaire concerns your own beliefs, faith experience, perceptions, attitudes and involvement in your local church. The information you provide will help church leaders learn how to strengthen your local church and to better understand your religious life. You are one of those selected to take part, and your help is very important.

What you say in this survey is completely anonymous. We do not ask for your name, and there are no secret codes that can identify you by name.

Please answer ALL questions as honestly as possible. Do not ask anyone else how they think you should answer. We want to know your feelings, your beliefs, and your opinions. Do not spend too much time on any one question. Answer each question as seems best, then move quickly to the next one.

We need you to know that you have the right to not to participate if that is your preference. Your completion of this survey will help to make our findings much more representative and effective. We really want to thank you for helping us.

1. YOUR INFORMATION

We need to know some important information about you. Tick one option that applies to you.

1.1. How do you describe yourself?

- ☐ Black
- ☐ Caucasian/White
- ☐ East Asian
- ☐ Latin/Hispanic
- ☐ South Asian
- ☐ Other

1.2. What is your gender?

- ☐ Male
- ☐ Female

1.3. Are you a baptized member of the Seventh-day Adventist Church?

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No

1.4. How old are you?

- | | | |
|--|-------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| ☐ Younger than 15 years of age | ☐ 46 – 50 | ☐ Older than 80 |
| ☐ 16 – 20 | ☐ 51 – 55 | |
| ☐ 21 – 25 | ☐ 56 – 60 | |
| ☐ 26 – 30 | ☐ 61 – 65 | |
| ☐ 31 – 35 | ☐ 66 – 70 | |

€ 36 – 40

€ 71 – 75

€ 41 – 45

€ 76 – 80

1.5. What country are you living in? _____

1.6. On the average, about how many times have you attended church services during the last year?

€ None

€ 1 – 2

€ A few times

€ Once a month

€ 2-3 times a month

€ 4 or more times a month

1.7. What is the highest level of school have you completed?

€ Primary (elementary) school only

€ Primary (elementary) and some secondary (high) school

€ Finished secondary (high) school

€ Some college or university

€ College or university graduate

€ Graduate school or professional school graduate

1.8. Have you attended a Seventh-day Adventist school, college or university? (Check all that apply)

€ No SDA schooling

€ Some SDA primary (elementary)

€ Completed SDA primary (elementary)

€ Some SDA secondary (high) school

€ Completed SDA secondary (high) school

€ Some SDA college or university

€ Completed SDA college or university

€ SDA graduate school or professional school

1.9. Have you been a Seventh-day Adventist from birth?

€ Yes

€ No

1.10. If not, then for how long have you been a Seventh-day Adventist? (What answer is the best answer for you?)

€ Less than one year

€ 26-30 years

€ 1-4 years

€ 31-35 years

€ 5-10 years

€ 36-40 years

€ 11-15 years

€ 41-45 years

€ 16-20 years

€ 46-50 years

€ 21-25 years

€ More than 50 years

1.11. Are you employed by an institution that is owned by or affiliated with the Seventh-day Adventist Church?

€ Yes

€ No

2. ABOUT YOUR CHURCH _____

Think about the local church you now attend. How true of your church are each of these statements?

2.1. How often do you attend worship services at your church?

- € A few times a year or less
- € Once every month or two
- € Two or three times a month
- € About once a week
- € More than once a week

2.2. I would PREFER to go to church:

- € A few times a year or less
- € Once every month or two
- € Two or three times a month
- € About once a week
- € More than once a week

2.3. How do you consider your involvement in your church? (Mark the answer below that is the closest description of your attachment to your church)

- € I do not participate at all in church activities
- € I consider myself an observer
- € I consider myself a casual participant
- € I consider myself an active participant
- € I consider myself a leader in my church

2.4. How satisfied are you with the church you attend? (Circle one)

Very dissatisfied					Neutral						Very satisfied
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10		

2.5. What characteristics of church life would make you consider leaving your local Seventh-day Adventist church to worship in *another congregation of a different faith*?

- € When sermons are boring
- € When church is cold and unfriendly
- € When there are no activities beyond weekend services
- € When worship services are not meaningful
- € Other _____ (Add a sentence that answers this)

2.6. What characteristics of church life would make you consider leaving your local Seventh-day Adventist church to worship in *another Seventh-day Adventist Church*?

- € When sermons are boring
- € When church is cold and unfriendly
- € When there are no activities beyond weekend services
- € When worship services are not meaningful
- € Other _____ (Add a sentence that answers this)

2.7. What characteristics of church life would make you consider leaving your local Seventh-day Adventist church to worship *at home*?

- € When sermons are boring
- € When church is cold and unfriendly
- € When there are no activities beyond weekend services
- € When worship services are not meaningful

€ Other _____ (Add a sentence that answers this)

Think about your experience with your church. (Include Sabbath School, Bible studies, youth programming, outreach ministries, worship services and the like.) For each of these statements, tell how true it is for you by circling the number:

1 – never 2 – sometimes 3 – often 4 – almost always

2.8	Programs at my church are interesting	1	2	3	4
2.9	Programs at my church make me think	1	2	3	4
2.10	My Sabbath School teachers or leaders know me well	1	2	3	4
2.11	My pastor knows me well	1	2	3	4
2.12	The leaders in the church are warm and friendly	1	2	3	4
2.13	I can be myself at church	1	2	3	4
2.14	The leaders in our church care about me	1	2	3	4
2.15	I look forward to going to programs at my church	1	2	3	4
2.16	I go to programs at church because I want to	1	2	3	4
2.17	My church is helping me grow closer to Christ	1	2	3	4
2.18	I attend small group meetings organized by the church	1	2	3	4
2.19	I feel uncomfortable/guilty when I do not attend church most weekends	1	2	3	4
2.20	I feel proud of my church and its role and reputation in my community	1	2	3	4

Do you support your church with your donations? If YES, go through options 2.21 – 2.29. If NO, go to question 2.30. Circle the number that best describes your involvement in the following opportunities for your local church. Choose from these answers:

1 – Never 2 – Seldom 3 – Sometimes 4 – Often 5 – Always 6 – Not applicable

2.21	Through my tithe	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.22	Sabbath School offerings	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.23	Christian education	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.24	The church building fund	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.25	The mission program of the church	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.26	The evangelistic projects of the church	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.27	I provide extra for the 13th Sabbath offering	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.28	I provide support for the local church school	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.29	Through wills and trusts	1	2	3	4	5	6

On the scale of 1 to 5 with 1 being the lowest “not at all” and a score of 5 the highest being “very much,” how well do each of these describe your pastor? Circle the number that best describes your answer.

Not at all

1

2

3

4

Very much

5

2.30	Enthusiastic about ministry	1	2	3	4	5
2.31	Helpful in times of need	1	2	3	4	5
2.32	Inspiring	1	2	3	4	5
2.33	Occasionally visits members of the church in their home	1	2	3	4	5

2.34	Sensitive to the needs of others	1	2	3	4	5
2.35	A good preacher	1	2	3	4	5
2.36	Shows true spiritual leadership in our church community	1	2	3	4	5
2.37	Receptive of new ideas	1	2	3	4	5
2.38	Thorough in pastoral duties	1	2	3	4	5

In your experiences with the Seventh-day Adventist Church and your local church leadership, how often are the following statements true or not true? Circle the number that describes your answer:

1 – No opinion 2 – Never true 3 – Rarely true 4 – True 5 – Often true 6 – Always true

Your local church leadership...

2.39	is open to new ideas	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.40	clearly communicates the mission of the Church	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.41	is doing enough to engage members in mission	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.42	is easy to talk with	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.43	is active in assisting our local church	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.44	is responsive to local community needs	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.45	is out of touch with our local church needs	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.46	is supportive of involving young people in worship services	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.47	is creative	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.48	is supportive of our local or conference school	1	2	3	4	5	6

2.49. In thinking about what originally brought you to this congregation, what originally attracted you to attend this congregation? (You may pick more than one answer)

- | | |
|-------------------------------|---------------------------|
| € My friends are there | € The church's reputation |
| € Adult education program | € Child and Youth program |
| € The music program | € The community outreach |
| € The worship style | € The self-help groups |
| € The doctrines of the church | € The denominational ties |
| € The minister | € An evangelism program |
| € Proximity to where I live | |
| € Other: _____ | (Add a brief sentence) |

2.50. In thinking about what originally brought you to this congregation, what is the foremost reason you remain a part of this congregation? (You may pick more than one answer)

- | | |
|-------------------------------|---------------------------|
| € My friends are there | € The church's reputation |
| € Adult education program | € Child and Youth program |
| € The music program | € The community outreach |
| € The worship style | € The self-help groups |
| € The doctrines of the church | € The denominational ties |
| € The minister | € An evangelism program |
| € Proximity to where I live | |
| € Other: _____ | (Add a brief sentence) |

How important are the following personal traits in your pastoral leadership in your local church? Circle the number that describes your answer:

1 – Not important		3 – Fairly important		5 – Very important		
2 – Slightly important		4 – Quite important				
2.51	Expertise in biblical and theological matters	1	2	3	4	5
2.52	Emphasis on spiritual development and growth	1	2	3	4	5
2.53	Thought-provoking and challenging	1	2	3	4	5
2.54	Comforting and reassuring	1	2	3	4	5
2.55	Biblical preaching and teaching	1	2	3	4	5
2.56	Preaching and teaching on contemporary issues	1	2	3	4	5
2.57	New approaches and ideas	1	2	3	4	5
2.58	Does things as they have always been done	1	2	3	4	5
2.59	Strong and decisive decision-maker	1	2	3	4	5
2.60	Encourages lay decision-making	1	2	3	4	5
2.61	Relaxed interpersonal style	1	2	3	4	5
2.62	Formal interpersonal style	1	2	3	4	5
2.63	Works hard to accomplish tasks	1	2	3	4	5
2.64	Places feelings of others ahead of achieving goals	1	2	3	4	5
2.65	Helps people figure things out for themselves	1	2	3	4	5
2.66	Advises people what to do	1	2	3	4	5
2.67	Reflective and reserved	1	2	3	4	5
2.68	Outgoing and socially engaging	1	2	3	4	5
2.69	Maintains a balanced life	1	2	3	4	5
2.70	Gives whole self to the church	1	2	3	4	5

2.71. Overall, to what extent do you think the congregation needs to increase or improve its efforts in *outreach*?

- € We're doing too much now
- € We are doing fine as is
- € Should increase or improve to some extent
- € Should increase or improve to a great extent

2.72. Overall, to what extent do you think the congregation needs to increase or improve its efforts in *caring and nurture*?

- € We're doing too much now
- € We are doing fine as is
- € Should increase or improve to some extent
- € Should increase or improve to a great extent

2.73. To what extent would you personally be willing to get more involved in outreach by your congregation?

- € Not at all
- € To some extent
- € To a moderate extent
- € To a great extent

2.74. Without the support of the worship service in my local church, I feel my faith might gradually fade away

- € Not at all
- € To some extent
- € To a moderate extent
- € To a great extent

2.75. I use information from the internet (World Wide Web) as a way to grow my faith.

- € Not at all
- € To some extent
- € To a moderate extent
- € To a great extent

3. YOUR RELIGIOUS LIFE

How much has each of the following helped you develop your religious life? Circle the number that describes your answer. If you are never involved, choose “Does not apply to me”. Choose from these answers:

1 – Does not apply to me 2 – Not at all 3 – Sometimes 4 – Often 5 – Very much

3.1	Sabbath School	1	2	3	4	5
3.2	Personal Bible study and prayer	1	2	3	4	5
3.3	Church worship services	1	2	3	4	5
3.4	Family worship	1	2	3	4	5
3.5	Prayer meetings	1	2	3	4	5
3.6	Weeks of Prayer at church	1	2	3	4	5
3.7	Church retreats	1	2	3	4	5
3.8	Church Community outreach	1	2	3	4	5
3.9	Short-term mission projects	1	2	3	4	5
3.10	Attending an Adventist school	1	2	3	4	5
3.11	Evangelistic outreach (<i>Giving Bible studies, distributing literature, etc</i>)	1	2	3	4	5
3.12	Conference-sponsored events	1	2	3	4	5
3.13	The church pastor	1	2	3	4	5
3.14	The youth pastor	1	2	3	4	5
3.15	The local elders in my church	1	2	3	4	5
3.16	The Sabbath School quarterly	1	2	3	4	5
3.17	Evangelistic meetings (Public)	1	2	3	4	5
3.18	Small groups	1	2	3	4	5
3.19	Adventist publications (Union/Division paper)	1	2	3	4	5
3.20	Adventist publication (Adventist Review/Adventist World)	1	2	3	4	5
3.21	On-line church publications	1	2	3	4	5
3.22	Family	1	2	3	4	5
3.23	Friends	1	2	3	4	5
3.24	Internet sites	1	2	3	4	5
3.25	Adventist Radio	1	2	3	4	5
3.26	Adventist TV	1	2	3	4	5
3.27	Pastor’s sermons	1	2	3	4	5

Think about the local church that you attend. How true of your church are each of these statements? (Circle ONE choice only on this 5-point scale with 2 = Not at all true and 5 = Very true).

I do not attend church Not at all true Very true

1 2 3 4 5

3.28	It feels warm	1	2	3	4	5
3.29	I learn a lot	1	2	3	4	5
3.30	It accepts people who are different	1	2	3	4	5
3.31	Most members want to be challenged to think about religious issues and ideas	1	2	3	4	5
3.32	It is friendly	1	2	3	4	5
3.33	It challenges my thinking	1	2	3	4	5
3.34	It encourages me to ask questions	1	2	3	4	5
3.35	Strangers feel welcome	1	2	3	4	5
3.36	It expects people to learn and think	1	2	3	4	5
3.37	It stretches me in worship	1	2	3	4	5
3.38	It provides fellowship	1	2	3	4	5

3.39. Which of the following best describes your commitment to Jesus Christ (MARK ONE)

- € I am not committed to Christ
- € I am not sure if I am committed to Christ
- € I committed my life to Christ at a specific moment in my life, but it didn't last
- € My commitment to Christ has developed gradually over a period of time
- € My commitment to Christ came suddenly and I was changed
- € I've been committed to Christ since I was a young child and continue to be committed to Him now.

How true is each of the following statements for you personally? Score these questions on a scale of 1 to 5 with 1 being "Never" and 5 being "Often."

Never
1 2 3 4 Often
5

3.40	I help others with their religious questions and struggles	1	2	3	4	5
3.41	I seek out opportunities to help me grow spiritually	1	2	3	4	5
3.42	I feel a deep sense of responsibility for reducing pain and suffering in the world	1	2	3	4	5
3.43	I give significant portions of time and money to help other people	1	2	3	4	5
3.44	I feel God's presence in my relationships with other people	1	2	3	4	5
3.45	I feel my life is filled with meaning and purpose	1	2	3	4	5
3.46	I show that I care a great deal about reducing poverty in my country and throughout the world	1	2	3	4	5
3.47	I apply my faith to political and social issues	1	2	3	4	5
3.48	The things I do reflect a commitment to Jesus Christ	1	2	3	4	5
3.49	I talk with other people about my faith	1	2	3	4	5
3.50	I have a real sense that God is guiding me	1	2	3	4	5
3.51	I am spiritually moved by the beauty of God's creation	1	2	3	4	5

The following are a few questions about your attitude toward religion. Circle the number that describes your answer.

1 – I strongly disagree
2 – I tend to disagree

3 – I'm not sure
4 – I tend to agree

5 – I strongly agree

3.52	I enjoy reading about Seventh-day Adventism	1	2	3	4	5
3.53	I go to church because it helps me to make friends	1	2	3	4	5

3.54	It doesn't much matter what I believe so long as I am good	1	2	3	4	5
3.55	Sometimes I have to disregard my religious beliefs because of what people might think of me	1	2	3	4	5
3.56	It is important to me to spend time in private thought and prayer	1	2	3	4	5
3.57	I have often had a strong sense of God's presence	1	2	3	4	5
3.58	I pray mainly to gain relief and protection	1	2	3	4	5
3.59	I try hard to live according to my religious beliefs	1	2	3	4	5
3.60	What religion offers me most is comfort in difficult times	1	2	3	4	5
3.61	My religion is important because it answers many questions about the meaning of life	1	2	3	4	5
3.62	I would rather join a Bible study group than a church social group	1	2	3	4	5
3.63	Prayer is for peace and happiness	1	2	3	4	5
3.64	Although I am religious, I don't let it affect my daily life	1	2	3	4	5
3.65	I go to church mostly to spend time with my friends	1	2	3	4	5
3.66	My whole approach to life is based on my religion	1	2	3	4	5
3.67	I go to church mainly because I enjoy seeing people I know there	1	2	3	4	5
3.68	I pray mainly because I have been taught to pray	1	2	3	4	5
3.69	Prayers I say when I am alone are as important to me as those I say in church	1	2	3	4	5
3.70	Although I believe in my religion, many other things are more important to me	1	2	3	4	5

Instructions: How often have you done any of the following? Circle the number that describes your answer.

- 1 – Never 3 – About once a week 5 – Daily or more than once a day
 2 – Less than once a month 4 – More than once a week

3.71	Read the Bible	1	2	3	4	5
3.72	Engage in personal devotions	1	2	3	4	5
3.73	Read the writings of Ellen G. White	1	2	3	4	5
3.74	Have family worship (<i>Prayers or religious devotions you have together as a family away from church</i>)	1	2	3	4	5

***You are doing great and you are almost finished.
 This is the last section of our survey.***

4. ABOUT WHAT YOU BELIEVE

Circle the number that describes your answer. Choose from these responses. (We do not expect you to agree with all of the following statements).

- 1 – Strongly disagree 3 – Agree more than disagree
 2 – Disagree more than agree 4 – Strongly agree

4.1	God loves everyone, and I should be all right in the end if I am a morally good person	1	2	3	4
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4.2	I believe in a personal God who seeks a relationship with human beings	1	2	3	4
4.3	When you get right down to it, there are only two kinds of people in the world: the righteous, who will be rewarded by God, and the rest, who will not	1	2	3	4
4.4	Christianity is about Jesus giving power to conquer sin in my life	1	2	3	4
4.5	I am saved the moment I believe and accept what Jesus has done for me	1	2	3	4
4.6	I believe that Jesus was born of a virgin	1	2	3	4
4.7	The Seventh-day Adventist Church is God's true last-day church with a message to prepare the world for the Second Coming of Christ	1	2	3	4
4.8	There is no body of teaching, or set of scriptures, which is completely without error or contradiction	1	2	3	4
4.9	Of all the people on earth, one group has a special relationship with God	1	2	3	4
4.10	A relationship with Jesus is important, but I will not get to heaven unless I obey God's law	1	2	3	4
4.11	I expect the world as we know it to end within the next 20 years	1	2	3	4
4.12	If I have been baptized, I will make it to heaven if I remain a good person all my life	1	2	3	4
4.13	I believe God created the world in exactly six days of 24 hours each in the relatively recent past	1	2	3	4
4.14	I believe God created the world	1	2	3	4
4.15	If I am to be saved, I need to be baptized into the Seventh-day Adventist church	1	2	3	4
4.16	The Adventist church believes in "present truth" which means beliefs might change over time	1	2	3	4
4.17	The true Sabbath is the seventh-day Saturday	1	2	3	4
4.18	When a person dies their body remains in the grave and their soul sleeps until the resurrection	1	2	3	4
4.19	I believe witchcraft is real and even Christians can go to the witchdoctors for protection.	1	2	3	4
4.20	The fact that men of God, such as Abraham, Jacob, David, and Solomon, were polygamists, shows that God approves polygamy.	1	2	3	4

4.21. Read the following statements carefully: then mark next to ONE statement that is closest to your understanding of what the Bible is.

- € The Bible contains no more truth or wisdom than do the religious books of other world religions
- € The Bible is the work of people who collected stories that had been created to explain the mysteries of life. It contains a great deal of wisdom about the human experience
- € The Bible is the work of people who genuinely loved God and who wanted to share their understanding of God's activity in the world
- € The Bible is the work of people who were inspired by God and who represented God's message in terms of their own place and time
- € The Bible is the work of people who copied what God told them word for word, and who wrote without being influenced by their own place and time

- € The Bible is the work of people who were inspired by God and who, though expressing their message in terms of their own time and place, expressed eternal truths

4.22. Read the following statements carefully; then mark next to ONE statement that is closest to your understanding of the writings of Ellen G. White.

- € I don't know who Ellen G. White is
- € Ellen G. White's writings contain no more truth or wisdom than do the religious works written by leaders of other denominations
- € Ellen G. White was a person who created stories of supernatural guidance in order to explain the mysteries of life. Her writings contain a great deal of wisdom about the human experience
- € Ellen G. White was inspired by God and presented God's message in terms of her own place and time
- € Ellen G. White copied what God told her word for word, and wrote without being influenced by her own place and time

To what extent do you accept the following individual teachings of the Seventh-day Adventist church? Circle the number that describes your best answer.

- | | |
|---|--|
| 1 – I embrace it wholeheartedly | 4 – I have major doubts about it |
| 2 – I accept it because the church teaches it | 5 – I don't accept it |
| 3 – I have some questions about it | 6 – This question is not important to me |

4.23	Jesus Christ is the son of God	1	2	3	4	5	6
4.24	The investigative or pre-Advent judgment began in 1844	1	2	3	4	5	6
4.25	The Church's interpretation of end-time prophecies	1	2	3	4	5	6
4.26	Ellen G. White was an inspired messenger to the Adventist church	1	2	3	4	5	6
4.27	Adventist standards regarding healthful living	1	2	3	4	5	6
4.28	Adventist standards regarding modesty and simplicity in dress	1	2	3	4	5	6

4.29. How would you describe your attitude toward religion and spirituality?

- € I'm religious but not spiritual
- € I'm spiritual but not religious
- € I am both spiritual and religious
- € I am neither spiritual nor religious

*Thank you for helping us with this Church Member Survey.
We sincerely appreciate your help in this research project.*

APPENDIX C – KISWAHILI VERSION


GENERAL CONFERENCE OF SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST
 East-Central Africa Division

UTAFITI WA MISINGI YA IMANI KATIKA KANISA
 Utafiti Wa Washiriki Wa Kanisa La Waadventista Wasabato

IMANI, MISINGI, MAONI, MITAZAMO NA MATENDO

Utafiti huu unahusu unayoyaamini, maisha yako ya imani, maoni yako, mitazamo yako, na unavyoshiriki katika shughuli za kanisa la mahali ulipo. Maelezo yako yatawasaidia viongozi wa kanisa kujua jinsi ya kuimarisha kanisa la mahali ulipo na kuelewa maisha yako ya dini vizuri zaidi. Wewe ni mmoja wa waliochaguliwa kushiriki katika utafiti huu, na msaada wako ni wa muhimu sana.

Utakayoyasema katika utafiti huu yatabaki kuwa siri. Hutaandika jina lako, na wala hakuna namna ya kukutambua kwa jina.

Tafadhari jibu maswali YOTE kwa uaminifu iwezekanavyo. Usiulize mtu mwingine kwamba ujibuje maswali haya. Tunataka kujua hisia zako, unavyoamini, na maoni yako. Usitumie muda mrefu sana kwa swali moja lolote. Jibu kila swali vile unavyoona ni sawa, kisha uende haraka kwa swali linalofuata.

Tunataka ujue kwamba unayo haki ya kutoshiriki katika utafiti huu ikiwa huo ndio uamuzi wako. Majibu yako kwa utafiti huu yatasaidia kufanikisha na kutupa maoni ya watu wengi zaidi. Tunakushukuru sana kwa kutusaidia.

3. HABARI ZAKO BINAFSI

Tunahitaji kujua mambo machache ya muhimu kuhusu wewe. Weka alama ya V kwenye kiboma kinachokuhusu.

3.1. Wewe ni mtu wa rangi gani ya ngozi?

- € Mweusi
- € Mzungu/Mweupe
- € Muasia wa Mashariki
- € Muhispania
- € Muasia wa Kusini
- € Rangi nyinginezo

3.2. Wewe ni wa jinsia gani?

- € Mme
- € Mke

3.3. Wewe ni mshiriki aliyebatizwa wa kanisa la Waadventista Wasabato?

- € Ndiyo
- € Hapana

3.4. Una umri gani?

- | | | |
|---------------------|-----------|---------------------|
| € Chini ya miaka 16 | € 46 – 50 | € Zaidi ya miaka 80 |
| € 16 – 20 | € 51 – 55 | |
| € 21 – 25 | € 56 – 60 | |
| € 26 – 30 | € 61 – 65 | |
| € 31 – 35 | € 66 – 70 | |

- | | |
|-----------|-----------|
| € 36 – 40 | € 71 – 75 |
| € 41 – 45 | € 76 – 80 |

3.5. Unaishi nchi gani? _____

3.6. Umehudhuria ibada kanisani mara ngapi mwaka jana kwa wastani?

- € Sikuhudhuria
- € Mara 1 – 2
- € Mara chache
- € Mara moja kwa mwezi
- € Mara 2-3 kwa mwezi
- € Mara 4 au zaidi kwa mwezi

3.7. Elimu yako ya juu kabisa ni ya kiwango gani?

- € Elimu ya msingi tu
- € Elimu ya msingu na ya sekondari kidogo
- € Nimehitimu elimu ya sekondari
- € Elimu kidogo ya chuo au chuo kikuu
- € Nimehitimu chuo au shahada ya 1 ya chuo kikuu
- € Nimehitimu shahada ya 2 au ya 3 au nina stahada

3.8. Umesoma katika shule, chuo, au chuo kikuu cha Waadventista Wasabato? (Weka alama ya V kwenye viboma vinavyohusika vyote).

- € Sijasoma katika shule za SDA
- € Nilisoma kidogo katika shule ya msingi ya SDA
- € Nilihitimu katika shule ya msingi ya SDA
- € Nilisoma kidogo katika shule ya sekondari ya SDA
- € Nilihitimu katika shule ya sekondari ya SDA
- € Nilisoma kidogo katika chuo au chuo kikuu cha SDA
- € Nilihitimu shahada ya 1 katika chuo au chuo kikuu cha SDA
- € Nilihitimu shahada ya 2 au 3 au stahada katika chuo cha SDA

3.9. Umekuwa Mwadventista Msabato tangu kuzaliwa?

- € Ndiyo
- € Hapana

1.10. Kama sivyo, Je umekuwa Mwadventista Msabato kwa muda gani? (Weka alama ya V kwenye kiboma cha jibu linalokuhusu)

- | | |
|------------------------|---------------------|
| € Chini ya mwaka mmoja | € Miaka 26-30 |
| € Mwaka 1-4 | € Miaka 31-35 |
| € Miaka 5-10 | € Miaka 36-40 |
| € Miaka 11-15 | € Miaka 41-45 |
| € Miaka 16-20 | € Miaka 46-50 |
| € Miaka 21-25 | € Zaidi ya miaka 50 |

1.11. Umeajiriwa na taasisi inayomilikiwa au inayoshirikiana na kanisa la Waadventista Wasabato?

- € Ndiyo
- € Hapana

4. HABARI ZA KANISA LAKO

Fikiria kanisa la mahali unaposhiriki sasa. Weka alama ya V kwenye kiboma cha usemi unaoonyesha hali ya kanisa lako.

4.1. Unahudhuria ibada kanisani kwako mara ngapi?

- € Mara chache kwa mwaka
- € Mara moja kwa mwezi au kwa miezi miwili
- € Mara mbili au tatu kwa mwezi
- € Karibu mara moja kwa juma
- € Zaidi ya mara moja kwa juma

4.2. NINGEPENDELEA kwenda kanisani:

- € Mara chache kwa mwaka
- € Mara moja kwa mwezi au kwa miezi miwili
- € Mara mbili au tatu kwa mwezi
- € Karibu mara moja kwa juma
- € Zaidi ya mara moja kwa juma

4.3. Unashirikije katika kanisa lako?

- € Sishiriki kabisa katika shughuli za kanisa
- € Mimi ni mtazamaji
- € Ninashiriki kidogo
- € Ninashiriki kikamilifu
- € Mimi ni kiongozi katika kanisa langu

4.4. Unaridhika kiasi gani na kanisa unaloshiriki? (Zungushia nambari moja)

Siridhiki kabisa	Naridhika kiasi				Naridhika sana				
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10

4.5. Ni nini katika kanisa kinaweza kukufanya ufikirie kuacha kanisa lako la Waadventista Wasabato na kwenda kuabudu katika *kanisa lenye imani tofauti*?

- € Ikiwa mahubiri yamepoa
- € Ikiwa kanisa ni baridi na halina urafiki
- € Ikiwa hakuna shughuli baada ya ibada ya Jumamosi
- € Ikiwa ibada haziridhishi
- € Sababu nyingine _____ (Itaje)

4.6. Ni nini katika kanisa kinaweza kukufanya ufikirie kuacha kanisa lako la Waadventista Wasabato la mahali ulipo na kwenda kuabudu katika *kanisa jingine la Waadventista Wasabato*?

- € Ikiwa mahubiri yamepoa
- € Ikiwa kanisa ni baridi na halina urafiki
- € Ikiwa hakuna shughuli baada ya ibada ya Jumamosi
- € Ikiwa ibada haziridhishi
- € Sababu nyingine _____ (Itaje)

4.7. Ni nini katika kanisa kinaweza kukufanya ufikirie kuacha kanisa lako la Waadventista Wasabato la mahali ulipo na uamue kuabudu *nyumbani kwako*?

- € Ikiwa mahubiri yamepoa
- € Ikiwa kanisa ni baridi na halina urafiki
- € Ikiwa hakuna shughuli baada ya ibada ya Jumamosi
- € Ikiwa ibada haziridhishi
- € Sababu nyingine _____ (Itaje)

Fikiria uzoefu wako katika kanisa lako. (Kuhusu mambo kama vile Shule ya Sabato, Mafundisho ya Biblia, mipango ya vijana, kushuhudia, ibada, na mengine kama hayo). Zungushia namba unayoona inastahili kwa kila usemi ufuatao:

1 – hapana 2 – wakati mwingine 3 – mara kwa mara 4 – karibu wakati wote

2.8	Programu katika kanisa langu zinavutia	1	2	3	4
2.9	Programu katika kanisa langu zinanifanya nifikiri	1	2	3	4
2.10	Walimu au viongozi wangu wa Shule ya Sabato wanajua vizuri	1	2	3	4
2.11	Mchungaji wangu anajua vizuri	1	2	3	4
2.12	Viongozi katika kanisa letu ni wachangamfu	1	2	3	4
2.13	Niko huru ninapokuwa kanisani	1	2	3	4
2.14	Viongozi katika kanisa letu wanajali	1	2	3	4
2.15	Huwa nina hamu ya kuhudhuria programu za kanisa langu	1	2	3	4
2.16	Ninahudhuria programu za kanisa kwa kupenda	1	2	3	4
2.17	Kanisa langu linasaidia kuwa karibu na Kristo zaidi	1	2	3	4
2.18	Ninahudhuria mikutano ya vikundi inayoandaliwa na kanisa	1	2	3	4
2.19	Najihisi vibaya au kuwa na hatia ninapokosa kwenda kanisani Sabato nyingi	1	2	3	4
2.20	Ninajivunia kanisa langu pamoja na huduma na sifa yake katika jamii yangu	1	2	3	4

Je unasaidia kanisa lako kwa michango yako? Ikiwa jibu lako ni NDIYO, jibu maswali 2.21 – 2.29. Ikiwa jibu lako ni HAPANA, nenda swali la 2.30. Zungushia nambari inayoonyesha kushiriki kwako katika mambo yafuatayo kanisani kwako.

**1 – Hapana 2 – Kwa nadra 3 – Wakati mwingine 4 – Mara kwa mara
5 – Wakati wote 6 – Halinihusu**

2.21	Kwa njia ya zaka yangu	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.22	Sadaka za Shule ya Sabato	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.23	Elimu ya kikristo	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.24	Mfuko wa ujenzi wa kanisa	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.25	Programu ya kanisa ya utume (kuhubiri) ulimwenguni kote	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.26	Miradi ya kanisa ya uinjilisti	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.27	Ninatoa ziada kwa ajili ya sadaka ya Sabato ya 13	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.28	Ninasaidia shule ya kanisa langu mahali nilipo	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.29	Kwa njia ya kutoa urithi/mirathi na kuwekeza	1	2	3	4	5	6

Kwenye kipimo cha 1 hadi 5, 1 ikiwa ni chini kabisa kumaanisha “hapana kabisa” na 5 ikiwa ni juu kabisakumaanisha “vizuri sana,” unamwonaje mchungaji wako katika kila moja ya mambo yafuatayo? Zungushia nambari inayoonyesha jibu lako.

Hapana kabisa

Vizuri sana

	1	2	3	4	5
2.30	Anafurahia huduma ya uchungaji				1 2 3 4 5
2.31	Anasaidia wakati wa shida				1 2 3 4 5
2.32	Anavutia				1 2 3 4 5
2.33	Wakati mwingine anawatembelea washiriki wa kanisa nyumbani kwao				1 2 3 4 5
2.34	Anajali mahitaji ya wengine				1 2 3 4 5
2.35	Ni mhubiri mzuri				1 2 3 4 5
2.36	Anaonyesha uongozi wa kweli wa kiroho katika kanisa letu				1 2 3 4 5
2.37	Anapokea mawazo mapya				1 2 3 4 5
2.38	Yuko makini katika majukumu ya kichungaji				1 2 3 4 5

Katika uzoefu wako wa kanisa la Waadventista Wasabato na wa uongozi wa kanisa la mahali ulipo, ni mara ngapi mambo yafuatayo ni kweli au si kweli? Zungushia nambari inayoonyesha jibu lako:

- 1 – Sina jibu 2 – Si kweli kabisa 3 – Ni kweli mara chache 4 – Ni kweli
5 – Ni kweli mara kwa mara 6 – Ni kweli wakati wote

Viongozi wa kanisa la mahali ulipo...

2.39	Wanakubali mawazo mapya	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.40	Wanaonyesha wazi utume wa kanisa	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.41	Wanajitahidi kuhusisha washiriki katika utume wa kanisa	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.42	Ni rahisi kuongea nao	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.43	Wana bidii ya kusaidia kanisa letu	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.44	Wanashughulikia mahitaji ya jamii tuliyomo	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.45	Hawashughuliki na mahitaji ya kanisa letu	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.46	Wanashirikisha vijana katika huduma ya ibada	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.47	Ni wabunifu	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.48	Wanasaidia shule yetu ya kanisa au ya konferensi	1	2	3	4	5	6

2.49. Je ni nini kilichokuvutia hata ukaanza kuhudhuria kanisa la mahali ulipo? (Unaweza kuchagua jibu zaidi ya moja kwa kuweka alama ya V kwenye kiboma husika)

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| € Rafiki zangu wako hapa | € Sifa ya kanisa |
| € Programu ya elimu ya watu wazima | € Programu ya watoto na vijana |
| € Programu ya muziki au nyimbo | € Huduma na uinjilisti katika jamii |
| € Namna ya ibada | € Vikundi vya shughuli za kujitegemea |
| € Mafundisho ya kanisa | € Mshikamano wa kikanisa |
| € Mchungaji | € Programu ya uinjilisti |
| € Ukaribu na mahali ninapoishi | |
| € Sababu nyingine: _____ | (Itaje) |

2.50. Je ni nini kinachokufanyauendelee kuwa mshiriki wa kanisa la mahali ulipo? (Unaweza kuchagua jibu zaidi ya moja kwa kuweka alama ya V kwenye kiboma husika)

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| € Rafiki zangu wako hapa | € Sifa ya kanisa |
| € Programu ya elimu ya watu wazima | € Programu ya watoto na vijana |
| € Programu ya muziki au nyimbo | € Huduma na uinjilisti katika jamii |
| € Namna ya ibada | € Vikundi vya shughuli za kujitegemea |
| € Mafundisho ya kanisa | € Mshikamano wa kikanisa |
| € Mchungaji | € Programu ya uinjilisti |

€ Ukaribu na mahali ninapoishi

€ Sababu nyingine: _____ (Itaje)

Je sifa zifuatazo ni za muhimu kiasi gani kwa mchungaji wa kanisa lako? Zungushia nambari ya jibu lako:

1 – Si muhimu 2 – Muhimu kidogo 3 – Muhimu kiasi 4 – Muhimu hasa 5 – Muhimu sana

2.51	Ujuzi wa mambo ya kibiblia na kitheologia	1	2	3	4	5
2.52	Mkazo juu ya kuendelea na kukua kiroho	1	2	3	4	5
2.53	Mawazo mapya na changamoto	1	2	3	4	5
2.54	Kufariji na kutia moyo	1	2	3	4	5
2.55	Mahubiri na mafundisho ya Biblia	1	2	3	4	5
2.56	Kuhubiri na kufundisha kuhusu masuala ya siku hizi	1	2	3	4	5
2.57	Mbinu mpya na mawazo mapya	1	2	3	4	5
2.58	Anafanya mambo kama kawaida ya siku zote	1	2	3	4	5
2.59	Anafanya maamuzi imara na thabiti	1	2	3	4	5
2.60	Anawapa washiriki nafasi ya kuamua	1	2	3	4	5
2.61	Anahusiana na watu kwa namna isiyo rasmi	1	2	3	4	5
2.62	Anahusiana na watu kirasmi	1	2	3	4	5
2.63	Anafanya kazi kwa bidii ili kutimiza majukumu yake	1	2	3	4	5
2.64	Anajali hisia za wengine kuliko kutimiza malengo yake	1	2	3	4	5
2.65	Anasaidia watu kutatua matatizo yao wenyewe	1	2	3	4	5
2.66	Anawashauri watu nini cha kufanya	1	2	3	4	5
2.67	Anafikiri kwa makini na haongei ovyo ovyo	1	2	3	4	5
2.68	Anahusiana na watu kwa urahisi	1	2	3	4	5
2.69	Anajali kazi yake na maisha ya familia yake	1	2	3	4	5
2.70	Anajitoa kikamilifu kwa kanisa	1	2	3	4	5

2.71. Kwa ujumla, unafikiri kanisa linahitaji kuongeza au kuboresha jitihada zake za uinjilisti kwa kiasi gani?

- € Tunafanya uinjilisti wa kupita kiasi kwa sasa
- € Tunafanya uinjilisti wa kutosha
- € Tunahitaji kuongeza au kuboresha kidogo
- € Tunahitaji kuongeza au kuboresha zaidi sana

2.72. Kwa ujumla, unafikiri kanisa linahitaji kuongeza au kuboresha jitihada zake za kutunza na kufundisha washirikikwa kiasi gani?

- € Tunatunza na kufundisha washiriki kupita kiasi kwa sasa
- € Tunatunza na kufundisha washiriki kiasi cha kutosha
- € Tunahitaji kuongeza au kuboresha kidogo
- € Tunahitaji kuongeza au kuboresha zaidi sana

2.73. Je, uko tayari kiasi gani kushiriki katika uinjilisti unaofanywa na kanisa lako?

- € Siko tayari
- € Niko tayari kidogo
- € Niko tayari kiasi
- € Niko tayari sana

2.74. Nisiposhiriki katika ibada za kanisa mahali nilipo, nahisi imani yangu inaweza kufifia taratibu

- € Sivyo kabisa
- € Ndivyo kwa kiasi kidogo

- € Ndivyo kwa kiasi
- € Ndivyo kwa kiasi kikubwa

2.75. Ninatumia maelezo kutoka kwa mtandao wa “internet” (www) kama njia ya kukuza imani yangu.

- € Sivyo kabisa
- € Ndivyo kwa kiasi kidogo
- € Ndivyo kwa kiasi
- € Ndivyo kwa kiasi kikubwa

5. MAISHA YAKO YA KIROHO

Je, kila moja ya mambo yafuatayo yamekusaidiaje kukua kiroho? Zungushia nambari inayoonyesha jibu lako. Ikiwa huhusiki, chagua “Halinihusu”. Chagua kati ya majibu yafuatayo:

1 – Halinihusu 2 – Halinisaidii 3 – Wakati mwingine 4 – Mara kwa mara 5 – Sana

3.1	Shule ya Sabato	1	2	3	4	5
3.2	Kusoma Biblia na maombi ya binafsi	1	2	3	4	5
3.3	Ibada za kanisani	1	2	3	4	5
3.4	Ibada za familia	1	2	3	4	5
3.5	Mikutano ya maombi	1	2	3	4	5
3.6	Majuma ya maombi kanisani	1	2	3	4	5
3.7	Mikutano ya kiroho mbali na kanisa	1	2	3	4	5
3.8	Huduma za kanisa kwa jamii	1	2	3	4	5
3.9	Miradi ya muda mfupi ya kimeshanari	1	2	3	4	5
3.10	Kusoma katika shule ya kiadventista	1	2	3	4	5
3.11	Kushuhudia kwa njia ya kufundisha Biblia, kutawanya vitabu na magazeti, n.k.	1	2	3	4	5
3.12	Mikutano inayofadhiliwa na konferensi	1	2	3	4	5
3.13	Mchungaji wa kanisa	1	2	3	4	5
3.14	Mchungaji wa vijana	1	2	3	4	5
3.15	Wazee wa kanisa langu	1	2	3	4	5
3.16	Mwongozo wa Shule ya Sabato wa kusoma Biblia	1	2	3	4	5
3.17	Mikutano ya uinjilisti ya hadhara	1	2	3	4	5
3.18	Shughuli za vikundi vidogo vidogo	1	2	3	4	5
3.19	Magazeti ya kiadventista ya Union au ya Divisheni	1	2	3	4	5
3.20	Gazeti la kiadventista la Adventist Review/Adventist World	1	2	3	4	5
3.21	Magazeti ya kanisa kwenye mtandao	1	2	3	4	5
3.22	Familia	1	2	3	4	5
3.23	Marafiki	1	2	3	4	5
3.24	Mtandao wa “internet”	1	2	3	4	5
3.25	Redio ya kiadventista	1	2	3	4	5
3.26	Televisiyo ya kiadventista	1	2	3	4	5
3.27	Mahubiri ya mchungaji	1	2	3	4	5

Fikiria kanisa unaloshiriki mahali ulipo. Maneno yafuatayo ni kweli kiasi gani kuhusu kanisa lako? (Zungushia MOJA kati ya majibu 6 yafuatayo, 2 = Si kweli kabisa na 5 = Ni kweli kabisa).

Sihudhurii kanisani Si kweli kabisa

Ni kweli kabisa

1 2 3 4 5

3.28	Kanisa limechangamka	1	2	3	4	5
3.29	Ninajifunza mengi	1	2	3	4	5
3.30	Kanisa linakubali watu walio na mawazo tofauti	1	2	3	4	5
3.31	Washiriki walio wengi wanataka wapewe changamoto ya kufikiria masuala na mawazo ya kidini	1	2	3	4	5
3.32	Kanisa lina mvuto kwa watu	1	2	3	4	5
3.33	Kanisa linatoa changamoto kwa mafikara yangu	1	2	3	4	5
3.34	Kanisa linanitia moyo kuuliza maswali	1	2	3	4	5
3.35	Wageni wanajisikia wako nyumbani	1	2	3	4	5
3.36	Watu wanategemewa kujifunza na kufikiria	1	2	3	4	5
3.37	Ninabarikiwa wakati wa ibada	1	2	3	4	5
3.38	Kuna nyakati za kujumuika na kuburudika pamoja	1	2	3	4	5

3.39. Ni lipi kati ya mambo yafuatayo linaonyesha kujitoa kwako kwa Yesu Kristo (WEKA ALAMA YA V KWA MOJA)

- € Sijajitoa kwa Kristo
- € Sina hakika kama nimejitoa kwa Kristo
- € Niliwahi kujitoa kwa Kristo wakati fulani, lakini sikuendelea.
- € Kujitoa kwangu kwa Kristo kumeendelea taratibu kwa muda fulani
- € Kujitoa kwangu kwa Kristo kulikuja ghafula nami nilibadilika
- € Nimejitoa kwa Kristo tangu utotoni na ninaendelea kujitoa kwake

Je, maneno yafuatayo ni kweli kiasi gani kwako binafsi? Jibu maswali yafuatayo kwa kuzungushia nambari 1 hadi 5, 1 ikiwa ni “Sivyo” na 5 ikiwa ni “Mara kwa mara”.

Sivyo 1 2 3 4 5 Mara kwa mara

3.40	Ninawasaidia wengine kuhusu maswali na matatizo yao ya kiroho	1	2	3	4	5
3.41	Ninatafuta njia za kunisaidia kukua kiroho	1	2	3	4	5
3.42	Nahisi ninao wajibu mkubwa wa kusaidia wanaoumia na kuteseka ulimwenguni	1	2	3	4	5
3.43	Ninatoa kiasi kikubwa cha muda na fedha kusaidia watu wengine	1	2	3	4	5
3.44	Ninahisi Mungu yuko nami katika uhusiano wangu na watu wengine	1	2	3	4	5
3.45	Ninahisi kuna maana na makusudi ya maisha yangu	1	2	3	4	5
3.46	Ninaonyesha kuwa ninajali sana kuhusu kupunguza umaskini katika nchi yangu na ulimwengu wote	1	2	3	4	5
3.47	Ninatumia imani yangu katika masuala ya kisiasa na kijamii	1	2	3	4	5
3.48	Mambo ninayofanya yanaonyesha kuwa nimejitoa kwa Yesu Kristo	1	2	3	4	5
3.49	Ninaongea na watu wengine kuhusu imani yangu	1	2	3	4	5
3.50	Nina hisia halisi kwamba Mungu ananiongoza	1	2	3	4	5
3.51	Ninaguswa kiroho na uzuri wa uumbaji wa Mungu	1	2	3	4	5

Yafuatayo ni maswali machache kuhusu mtazamo wako kwa mambo ya dini. Zungushia

nambari inayoonyesha jibu lako.

1 – Sikubali kabisa

3 – Sina hakika

5 – Ninakubali kabisa

2 – Ninakataa kidogo

4 – Ninakubali kidogo

3.52	Ninafurahia kusoma habari kuhusu Waadventista Wasabato	1	2	3	4	5
3.53	Ninaenda kanisani kwa sababu inanisaidia kupata marafiki	1	2	3	4	5
3.54	Sijali sana kile kinachoamini ili mradi mimi ni mtu mwema	1	2	3	4	5
3.55	Wakati mwingine inanibidi niache imani yangu kwa sababu ya vile watu wanavyoweza kunifikiria	1	2	3	4	5
3.56	Ni jambo la muhimu kwangu kutumia muda kutafakari na kuomba	1	2	3	4	5
3.57	Nimehisi mara nyingi kuwa Mungu yuko pamoja nami	1	2	3	4	5
3.58	Ninaomba tu kwa ajili ya kupata nafuu na ulinzi	1	2	3	4	5
3.59	Ninajaribu sana kuishi kulingana na imani yangu	1	2	3	4	5
3.60	Jambo la maana sana kwangu katika dini ni faraja wakati wa shida	1	2	3	4	5
3.61	Dini yangu ni ya muhimu kwa sababu inajibu maswali mengi kuhusu maana ya maisha	1	2	3	4	5
3.62	Ni heri nijiunge na kikundi cha kujifunza Biblia kuliko kikundi cha kanisa cha maburudisho	1	2	3	4	5
3.63	Maombi ni kwa ajili ya kupata amani na furaha	1	2	3	4	5
3.64	Ingawa nina dini, siruhusu dini iathiri maisha yangu ya kila siku	1	2	3	4	5
3.65	Ninakwenda kanisani hasa kwa ajili ya kukutana na rafiki zangu	1	2	3	4	5
3.66	Mtazamo wangu wote wa maisha unatokana na dini yangu	1	2	3	4	5
3.67	Ninakwenda kanisani hasa kwa sababu ninafurahia kuonana na watu ninaowafahamu hapo kanisani	1	2	3	4	5
3.68	Ninaomba hasa kwa vile nimefundishwa kuomba	1	2	3	4	5
3.69	Maombi ninayoomba nikiwa peke yangu ni ya muhimu kwangu sawa na yale ninayoomba nikiwa kanisani	1	2	3	4	5
3.70	Ingawa ninaamini dini niliyonayo, kuna mambo mengine mengi yaliyo ya muhimu zaidi kwangu	1	2	3	4	5

Maagizo: Ni mara ngapi umefanya lolote kati ya mambo yafuatayo? Zungushia nambari inayoonyesha jibu lako.

1 – Sijafanya 3 – Karibu mara moja kwa juma 5 – Kila siku au zaidi ya mara moja kwa siku

2 – Chini ya mara moja kwa mwezi 4 – Zaidi ya mara moja kwa juma

3.71	Kusoma Biblia	1	2	3	4	5
3.72	Kuwa na maombi ya binafsi	1	2	3	4	5
3.73	Kusoma maandiko ya Ellen G. White	1	2	3	4	5
3.74	Kuwa na ibada ya familia nyumbani	1	2	3	4	5

Unaendelea vizuri sana na karibu unamaliza. Ifuatayo ni sehemu ya mwisho ya utafiti wetu.

4. KUHUSU MAMBO UNAYOAMINI

Zungushia nambari inayoonyesha jibu lako. Chagua moja kati ya majibu yafuatayo.
(Hatukutegemei ukubaliane na mambo yote yafuatayo).

1 – Sikubali kabisa 2 – Sikubali kidogo 3 – Ninakubali kidogo 4 – Ninakubali kabisa

4.1	Mungu anawapenda watu wote, na hivyo atanikubali wakati wa mwisho ikiwa mimi ni mtu mwema	1	2	3	4
4.2	Ninamwamini Mungu ambaye anatafuta kuwa na uhusiano na wanadamu	1	2	3	4
4.3	Ukweli ni kwamba kuna makundi mawili tu ya watu ulimwenguni: wenye haki ambao Mungu atawapa zawadi ya uzima wa milele, na wasio haki ambao watapotea milele	1	2	3	4
4.4	Ukristo unahusu Yesu kunipa uwezo wa kushinda dhambi katika maisha yangu	1	2	3	4
4.5	Ninaokoka ninapoamini na kukubali yote aliyonifanyia Yesu	1	2	3	4
4.6	Ninaamini kwamba Yesu alizaliwa na bikira	1	2	3	4
4.7	Kanisa la Waadventista Wasabato ni kanisa la Mungu la kweli la siku za mwisho lililo na ujumbe wa kuandaa ulimwengu kwa ajili ya kuja kwa Kristo mara ya pili	1	2	3	4
4.8	Hakuna mafundisho au maandiko ambayo hayana kabisa makosa au kupingana	1	2	3	4
4.9	Kati ya watu wote duniani, kuna kundi moja lililo na uhusiano wa pekee na Mungu	1	2	3	4
4.10	Kuwa na uhusiano na Yesu ni muhimu, lakini sitafika mbinguni nisipotii sheria ya Mungu	1	2	3	4
4.11	Ninategemea ulimwengu wa sasa kufikia mwisho wake katika miaka 20 ijayo	1	2	3	4
4.12	Ikiwa nimebatizwa, nitafika mbinguni kama nitadumu kuwa mtu mwema maisha yangu yote	1	2	3	4
4.13	Ninaamini Mungu aliumba ulimwengu kwa siku sita kamili zenye saa 24 kila moja miaka michache iliyopita	1	2	3	4
4.14	Ninaamini Mungu aliumba ulimwengu	1	2	3	4
4.15	Ili niokoke, inabidi nibatizwe katika kanisa la Waadventista Wasabato	1	2	3	4
4.16	Kanisa la Waadventista linaamini “ukweli wa sasa” ikiwa na maana kuwa mafundisho ya imani yanaweza kubadilika baada ya muda Fulani	1	2	3	4
4.17	Sabato ya kweli ni siku ya saba ya juma ambayo ni Jumamosi	1	2	3	4
4.18	Mtu anapokufa mwili wake hubaki kaburini na roho yake hulala hadi siku ya ufufuo	1	2	3	4
4.19	Ninaamini uchawi upo na hata wakristo wanaweza kuwaendea waganga wa kienyeji kwa ajili ya kupata kinga	1	2	3	4
4.20	Ikiwa watu wa Mungu kama vile Ibrahimu, Yakobo, Daudi, na Sulemani walioa wake wengi, inaonyesha kuwa Mungu anakubaliana na ndoa ya wake wengi	1	2	3	4

4.21. Soma maelezo yafuatayo kwa makini kisha weka alama ya V kwenye kiboma cha maelezo yanayokaribiana sana na jinsi unavyoielewa Biblia.

€ Biblia haina ukweli au hekima zaidi ya ile ipatikanayo katika vitabu vya dini nyingine za ulimwengu

APPENDIX D – KINYARWANDA VERSION



GENERAL CONFERENCE OF SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST East-Central Africa Division

Valuegenesis Church Research Survey Instrument Seventh-day Adventist Church Member Survey

KWIZERA, IMYEMERERE, IMITEKEREREZE, IMYIFATIRE N'IBIKORWA

Ibi bibazo birebana n'imyemerere yawe, ukwizera ufite, uko ubona ibintu, imyifatire no kwitanga kwawe mu itorero usengeramo. Amakuru utanga azafasha abayobozi b'itorero kumenya uburyo bakongerera imbaraga itorero ryawe no gusobanukirwa biruseho n'imibereho yawe mu by'iyobokamana. Uri umwe mu batoranyirijwe kugira uruhare rwo gutanga amakuru, kandi inkunga yawe ni ingenzi cyane.

Ibisubizo utanga kuri ibi bibazo ntibisaba kumenyekanisha amazina. Ntitugusaba kwandikaho amazina yawe, kandi nta n'ikindi kintu cy'ibanga ryihishemo ngo kimenyekanishe uwo uriwe.

Turagusaba gusubiza ibibazo BYOSE ukoresheje ukuri. Ntugire undi ubaza uko ukwiriye gusubiza. Turifuza kumenya uko ubona ibintu, imyemerere yawe, n'imatekerereze ubifiteho. Ntutinde cyane ku kibazo runaka. Buri kibazo ugusubize uko wumva bikwiriye rwose, maze ukomeze utyo no ku gikurikiyeho.

Dukeneye ko umenya ko ufite uburenganzira bwo kugira uruhare niba ari cyo cyifuzo cyawe. Gusubiza ibi bibazo byose bizadufasha kugira ngo ibyo tuzaba tubonye bishyirwe mu bikorwa ku nzego zose kandi mu buryo bwuzuye. Turagushimiye byimazeyo kuba wemeye kudufasha.

1. AMAKURU AKWEREKEYE

Dukeneye kugira ibyo tumenya bikwerekeye. Hitamo igisubizo kimwe kikwerekeye.

1.1. Ni buryo ki wasobanura ubwoko bwawe?

- € Umwirabura
- € Umunyakokaze/Umwera
- € Umunyaziya w'Ibuvazuba
- € Umulatini/Umuhispanike
- € Umunyaziya wo mu Majyepfo
- € Ubundi

1.2. Igitsina cyawe ni ikihe?

- € Gabo
- € Gore

1.3. Uri umwizera wabatijwe w'Itorero ry'Abadiventisti b'Umunsi wa Karindwi?

- € Yego
- € Oya

1.4. Ufite imyaka ingahe?

- € Mfite imyaka itageze kuri 15
- € 46 – 50
- € Hejuru y'imyaka 80

€ 16 – 20	€ 51 – 55
€ 21 – 25	€ 56 – 60
€ 26 – 30	€ 61 – 65
€ 31 – 35	€ 66 – 70
€ 36 – 40	€ 71 – 75
€ 41 – 45	€ 76 – 80

1.5. Uba mu kihe gihugu ? _____

1.6. Ugereranyije, ni nk'inshuro zingahe waba warazaga mu materaniro y'itorero mu mwaka ushize?

- € Nta n'imwe
- € 1 – 2
- € Ibihe bikeya
- € Rimwe mu kwezi
- € Inshuro 2-3 mu kwezi
- € Inshuro 4 cyangwa zirenga mu kwezi

1.7. Ni uruhe rwego rwo hejuru rw'amashuri wagarukiyemo?

- € Amashuri abanza gusa
- € Amashuri abanza n'imyaka mikeya y'amashuri yisumbuye
- € Narangije amashuri yisumbuye
- € Nageze mu mashuri makuru na kaminuza
- € Narangije amashuri makuru na kaminuza
- € Narangije icyiciro cya "Masters" na Dogitora cyangwa ikindi gihwanye n'ibyo.

1.8. Waba warize mu Ishuri ry'Abadiventiste, Koleji cyangwa Kaminuza? (Subiza ibihwanye n'aho wize byose)

- € Sinigeze niga mu ishuri ry'Abadiventiste
- € Imyaka imwe y'amashuri abanza nayigiye mu mashuri y'Abadiventisti
- € Amashuri abanza yose nayarangirije mu mashuri y'Abadiventisti
- € Imyaka imwe y'amashuri yisumbuye nayigiye mu mashuri y'Abadiventisti
- € Amashuri yisumbuye yose nayarangirije mu mashuri y'Abadiventisti
- € Imyaka imwe y'amashuri Makuru cyangwa iya Kaminuza nayigiye mu mashuri y'Abadiventisti
- € Amashuri Makuru cyangwa aya Kaminuza nayarangirije mu mashuri y'Abadiventisti
- € Narangirije ibyiciro by'ikirenga (Masters & Doctorat) mu mashuri y'Abadiventisti

1.9. Wabaye Umudiventisti w'Umunsi wa Karindwi kuva ukivuka?

- € Yego
- € Oya

1.10. Niba ari oya, waba noneho umaze igihe kingana iki ubaye Umudiventisti w'Umunsi wa Karindwi? (Ni ikihe gisubizo kikubereye cyiza kurutaho?)

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| € Sindamara umwaka umwe | € Imyaka 26-30 |
| € Umwaka 1-4 | € Imyaka 31-35 |
| € Imyaka 5-10 | € Imyaka 36-40 |
| € Imyaka 11-15 | € Imyaka 41-45 |
| € Imyaka 16-20 | € Imyaka 46-50 |
| € Imyaka 21-25 | € Imyaka irenga 50 |

1. 11. Waba uri umukozi w'ikigo cy'itorero cyangwa ikigo gishamikiye kw'Itorero ry'Abadiventisti b'Umunsi wa Karindwi?

- € Yego
- € Oya

2. IBYEREKERANYE N'ITORERO USENGERAMO

Tekereza ku itorero ubu usengeramo. Ni buryo ki ibi bikurikira bigaragaza ukuri kugendanye n'itorero usengeramo?

2.1. Ni inshuro zingahe uboneka mu materaniro ku itorero ryawe?

- € Inshuro nkeya mu mwaka cyangwa gake cyane mu mwaka
- € Inshuro imwe cyangwa ebyiri buri kwezi
- € Inshuro ebyiri cyangwa eshatu mu kwezi
- € Nk'inshuro imwe mu cyumweru
- € Inshuro zirenze imwe mu cyumweru

2.2. ICYIFUZO cyanjye ni uko najya gusenga:

- € Inshuro nkeya mu mwaka cyangwa gake cyane mu mwaka
- € Inshuro imwe cyangwa ebyiri buri kwezi
- € Inshuro ebyiri cyangwa eshatu mu kwezi
- € Nk'inshuro imwe mu cyumweru
- € Inshuro zirenze imwe mu cyumweru

2.3. Ni gute wasobanura ubwitange bwawe mu mirimo y'itorero? (Erekana igisubizo kigaragaza cyane imikoranire yawe n'itorero ryawe usengeramo)

- € Singira uruhare na ruto mu mirimo y'itorero
- € Mbona meze nk'indorezezi
- € Nkora imirimo rimwe na rimwe
- € Mbona nitanga rwose mu murimo
- € Mbona nkora nk'umuyobozi mu itorero

2.4. Ni buryo ki wumva unyuzwe n'itorero ryawe usengeramo? (Ca akaziga kuri kimwe)

Sinyuzwe rwose			Ntacyo bimbwiye				Ndanyuzwe cyane		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10

2.5. Ni izihe gahunda z'imibereho y'itorero ubona zagutera kumva wava mu itorero ry'Abadiventiste usengeramo ukajya gusengera mu rindi torero rifite indi myizerere?

- € Kubona ibibwirizwa birambirana
- € Kubona ko mu itorero hari ubukonje, nta bucuti ubonamo
- € Kubona nta zindi gahunda zifasha abizera usibye izo mu mpera y'icyumweru gusa
- € Kubona gahunda zo kuramya zidasobanutse
- € Ikindi _____ (Vuga ikindi kintu cyagutera kuva mu itorero)

2.6. Ni izihe gahunda z'imibereho y'itorero ubona zagutera kumva wava mu itorero ryawe ry'Abadiventiste usanzwe usengeramo ukajya gusengera mu rindi torero ry'Abadiventiste?

- € Kubona ibibwirizwa birambirana
- € Kubona ko mu itorero hari ubukonje, nta bucuti ubonamo
- € Kubona nta zindi gahunda zifasha abizera usibye izo mu mpera y'icyumweru gusa
- € Kubona gahunda zo kuramya zidasobanutse
- € Ikindi _____ (Vuga ikindi kintu cyagutera kuva mu itorero)

2.7. Ni izihe gahunda z'imibereho y'itorero ubona zagutera kumva wava mu itorero ryawe ry'Abadiventiste usanzwe usengeramo ukajya usengera mu rugo?

- € Kubona ibibwirizwa birambirana
- € Kubona ko mu itorero hari ubukonje, nta bucuti ubonamo
- € Kubona nta zindi gahunda zifasha abizera usibye izo mu mpera y'icyumweru gusa
- € Kubona gahunda zo kuramya zidasobanutse
- € Ikindi _____ (Vuga ikindi kintu cyagutera kuva mu itorero)

Tekereza ku mibereho yawe n'itorero ryawe. (Tuvuge nko mu by'Ishuri ryo ku Isabato, Ibyigisho bya Bibiliya, gahunda z'urubyiruko, amavuna, gahunda zo kuramya, n'ibindi nk'ibyo.) Kuri buri

gahunda muri izi zikurikira, tubwize ukuri uko ubyibonamo ukoresheje guca akaziga ku mubare uvuga ibyawe neza:

1 – nta na rimwe

2 – rimwe na rimwe

3 – kenshi

4 – hafi igihe cyose

2.8	Gahunda zo mu itorero ryanjye zirashimisha	1	2	3	4
2.9	Gahunda zo mu itorero ryanjye zikangura intekerezo zanjye	1	2	3	4
2.10	Abayobozi banjye mu Ishuri ryo ku Isabato baranzi neza	1	2	3	4
2.11	Pasitoro wanjye aranzi neza	1	2	3	4
2.12	Abayobozi mu itorero usanga bashyushye bafite n'urukundo	1	2	3	4
2.13	Numva nisanzura mu itorero	1	2	3	4
2.14	Abayobozi bo mu itorero ryanjye banyitaho	1	2	3	4
2.15	Mba niteguye gushyirwa muri gahunda zo mu itorero	1	2	3	4
2.16	Njya muri gahunda z'itorero kuko mbishaka	1	2	3	4
2.17	Itorero ryanjye rimfasha gukura nkarushaho gusa na Kristo	1	2	3	4
2.18	Nitabira inama z'amatsinda zitegurwa n'itorero	1	2	3	4
2.19	Numva ntanzezerewe/mfite igishinja iyo ntagiye gusenga	1	2	3	4
2.20	Nshimishwa n'uko itorero ryanjye rizwi kandi rivugwa mu baturanyi banjye	1	2	3	4

Ushyigikira itorero ryawe utanga ku butunzi? Niba ari YEGO, subiza ibibazo bikurikira 2.21 – 2.29 uhitamo umubare ubigaragaza. Niba ari OYA, komereza ku kibazo cya 2.30. Ca akaziga ku mubare ugaragaza neza ukwitanga kwawe muri gahunda z'itorero zikurikira. *Hitamo muri ibi bisubizo:*

1 – Nta na rimwe

2 – Gake

3 – Rimwe na rimwe

4 – Kenshi

5 – Iteka

6 – Ntibiba iwacu

2.21	Ntanga icyacumi	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.22	Amaturo y'Ishuri ryo ku Isabato	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.23	Ituro ry'Uburezi	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.24	Ay'inyubako	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.25	Ay'ibwirizabutumwa	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.26	Ay'imishinga idasanze y'ivugabutumwa	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.27	Ntanga menshi y'Isabato ya 13	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.28	Ntanga ayo kubaka ishuri ry'itorero	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.29	Ntanga imirage n'indagano	1	2	3	4	5	6

Ku gipimo kiva kuri 1 kugeza kuri 5 aho 1 rivuga hasi cyane “nta na rimwe” naho 5 kavuga hejuru cyane “Ni byiza cyane,” ni buryo ki ibi bikurikira bigaragaza imikorere y'umupasitoro wawe? Ca akaziga ku mubare werekana neza igisubizo cyawe.

Nta na rimwe

1

2

3

4

Ni byiza cyane

5

2.30	Ahora akangukiye umurimo	1	2	3	4	5
2.31	Afasha abantu igihe bamukeneyemo cyose	1	2	3	4	5
2.32	Akangura abandi abaha icyerekezo	1	2	3	4	5
2.33	Anyuzamo agasura abizera mu ngo zabo	1	2	3	4	5
2.34	Yumva ibibazo (ibyifuzo) by'abandi	1	2	3	4	5
2.35	Ni umubwiriza mwiza	1	2	3	4	5
2.36	Ni umuyobozi mwiza urangwa n'iby'umwuka mu baturanyi	1	2	3	4	5
2.37	Yemera ibitekerezo bishya	1	2	3	4	5
2.38	Aba mu nshingano y'ubugabura	1	2	3	4	5

Mu bihe umaze ubona ubuyobozi bw'Itorero ry'Abadiventisti b'Umunsi wa Karindwi n'ubuyobozi bw'itorero usengeramo, ni buryo ki usanga aya magambo akurikira agaragaza ukuri cyangwa atari ukuri? Ca akaziga ku mubare ugaragaza igisubizo cyawe:

- 1 – Ntacyo mbitekerezaho 2 – Ntabwo ari ukuri 3 – Rimwe na rimwe biba ari ukuri
4 – Ni ukuri 5 – Akenshi biba ari ukuri 6 – Iteka biba ari ukuri

Ubuyobozi bw'itorero ryawe...

2.39	burangwa no kwemera ibitekerezo bishya	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.40	busobanura neza inshingano y'Itorero	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.41	bukora ibihagije ngo bushishikarize abizera kujya mu murimo	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.42	bwakira abantu kandi bukavugana na bo	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.43	bugira uruhare mu gufasha amatorero y'ibanze	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.44	bugira uruhare ku bibazo by'abaturage	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.45	ntibwita ku bibazo by'itorero ryacu	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.46	bushyigikira kandi bugashyira urubyiruko mu mirimo yo kuramya	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.47	burangwa no guhanga udushya	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.48	butera inkunga ishuri ryacu	1	2	3	4	5	6

2.49. Mu gutekereza ku kintu cyatumye uza mu itorero, ni ikihe kintu cyabanje kugukurura kuza gusengera muri iri torero? (Ubasha guhitamo ibisubizo birenze kimwe)

- | | |
|---------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| € Inshuti zanjye nasanzemo | € Itorero rivugwa neza |
| € Gahunda yo kwigisha gusoma | € Gahunda y'abana n'iy'Urubyiruko |
| € Indirimbo | € Amavuna n'ibikorwa byo hanze |
| € Gahunda yo kuramya | € Ubufasha bw'amatsinda |
| € Inyigisho z'itorero (Amahame) | € Ubucuti bw'amatorero |
| € Umubwiriza/Pasitoro | € Gahunda y'ivugabutumwa |
| € Ahantu hanyegereye | |
| € Indi mpamvu: _____ | (Vuga iyo mpamvu mu magambo make) |

2.50. Mu gutekereza ku cyabanje kukuzana muri iri torero, ni iyihe mpamvu isumba izindi igutera kurigumamo? (Ubasha guhitamo igisubizo kirenze kimwe)

- | | |
|---------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| € Inshuti zanjye nasanzemo | € Itorero rivugwa neza |
| € Gahunda yo kwigisha gusoma | € Gahunda y'abana n'iy'Urubyiruko |
| € Indirimbo | € Amavuna n'ibikorwa byo hanze |
| € Gahunda yo kuramya | € Ubufasha bw'amatsinda |
| € Inyigisho z'itorero (Amahame) | € Ubucuti bw'amatorero |
| € Umubwiriza/Pasitoro | € Gahunda y'ivugabutumwa |
| € Ahantu hanyegereye | |
| € Indi mpamvu: _____ | (Vuga iyo mpamvu mu magambo make) |

Ni buryo ki ibi bikurikira ari ingenzi mu kugaragaza imiterere y'ubuyobozi bwa pasitoro wawe mu itorero usengeramo? Ca akaziga ku mubare werekana neza igisubizo cyawe:

- 1 – Ntabwo ari ingenzi 3 – Ni ingenzi biringaniye 5 – Ni ingenzi cyane
2 – Ni ingenzi gahoro 4 – Ni ingenzi rwose

2.51	Agaragaza ubuhanga mu bya bibiliya na tewolojiya	1	2	3	4	5
2.52	Yita ku iterambere ry'iby'umwuka n'imikurire	1	2	3	4	5
2.53	Akangura intekerezo z'abizera	1	2	3	4	5
2.54	Arabakomeza akabaha ibyiringiro	1	2	3	4	5

2.55	Inyigisho n'ibibwirizwa bye bishingira kuri Bibiliya	1	2	3	4	5
2.56	Inyigisho n'ibibwirizwa bye bishingira ku bibazo by'iki gihe	1	2	3	4	5
2.57	Azana imyumvire n'ibitekerezo bishya	1	2	3	4	5
2.58	Akora ibintu akurikije uko byari bimenyerewe gukorwa	1	2	3	4	5
2.59	Afata ibyemezo wenyine mu buryo bukomeye	1	2	3	4	5
2.60	Afatanya n'abandi mu gufata ibyemezo	1	2	3	4	5
2.61	Arangwa no guha abandi ukwishyira ukizana	1	2	3	4	5
2.62	Arangwa no kureka abandi bagafata ibyemezo	1	2	3	4	5
2.63	Akorana umwete ngo arangize inshingano	1	2	3	4	5
2.64	Ashyira ibyifuzo by'abandi imbere ngo intego zigerweho	1	2	3	4	5
2.65	Afasha abantu kugira ngo bibonere ubwabo ibisubizo	1	2	3	4	5
2.66	Agira abantu inama y'ibikwiriye gukorwa	1	2	3	4	5
2.67	Atwarwa n'intekerezo kandi akifata cyane	1	2	3	4	5
2.68	Arashyikirana cyane	1	2	3	4	5
2.69	Arangwa n'imibereho idahinduka	1	2	3	4	5
2.70	Aritanga wese mu gukorera itorero	1	2	3	4	5

2.71. Muri rusange, utekereza ko ari ku rugero rungana iki abizera bakeneye kongera imbaraga zabo mu kubwiriza ubutumwa hakorwa amavuna?

- € Turabikora bihagije cyane
- € Tubikora neza nk'uko biri
- € Dukwiriye kongera imbaraga kugeza ku rugero runaka
- € Dukwiriye kongera imbaraga kugeza ku rugero runini

2.72. Muri rusange, utekereza ko ari ku rugero rungana iki abizera bakeneye kongera imbaraga zabo mu gusura no gufasha abandi?

- € Turabikora bihagije cyane
- € Tubikora neza nk'uko biri
- € Dukwiriye kongera imbaraga kugeza ku rugero runaka
- € Dukwiriye kongera imbaraga kugeza ku rugero runini

2.73. Ni ku ruhe rugero wowe ku giti cyawe wumva ukeneye kugira uruhare mu murimo wo kubwiriza ubutumwa mu buryo bw'amavuna mu itorero ryawe?

- € Simbikeneye
- € Ndabishaka ku rugero runaka
- € Ndabishaka ku rugero ruhagije
- € Ndabishaka ku rugero ruhanitse

2.74. Ndamutse ntabonye ubufasha buboneka muri gahunda yo kuramya y'itorero ryanjye, ntekereza ko kwizera kwanjye kwagenda kurushaho kudohoka.

- € Nta na gato
- € Ku rugero runaka
- € Ku rugero ruhagije
- € Ku rugero ruhanitse

2.75. Nkoresha amakuru nkura kuri interineti (urubuga mpuzamahanga) agatuma ukwizera kwanjye kwiyaongerwa.

- € Nta na rimwe
- € Ku rugero runaka
- € Ku rugero ruhagije
- € Ku rugero ruhanitse

3. IMIBEREHO YAWE MU BY'IDINI

Ibi bikurikira byagufashije ku ruhe rugero mu guteza imbere imibereho yawe mu by'idini? Shyira uruziga ku mubare ugaragaza igisubizo cyawe. Niba nta ruhare ubigiramo uhitemo igisubizo “Ntabwo bindeba”. Hitamo kimwe muri ibi bisubizo:

- 1 – Ntabwo bindeba 2 – Nta na rimwe 3 – Rimwe na Rimwe
4 – Kenshi 5 – Kenshi cyane

3.1	Ishuri ryo ku Isabato	1	2	3	4	5
3.2	Kwiyigisha Bibiliya no Gusenga	1	2	3	4	5
3.3	Guterana n'abandi mu rusengero	1	2	3	4	5
3.4	Gusenga hamwe n'abumuryango	1	2	3	4	5
3.5	Gusengera mu matsinda	1	2	3	4	5
3.6	Icyumweru cyo gusenga	1	2	3	4	5
3.7	Umwiherezo w'itorero	1	2	3	4	5
3.8	Gusura abatuye mu gice murimo	1	2	3	4	5
3.9	Imishinga mito y'itorero	1	2	3	4	5
3.10	Kwigira mu ishuri ry'Abadiventisiti	1	2	3	4	5
3.11	Kugeza ubutumwa ku bandi (Gutanga ibitabo, <i>n'ibindi</i>)	1	2	3	4	5
3.12	Amahugurwa y'itorero	1	2	3	4	5
3.13	Pasitoro w'itorero	1	2	3	4	5
3.14	Pasitoro ushinze uruburiko	1	2	3	4	5
3.15	Umukuru w'itorero	1	2	3	4	5
3.16	Ibyigisho by'ishuri ryo ku isabato	1	2	3	4	5
3.17	Amavuna y'ibwirizabutumwa	1	2	3	4	5
3.18	Amatsinda mato	1	2	3	4	5
3.19	Ibinyamakuru by'itorero (Byandikwa na Yuniyoni/Diviziyo)	1	2	3	4	5
3.20	Ibinyamakuru by'Itorero(Ku rwego rw'isi)	1	2	3	4	5
3.21	Ibinyamakuru binyura kuri Interineti	1	2	3	4	5
3.22	Umuryango	1	2	3	4	5
3.23	Inshuti	1	2	3	4	5
3.24	Urubuga rwa Interineti	1	2	3	4	5
3.25	Radiyo y'Abadiventisiti	1	2	3	4	5
3.26	Televisiyo y'Abadiventisiti	1	2	3	4	5
3.27	Ibibwiriza bya Pasiteri	1	2	3	4	5

Utekereze itorero usengeramo. Mbese aya magambo avuga neza ate ibyerekeye itorero ryawe? (Ushyire uruziga ku cyo uhisemo uhagaze kuri 2= Oya sibyo ugere kuri 5=Nibyo rwose)

- Ntabwo njya gusenga Oya sibyo Nibyo rwose
1 2 3 4 5

3.28	Hari ubushyuye mu itorero	1	2	3	4	5
3.29	Mpigira byinshi	1	2	3	4	5
3.30	Ryakira abantu batandukanye	1	2	3	4	5
3.31	Abizera benshi bifuza kuganira ndetse no guhugurwa ku iyobokamana	1	2	3	4	5
3.32	Rifite urugwiro	1	2	3	4	5
3.33	Rivugurura intekerezo zanjye	1	2	3	4	5
3.34	Rituma nshaka kubaza ibibazo	1	2	3	4	5

3.35	Abashyitsi bakiranwa urugwiro	1	2	3	4	5
3.36	Ribona ko abantu bakwiriye kwihugura	1	2	3	4	5
3.37	Rikundisha abantu gusenga	1	2	3	4	5
3.38	Rituma abantu basabana	1	2	3	4	5

3.39. Ni ikihe mu bikurikira kigaragaza uko wiyegurira Yesu Kristo (Shyira akamenyetso kuri kimwe)

- € Ntabwo niyeguriye Kristo
- € Sinzi neza niba nariyeguriye Kristo
- € Hari igihe niyeguriye Kristo mu buzima bwanjye ariko ntibyakomeje.
- € Kwiye gurira Kristo kwanjye gukomeza gutera imbere
- € Niyeguriye Kristo umunsi umwe maze mpita mpinduka.
- € Niyeguriye Kristo nkiri umwana muto kandi nkomeje kumwiyegurira.

Interuro ziboneka hasi zigaragaza zite uko umeze? Hitamo umubare umwe muri itanu. 1 (Nta na rimwe) kugeza kuri 5 (Kenshi)

Nta na rimwe

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Kenshi

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3.40	Mfasha abandi mu bibazo hamwe n'ibyumviro bafite byerekeranye n'iyobokamana	1	2	3	4	5
3.41	Mparanira ibyanteza imbere mu by'umwuka	1	2	3	4	5
3.42	Numva mfite inshingano yo kugabanya umubabaro n'agahinda mu isi.	1	2	3	4	5
3.43	Ntanga igihe cyanjye n'amafaranga ngo mfashwe abandi.	1	2	3	4	5
3.44	Numva mfite Imana mu mibanire yanjye n'abandi.	1	2	3	4	5
3.45	Numva imibereho yanjye ifite ireme ndetse n'icyerekezo.	1	2	3	4	5
3.46	Nerekana ko mpangayikishijwe no kugabanya ubukene mu gihugu cyanjye ndetse no ku isi hose.	1	2	3	4	5
3.47	Ngaragaza kwizera no mu byerekeye politiki ndetse n'imibereho myiza.	1	2	3	4	5
3.48	Ibyo nkora bigaragaza ko niyeguriye Kristo	1	2	3	4	5
3.49	Nganira n'abandi ibyerekeye kwizera kwanjye.	1	2	3	4	5
3.50	Nyumvamo kuyoborwa n'Imana	1	2	3	4	5
3.51	Nishimira mu Mana kubera kunyurwa n'ibyiza yaremye	1	2	3	4	5

Ibibazo bikurikira byerekeranye n'uburyo ubonamo iyobokamana. Shyira uruziga ku mubare uhuje n'igisubizo cyawe.

1 – Ntabwo mbyemera na gato

2 – Ntabwo mbyemera

3 – Ntabwo mbizi

4 – Ndabyemera

5 – Ndabyemera cyane

3.52	Nkunda gusoma ibyerekeranye n'abadiventisiti	1	2	3	4	5
3.53	Njya gusenga kuko bimfasha kubona inshuti	1	2	3	4	5
3.54	Ibyo nizera ntacyo bimbwije, mpfa kuba gusa mpagaze neza mu myitwarire.	1	2	3	4	5
3.55	Hari igihe nirengagiza ibyo nizera, kubera ibyo abantu	1	2	3	4	5

	bashobora kuntekerezaho					
3.56	Ni ingenzi kuri jye kumara umwanya niherereye nsenga.	1	2	3	4	5
3.57	Kenshi njya niyumvamo kubana n’Imana	1	2	3	4	5
3.58	Kenshi nsaba Imana kundinda no kuntabara	1	2	3	4	5
3.59	Ngerageza cyane kubaho nkurikije ibyo nizera.	1	2	3	4	5
3.60	Icyo iyobokamana rimfasha cyane ni ukumpumuriza mu bihe bikomeye.	1	2	3	4	5
3.61	Iyobokamana rifite agaciro cyane kuko risubiza ibibazo byinshi mu buzima bwanjye.	1	2	3	4	5
3.62	Nahitamo kuba umwe mu bagize itsinda ryiga Bibliya kuruta kujya mu itsinda ry’ubutabazi mu itorero.	1	2	3	4	5
3.63	Amasengesho ni ayo gusaba kugira amahoro n’umunezero	1	2	3	4	5
3.64	Nubwo ndi umwizera, ntabwo ntuma hari icyo bihindura ku mibereho yanjye ya buri muni.	1	2	3	4	5
3.65	Nkunze kujya gusenga kugira ngo mpure n’inshuti zanjye.	1	2	3	4	5
3.66	Uburyo nitwara mu buzima mbikomora ku myizerere yanjye.	1	2	3	4	5
3.67	Nkunze kujya gusenga kuko mpura n’abantu tuziranye.	1	2	3	4	5
3.68	Ikintera gusenga ni uko nigishijwe ko ari byiza gusenga.	1	2	3	4	5
3.69	Amasengesho ngira niherereye kuri jye ni kimwe n’ayo ngira ndi mu rusengero.	1	2	3	4	5
3.70	Nubwo nemera ibyo nigishwa mu itorero, hari ibindi byinshi bimfitiye agaciro kurusha ibyo.	1	2	3	4	5

Amabwiriza: Ni kangahe waba warakoze ibivugwa hano hasi? Shyira uruziga ku mubare uhuje n’igisubizo cyawe.

1 – Nta na rimwe 3 – Rimwe mu cyumweru 5 – Rimwe cyangwa kenshi buri muni
2 – Hasi ya rimwe mu kwezi 4 – Birenze rimwe mu cyumweru

3.71	Gusoma Bibiliya	1	2	3	4	5
3.72	Kwiga ijamba ry’Imana no gusenga	1	2	3	4	5
3.73	Gusoma Inyandiko za Madamu White	1	2	3	4	5
3.74	Gusenga hamwe n’abagize umuryango	1	2	3	4	5

***Wagize neza gusubiza ibibazo kandi uri hafi kugera ku musozo.
Icyi nicyo gice giheruka cy’ibibazo twateguye.***

4. IBYEREKERANYE N’IBYO WIZERA

Shyira uruziga ku mubare uhuje n’igisubizo cyawe. Usume interuro ziri hasi (Ntabwo twibwira ko ukwiriye kwemeranya n’ibivugwa byose mu nteruro zose ziri hasi)

1 – Ntabwo mbyemera na gato 3 – Ndabyemera
2 – Ntabwo mbyemera 4 – Ndabyemera cyane

4.1	Imana ikunda buri wese, kandi ni byiza kuri jye niba nitwara neza mu byizerwa.	1	2	3	4
4.2	Nizera ko Imana ikunda abantu kandi ikifuza gusabana nabo	1	2	3	4
4.3	Witegereje neza usanga hari amatsinda abiri gusa y’abantu kuri iyi si. Hari Intungane zizabona ibihembo, n’abasigaye batazabibona.	1	2	3	4

4.4	Kuba umukristo ni uguhabwa imbaraga na Yesu zo gutsinda icyaha mu buzima bwanjye.	1	2	3	4
4.5	Mpabwa agakiza nkimara kwihana no kwemera ibyo Yesu yankoreye.	1	2	3	4
4.6	Nizera ko Yesu yabyawe n'Umwari w'isugi	1	2	3	4
4.7	Itorero ry'Abadiventisiti b'Umunsi wa Karindwi n'itorero ry'Imana mu minsi iheruka rifite ubutumwa bwo guteguza isi kugaruka kwa kabiri kwa Kristo.	1	2	3	4
4.8	Nta nyigishop za Bibiliya cyangwa Ibyanditswe biburamo kwihenda na guke.	1	2	3	4
4.9	Ku bantu bose batuye isi, hari itsinda ry'abantu bamwe bafitanye n'Imana isano ikomeye.	1	2	3	4
4.10	Gusabana na Yesu ni ingenzi, ariko sinzashobora kujya mu ijuru ndamutse ntitondeye amategeko y'Imana.	1	2	3	4
4.11	Ntekereza ko isi nk'uko tuyibona itazamara imyaka makumyabiri itarangiye	1	2	3	4
4.12	Ubwo nabatijwe, nzajya mu ijuru ninkomeza kuba umuntu mwiza mu mibereho yanjye.	1	2	3	4
4.13	Nizera ko Imana yaremye isi mu minsi itandatu igizwe n'amasaha 24 buri munsi mu bihe byashize.	1	2	3	4
4.14	Nizera ko Imana yaremye isi.	1	2	3	4
4.15	Niba nshaka kuzakizwa, ngomba kubatizwa mu itorero ry'Abadiventisiti b'Umunsi wa Karindwi.	1	2	3	4
4.16	Itorero ry'Abadiventisti ryizera ibyerekeye "Ukuri kwa None" bishaka kuvuga ko ibyo twizera bishobora guhinduka uko ibihe bigenda bihinduka.	1	2	3	4
4.17	Isabato y'ukuri ni umunsi wa karindwi w'icyumweru	1	2	3	4
4.18	Iyo umuntu apfuye umubiri we uguma mu gituro, maze roho ye igasinzira kugeza ubwo azazuka	1	2	3	4
4.19	Nizera ko abapfumu babaho kandi ko abakristo bashobora kubasanga ngo babarengere..	1	2	3	4
4.20	Kubera ko abantu b'Imana nka Aburahamu, Yakobo, Dawidi na Salomo bashatse abagore benshi ni ikigaragaza ko Imana yemera gushyingiranwa n'abagore benshi.	1	2	3	4

4.21. Usume interuro ziri hano hasi; maze ushyire akamenyetso ku nteruro ihwanye n'ibyo wizera ko Bibiliya ariko iteye.

- € Bibiliya ntabwo ifite ukuri cyangwa ubushishozi burenze ubw'ibitabo bindi by'amadini cyangwa icyo ayo madini yandi yigisha.
- € Bibiliya ni inyandiko z'abantu bashyize hamwe ibitekerezo byanditswe n'abandi bisobanura ibibaho mu buzima. Bibiliya irimo ubunararibonye bw'abantu ku byerekeye ikiremwa muntu.
- € Bibiliya yanditswe n'abantu bakundaga Imana kandi bifuzaga kugeza ku bantu ibyo bamenye ku bikorwa by'Imana hano ku isi.
- € Bibiliya yanditswe n'abantu bahumekewe n'Imana kandi batangaga ubutumwa bw'Imana mu gihe cyabo n'aho babaga.
- € Bibiliya yanditswe n'abantu bandikaga ibyo Imana ibabwiye ijambo ku ijambo, kandi bandikaga badakurikije igihe cyabo barimo ndetse n'aho bari batuye.
- € Bibiliya yanditswe n'abantu bahumekewe n'Imana, kandi n'ubwo bandikaga bakurikije igihe barimo ndetse n'aho babaga bari, ibyo banditse byari ukuri kw'ibihe byose.

4.22. Soma interuro ziri hano hasi; maze ushyire akamenyetso ku nteruro ihwanye n'ibyo wemera ku byerekeye inyandiko za Ellen G. White.

- € Ntabwo nzi Ellen G. White uwo ariwe
- € Inyandiko za Ellen G. White nta kuri cyangwa ubushishozi zisumbije unyandiko zanditswe n'abandi bakuriye andi madini.
- € Ellen G. White ni umuntu wahimbye ibonekerwa kugira ngo asobanure ibibazo biboneka mu buzima. Inyandiko ze zirimo ubushishozi bwerekeranye n'imibereho ya kimuntu.
- € Ellen G. White yahumekewe n'Imana hanyuma yandika ubutumwa Imana yamugejejeho akurikije igihe yarimo n'aho yari atuye.
- € Ellen G. White yanditse ibyo Imana yamubwiraga ijambo ku ijambo, maze yandika atagendeye ku gihe yarimo ndetse n'aho yari atuye.

Wemera ku ruhe rugero izi nyigisho zikurikira z'itorero ry'Abadiventisiti b'Umunsi wa Karindwi? Shyira uruziga ku mubare uhwanye n'uko ubibona.

- | | |
|--|---------------------------------------|
| 1 – Ndabyemera cyane | 4 – Ndabishidikanya |
| 2 – Ndabyemera kuko itorero ribyigisha | 5 – Ntabwo mbyemera |
| 3 – Mbifiteho ibibazo | 6 – Iki kibazo ntabwo ngiha uburemere |

4.23	Yesu Kristo ni umwana w'Imana	1	2	3	4	5	6
4.24	Urubanza rwatangiye mu ijuru mu mwaka wa 1844	1	2	3	4	5	6
4.25	Ubusobanuro itorero rifite buhanuzi bugaragaza ibihe bya nyuma	1	2	3	4	5	6
4.26	Ellen G. White yatumwe n'Imana ku itorero ry'Abadiventisiti	1	2	3	4	5	6
4.27	Amabwiriza y'itorero ry'abadiventisiti ku byerekeye kwitungira amagara mazima.	1	2	3	4	5	6
4.28	Amabwiriza y'itorero ry'Abadiventisiti ku byerekeye imyambarire ihesheje umuntu agaciro.	1	2	3	4	5	6

4.29. Wasobanura ute uburyo wiyumvamo ku byerekeye iyobokamana no kugira umwuka w'Imana.

- € Nkurikiza idini ariko sinitwara neza mu by'umwuka
- € Nitwara neza mu by'umwuka ariko ntabwo nkurikiza idini
- € Nitwara neza mu by'umwuka kandi nkurikiza idini
- € Ntabwo nitwara neza mu by'umwuka kandi ntabwo nkurikiza n'idini

Urakoze cyane kudufasha mu gusoza iyi nyigo yakorewe ku bagize itorero. Tugushimye tubikuye ku mutima kubera inkunga yawe muri ubu bushakashatsi..

APPENDIX E – LUGANDA VERSION



GENERAL CONFERENCE OF SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST East-Central Africa Division

Valuegenesis Church Research Survey Instrument Seventh-day Adventist Church Member Survey

OKUKKIRIZA, BYETUKKIRIZA, ENGERI GYETULABAMU EBINTU, ENDOWOOZA N'EBIKOLWA

Ebibuuzo bino bikwata kw'ebyo by'okkiriza, ebikubaddeko mu kukkiriza, engeri gy'olabamu ebintu, endowooza yo era n'engeri gye wenyigidde mu bikolebwa mu kkanisa yo. By'oddamu bya kuyamba abakulembeze b'ekanisa okutegeera kye basaanye okukola okwongera amaanyi mu kanisa yo esokerwako era n'okufuna ekifaananyi ekikwata ku bulamu bwo obw'ekikristayo. Oli mu ku batono abaloneddwa okwetaba mu kunonyereza, era ekitundu ky'okola kikulu nyo olw'enteekateeka eno.

Ng'oddamu ebibuuzo bino, tetwetaaga kumanya mannya go wadde gy'obeera. Tewaliwo nkola yonna enesobozesa abakunnya okumanya ebikukwatako n'olw'ekyo ddamu ebibuuzo okusinzira ku ndowooza yo ne mukulaba kwo.

Osabibwa okuddamu ebibuuzo BYONNA mu bwesimbu. Tewebuuza ku muntu yenna okukuwa endowooza yaabwe ku kibuzo ekibuziddwa. Twagala okumanya endowooza yo eyannamaddala. Totwala kiseera kiwanvu ng'oyanukula ekibuuzo. Wa eky'okuddamu nga bw'olowooza mu kiseera ekyo era mangu ago ogende ku kibuzo ekiddirira.

Twagala okimanye nti oli wa ddembe obuteetaba mu kunonyereza kuno era bw'obeera osazeewo bw'otyoto toddamu bibuuzo bino. Naye okuddamu ebibuuzo bino kya kuyamba nnyo okumanya endowooza z'abantu mu bitundu eby'enjawulo n'okutekawo enkola esingako obulungi. Twagala okukwebaza olw'okuwaayo obudde bwo okutuyamba.

6. EBIKUKWATAKO

Twagala okumanya ebikulu ebikukwatako. Lamba n'akabonero akafaanana nga kano (✓) ku kikukwatako/oba eky'okuddamu kyo ekituufu.

6.1. Wandenyonyoddeko otya mu nkula yo?

- € Muddugavu
- € Mweru/Muzungu
- € Wa mu buvanjuba bwa Asiya (nfaanana ba China)
- € Wa mu maserengeta ga America

- € Wa mu bukiika ddyo bwa Asiya (nfaanana bayindi)
- € Enkula endala etali emu ku ezo waggulu

6.2. Oli wa nkula ki?

- € Musajja
- € Mukazi

6.3. Oli mubatize mu kanisa ya Seventh-day Adventist?

- € Ye
- € Nedda

6.4. Oli wa myaka emeka?

- | | | |
|---------------------|-----------|-----------------|
| € Sinaweza myaka 15 | € 46 – 50 | € Waggulu wa 80 |
| € 16 – 20 | € 51 – 55 | |
| € 21 – 25 | € 56 – 60 | |
| € 26 – 30 | € 61 – 65 | |
| € 31 – 35 | € 66 – 70 | |
| € 36 – 40 | € 71 – 75 | |
| € 41 – 45 | | |
| € 76 – 80 | | |

6.5. Obeera mu Ggwanga/Nsi ki? _____

6.6. Okutwalira awamu olowooza emirundi emeka gy'okuṅṅanye mu kanisa mu mwaka oguwedde?

- € Sikunṅanyeeke
- € 1 – 2
- € Emirundi mitonotono
- € Omulundi gumu buli mwezi
- € Emirundi 2-3 buli mwezi
- € Emirundi 4 n'okusingawo buli mwezi

6.7. Watuuka wa mu kuyigirizibwa okw'omussomero?

- € Nakoma mu Primary
- € Nasomako mu Siniya naye saamaliriza
- € Namaliriza Siniya
- € Nasomako mu masomero/amatendekero aga waggulu wa Siniya
- € Nina Diguli
- € Namaliriza diguli nenyongerako n'emisomo emirala

6.8. Wali osomeddeko mu ssomero ly'Abadventi? (Lamba buli kya kuddamu kyo ekikukwatako)

- € Sisomerangako mu ssomero ly'Abadventi
- € Nasomerako mu Primary y'Abadventi
- € Namaliririza mu Primary y'Abadventi
- € Namaliririza Mu Siniya y'Abadventi
- € Nasomerako mu Yunivasite y'Abadventi
- € Namaliririza mu Yunivasite y'Abadventi
- € Nabangulibwa mu misomo egya waggulu mu Yunivasite y'Abadventi

6.9. Wazaalibwa oli mw'Adventi? Obadde mw'Adventi okuva lwe wazaalibwa?

- € Ye
- € Nedda

1.10. Bw'obeera tewazaalibwa mu bw'Adventi, omaze bbanga ki mu kanisa?

(Kyakuddamu ki ekisinga obulungi gy'oli?)

- | | |
|---------------------|------------------------|
| € Tegunnawera mwaka | € Emyaka 26-30 |
| € Emyaka 1-4 | € Emyaka 31-35 |
| € Emyaka 5-10 | € Emyaka 36 - 40 |
| € Emyaka 11-15 | € Emyaka 41-45 |
| € Emyaka 16-20 | € Emyaka 46-50 |
| € Emyaka 21-25 | € Emyaka gisukka mu 50 |

1.11. Okolera kitongole kya kanisa oba ekyekwanaganya n'ekanisa ya Seventh-day Adventist?

- € Ye € Nedda

7. EBIKWATA KU KANISA YO

Lowooza ku kanisa mw'osabira. Ebigambo ebiddirira mu kitundu kino bituufu kyenkana wa mu kanisa yo?

7.1. Emirundi emeka gy'obeera mu kusinza mu kanisa yo?

- € Emirundi mitono mu mwaka
- € Omulundi gumu oba ebiri mu mwezi
- € Emirundi ebiri oba esatu mu mwezi
- € Ng'omulundi gumu mu wiiki
- € Emirundi egisukka mu gumu mu wiiki

7.2. NANDYAGADDE okugenda mu kanisa:

- € Emirundi mitono mu mwaka
- € Omulundi gumu oba ebiri mu mwezi
- € Emirundi ebiri oba esatu mu mwezi
- € Ng'omulundi gumu mu wiiki
- € Okusukka ku mulundi ogumu mu wiiki

7.3. Wenyigidde kyenkana wa mu bikolebwa mu kanisa yo? (Londa ekyo ekiragira ddala kyoli)

- € Senyigira n'akatono mu bikolebwa mu kanisa
- € Nze nebala ng'omutunulizi
- € Nebala nga eyenyigiramu ebbalirirwe
- € Nebala nga ndi mujjumbize
- € Nebala nga ndi mukulembeze mu kanisa yange

7.4. Oli mumativu kyenkana wa n'ekanisa mw'osinziza? (Teeka enkulungo ku ky'olowooza)

Siri mumativu nakamu			Ndi mu makkati				Ndi mumativu nnyo		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10

7.5. Biki ebiri mu nkola y'ekanisa ebigenda mu maaso mu kanisa yo ebiyinda okkulowoozesa okukyuusa okujivaamu wegatte era osinzize mu kanisa etali ya y'Abadventi?

- € Ebibuulirwa bwe bibeera tebizimba (nga byebasa)
- € Ekanisa bw'ebeera nga teriimu bbugumu nga n'abantu berowoozako bokka
- € Bwe watabeerawo bikolebwa mu nnaku eza bulijjo
- € Okisinza bwe kutabeera na makulu
- € Ebirala _____ (Wandiika wano ekirala ky'olina)

7.6. Biki ebiri mu nkola y'ekanisa oba ebigenda mu maaso mu kanisa yo ebiyiza okkulowoozesa okukyuusa okujivaamu wegatte era osinzize mu kanisa endala ey'Abadventi?

- € Ebibuulirwa bwe bibeera tebizimba (nga byebasa)
- € Ekanisa bwebeera nga teriimu bbugumu nga n'abantu berowoozako bokka
- € Bwe watabeerawo bikolebwa mu nnaku eza bulijjo
- € Okisinza bwe kutabeera na makulu
- € Ebirala _____ (Wandiika wano ekirala ky'olina)

7.7. Biki ebiri mu nkola y'ekanisa oba ebigenda mu maaso mu kanisa yo ebiyiza okulowoozesa okukyuusa okujivaamu osinzize awaka?

- € Ebibuulirwa bwe bibeera tebizimba (nga byebasa)
- € Ekanisa bw'ebeera nga teriimu bbugumu nga n'abantu berowoozako bokka
- € Bwe watabaawo bikolebwa mu nnaku eza bulijjo
- € Okusinza bwe kutabeera na makulu
- € Ebirala _____ (Wandiika wano ekirala ky'olina)

Lowooza ku by'oyiseemu n'ekanisa yo. (Nga bizingiramu Essomero lya Sabbiti, Okuyiga Bayibuli, Pulogulamu z'Abavubuka, Okubuulira enjiri, Okusinza, n'ebirala.) Ku buli kinakimu laga obutuufu bwakyo ng'oteeka enkulungo ku muwendo omutuufu:

1 = Tekikolebwa 2 = Balirirwe 3 = Kitera okukolebwa 4 = Kumpi kikolebwa bulijjo

2.8	Ebikolebwa mu kanisa yange binyuvu	1	2	3	4
2.9	Ebikolebwa mu kanisa yange bimpa okulowooza	1	2	3	4
2.10	Abasomesa oba abakulembeze b'essomero lya Sabbiti bammanyi bulungi	1	2	3	4
2.11	Omusumba wange ammanyi bulungi	1	2	3	4
2.12	Abakulembeze mu kanisa basanyukira abantu era bantu abalina omukwano	1	2	3	4
2.13	Mpulira bulungi bwe mbeera mu kanisa	1	2	3	4
2.14	Abakulembeze mu kanisa yange banfaako	1	2	3	4
2.15	Nesuunga okubeera mu bikolebwa mu kanisa yange	1	2	3	4
2.16	Mbeera mu bikolebwa mu kanisa yange nga siwalirizibwa	1	2	3	4
2.17	Ekanisa yange enyamba okusemberera Kristo	1	2	3	4
2.18	Neetaba mu nkuaanana ez'obubinja obutono obwatekebawo e kanisa	1	2	3	4
2.19	Mpulira bubi n'okulumizibwa bwe sibeerawo mu kukuaanana	1	2	3	4
2.20	Nenyumiririza nnyo mu kanisa yange, mu by'ekola n'ekitiibwa ky'erina mu bantu	1	2	3	4

Owagira e kanisa n'ebirabo byo? Bwe kibeera nga KITUUFU jjuza ebiri mu 2.21 – 2.29. Bwe kibeera nga SI KITUUFU genda ku kibuzo 2.30. Teeka enkulungo ku muwendo ogunyonyola obulungi engeri gye wenyigira mu mikisa egyo mu kanisa yo. Londa ku by'okuddamu bino:

1 = Nakatono 2 = Balirirwe 3 = Oluusi 4 = Ntera 5 = Bulijjo 6 = Sirina kya kuddamu

2.21	Okuyita mu bitundu by'ekkumi	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.22	Ebirabo by'essomero lya Sabbiti	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.23	Enjigiriza y'ekikristayo	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.24	Ensawo y'okuzimba e kanisa	1	2	3	4	5	6

2.25	Enteekateeka y'okutuukiriza emirimu gy'ekanisa	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.26	Emirimu gy'okubuulira enjiri ng'ekanisa	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.27	Mpaayo ekisukkirira ku kirabo kya Sabbiti ey'ekkumi n'essatu	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.28	Mpaayo okuwanirira omulimu gw'essomero ly'ekanisa	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.29	Okuyita mu biraamo n'ebirabo okuva mu nfuna zange ez'enjawulo	1	2	3	4	5	6

Ng'otadde ku minzaani epima okuva ku 1 okutuuka 5 nga 1 yeraga ekisembayo wansi "n'akatono" ate nga 5 esembayo waggulu y'eraga "nnyo nnyo," Bino ebiri wammanga binnyonyola bitya Omusumba wo? Teeka enkulungo ku muwendo ogulagira ddala endowooza yo.

Nakatono

1

2

3

4

Nnyo nnyo

5

2.30	Omulimu gwe agwagala	1	2	3	4	5
2.31	Abeerawo era ayamba mu biseera eby'obwetaavu	1	2	3	4	5
2.32	Alunnamya era azaamu amaanyi mu by'omwoyo	1	2	3	4	5
2.33	Oluusi n'oluusi akyalira ab'ekanisa mu maka gaabwe	1	2	3	4	5
2.34	Awuliriza era afaayo ku byetaago by'abalala	1	2	3	4	5
2.35	Mubulizi mulungi	1	2	3	4	5
2.36	Mukulembeze mulungi ow'eby'omwoyo mu kanisa	1	2	3	4	5
2.37	Ayaniriza ebirowoozo ebipya (ebirala)	1	2	3	4	5
2.38	Mukugu mu mirimu gy'ekisumba	1	2	3	4	5

Ebbanga ly'omaze n'ekanisa y'Abadventi era n'obukulembeze bw'ekanisa yo mw'osabira, bino ebiri wamanga bituufu oba bikyamu? Teeka enkulungo ku muwendo ogukiikira endowooza yo obulungi:

1 = Sirina kye nkyogerako 2 = Tekiberangawo 3 = Kyabbalirirwe 4 = Kituufu
5 = Kiteera okukolebwa 6 = Kikolebwa bulijjo

Obukulembeze bw'ekanisa yo mw'osinziza...

2.39	bwanjulukufu eri ebirowoozo ebipya	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.40	bulambika bulungi ekigendererwa ky'ekanisa	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.41	bukola ekisoboka okulaba ng'abantu benyigira mu mulimu n'ekigendererwa ekikulu eky'ekkanisa	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.42	bwangu okwogera nabwo	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.43	bufuba okuyamba e kanisa	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.44	bufaayo okukola ku byetaago by'abantu aba bulijjo	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.45	tebumanyi byetaago bya kanisa	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.46	buyamba abavubuka okwenyingira mu buwereza bw'okusinza	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.47	Buyiiyayiiya/butetenkanya	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.48	Buyamba amasomero agatandikidwawo e kanisa n'obulabirizi	1	2	3	4	5	6

2.49. Ng'olowooza ku ngeri gye wajjamu mu kanisa, kiki ekyakusikiriza okwegatta ku kibiina ky'ekkanisa? (Oyinza okulonda eby'okuddamu ebisukka ku kimu)

€ Mikwano gyange

€ Erinnya eddungi ery'ekanisa (empisa)

- € Emisomo gy'abakulu
 € Ennyimba
 € Engeri y'okusinza
 € Emisingi gy'ekanisa
 € Omusumba
 € Kumpi ne we nsula/wembeera
 € Ekirala: _____ (Kiwandiike)
- € Eby'okuyiga by'abaana n'abavubuka
 € Okubuulira enjiri mu bantu abeetolodde
 € Obubondo obw'okweyamba
 € Ebifaanagana mu njigiriza/mu ddiini
 € Enteekateeka y'okubuulira enjiri

**2.50. Ng'olowooza ku ngeri gye wajjamu mu kanisa, nsonga ki esinze okukusigaza mu kanisa?
 (Oyinza okulonda eby'okuddamu ebisukka mu kimu)**

- € Mikwano gyange
 € Emisomo gy'abantu abakulu
 € Ennyimba
 € Engeri y'okusinza
 € Emisingi gy'ekanisa
 € Omusumba
 € Kumpi ne we nsula
 € Ekirala: _____ (Kiwandiike)
- € Erinnya eddungi ery'ekanisa (empisa)
 € Eby'okuyiga by'abaana n'abavubuka
 € Okubuulira enjiri mu bantu abeetolodde
 € Obubondo obw'okweyamba
 € Ebifaanagana mu njigiriza/mu ddiini
 € Enteekateeka y'okubuulira enjiri

Empisa z'obukulembeze zino wammanga, nkulu kyenkana wa mu bukulembeze bw'Omusumba wo oba bw'Abasumba bo mu kanisa yo mw'osinziza? Teeka enkulungo ku muwendo ogulanga endowooza yo:

1 = Si kikulu 2 = Kikulumu 3 = Kikulu 4 = Kikulu ddala 5 = Kikulu nnyo nnyo

2.51	Obukugu mu Bayibuli n'ebiyokuyiga by'eddiini	1	2	3	4	5
2.52	Okussa essira ku kuzimba n'okukula mu by'omwoyo	1	2	3	4	5
2.53	Okusoomoza ebirowoozo	1	2	3	4	5
2.54	Okubuddabudda n'okuzzaamu amaanyi	1	2	3	4	5
2.55	Okubuulira n'okuyigiriza okwesigamizibwa ku Bayibuli	1	2	3	4	5
2.56	Okubuulira n'okuyigiriza ku biriwo n'ebigenda mu maaso muni	1	2	3	4	5
2.57	Okukola ebintu nga bwe bibadde bikolebwa bulijjo awatali kukyuusamu	1	2	3	4	5
2.58	Akukozesa enkola etakyuuka mu mirimu gye	1	2	3	4	5
2.59	Mu kusalawo ku nsonga, yekennyenya n'anywera ku nsonga	1	2	3	4	5
2.60	Abantu b'ekanisa abayamba okusalawo	1	2	3	4	5
2.61	Atuukikako era akolagana bulungi n'abantu	1	2	3	4	5
2.62	Bw'oba oyagala okumulaba olina kumulaganya nakuyita mu mitendera mingi	1	2	3	4	5
2.63	Akola nnyo okumaliriza emirimu gye	1	2	3	4	5
2.64	Mu kutuukiriza byayagala talinyirira balala	1	2	3	4	5
2.65	Ayamba okutegeera/okulaba ebintu ku lwabwe	1	2	3	4	5
2.66	Awa abantu amagezi ku kisaanidde okukolebwa	1	2	3	4	5
2.67	Tapapa era yekennyeenya ensonga	1	2	3	4	5
2.68	Yeyabya era abeereka naye	1	2	3	4	5
2.69	Amanyi okupimira obulamu bwe mu buli ky'akola	1	2	3	4	5
2.70	Yewaayo yenna okuwereza e kanisa	1	2	3	4	5

2.71. Okutwalira awamu, olowooza abantu b’ekanisa betaaga ki okwongera amaanyi mu kufuluma okubuulira?

- € Ne kakati tukola nnyo
- € Embeera nga bw’eri tetuli bubi
- € Tuteekwa okwongeramu oba okulongoosaamu
- € Tuteekwa okwongeramu n’okulongooseza ddala

2.72. Okutwalira awamu olowooza abantu b’ekanisa betaaga kukolerwa ki okwongera oba okulongoosa mu ngeri y’okulabirira n’okulera abakkiriza?

- € Ne kakati tukola nnyo
- € Embeera nga bw’eri tetuli bubi
- € Tuteekwa okwongeramu oba okulongoosaamu
- € Tuteekwa okwongeramu n’okulongooseza ddala

2.73. Ggwe osobola kyenkana wa nga ssekinnoomu okwenyigira mu kubuulira enjiri mu kanisa yo?

- € Tekisoobokera ddala
- € Mu ngeri ensaamusaamu
- € Mu ngeri eya bulijjo
- € Mu ngeri enzijuuvu

2.74. Awatali kuyambibwa mu kiseera ky’okusinza mu kanisa mwe nsinziza, mpulira ng’okukkiriza kwange kuyinza okugenda nga kusereba

- € Tekisobokera ddala
- € Osanga kisoboka
- € Kisoboka
- € Kisobokera ddala

2.75. Neyambisa amawulire agafunibwa okuyita ku mutimbagano gw’ebyempuliziganya (Internet) ng’engeri y’okukuza okukkiriza kwange.

- € Sigukozesereza ddala
- € Ngukozesa katono
- € Ngukozesa
- € Ngukozesereza ddala

8. OBULAMU BWO OBW’EDDIINI

Mu ngeri ki buli kimu ku bino gye biyambye okuzimba obulamu bwo obw’eddiini? Teeka enkulungo ku muwendo ogulaga eky’okuddamu kyo. Bw’obeera tewenyigirangako ku kimu kw’ebyo ebimenyedwa tekawo nti “Tekinwataka”. Londa ku by’okuddamu bino wammanga:

1 = Tekinkwatako 2 = Nakatono 3 = Oluusi 4 = Ntera 5 = Nnyo nnyo

3.1	Essomero lya Sabbiiti	1	2	3	4	5
3.2	Okuyiga Bayibuli n’okusaba okwa ssekinoomu	1	2	3	4	5
3.3	Okusinza okw’omu kanisa	1	2	3	4	5
3.4	Okusinza mu maka	1	2	3	4	5
3.5	Enkuŋŋaana ez’okusaba	1	2	3	4	5

3.6	Wiiki ey'okusaba ku kanisa	1	2	3	4	5
3.7	Enkuŋŋaana ezitegekeddwa e kanisa okufumitiriza n'okutunuulira ebibaddewo emabega	1	2	3	4	5
3.8	Okubuulira enjiri mu bantu abetoolodde e kanisa	1	2	3	4	5
3.9	Okwenyigira mu mirimu gy'ekanisa egy'ekiseera ekimpi	1	2	3	4	5
3.10	Okusomera mu masomero g'Abadventi	1	2	3	4	5
3.11	Okubuulira enjiri (<i>okuyita mu kusomesa Bayibuli, okugaba zuula, ebitabo/obubaka obuwandiike n'engeri endala</i>)	1	2	3	4	5
3.12	Enkuaaŋŋana ezitegekeddwa obulabirizi	1	2	3	4	5
3.13	Omusumba wange	1	2	3	4	5
3.14	Omusumba w'abavubuka	1	2	3	4	5
3.15	Abakadde b'ekanisa mwe nsabira	1	2	3	4	5
3.16	Eby'okuyiga bya Lesoni	1	2	3	4	5
3.17	Enkuŋŋaana z'enjiri (efoti)	1	2	3	4	5
3.18	Obubinja obutono mu kanisa	1	2	3	4	5
3.19	Ebitabo by'ekanisa (amawulire okuva ku bulabirizi ne Divisoni)	1	2	3	4	5
3.20	Ebitabo by'ekanisa (okuva ebweru ne munsu yonna)	1	2	3	4	5
3.21	Ebiwandike okuyita ku mutimbagano gw'empuliziganya	1	2	3	4	5
3.22	Amaka	1	2	3	4	5
3.23	Emikwano	1	2	3	4	5
3.24	Emitimbagano gy'empuliziganya (yintaneti) egy'enjawulo	1	2	3	4	5
3.25	Radio y'Abadventi	1	2	3	4	5
3.26	Televisoni y'Abadventi	1	2	3	4	5
3.27	Eby'okubuulira by'Omusumba ku kituuti	1	2	3	4	5

Lowooza ku kanisa mwosinziza. Emboozi zino wammanga ntuufu kye nkana wa? (Salawo ku ky'okuddamu KIMU oteekeko enkulungo. (Ku minzani eya 5 nga 2 etegeza nti Si kituufu n'akatono ate 5 etegeza nti kituufu nnyo).

Nze sisaba

Si kituufu n'akatono

Kituufu nyo

1

2

3

4

5

3.28	Ekanisa ebuguma	1	2	3	4	5
3.29	Njiga kinene mu kanisa	1	2	3	4	5
3.30	Ekkiriza abantu ab'enjawulo	1	2	3	4	5
3.31	Ab'ekanisa abasinga baagala nnyo okusomozebwa okuwa endowooza zaabwe ku nsonga z'eddiini	1	2	3	4	5
3.32	Ya mukwano	1	2	3	4	5
3.33	Esoomoza endowooza yange	1	2	3	4	5
3.34	Enkubiriza okubuuza ebibuuzo	1	2	3	4	5
3.35	Abatali ba kanisa bawulira bulungi era baanirizibwa mu kanisa	1	2	3	4	5
3.36	Esuubira abantu okuyiga n'okulowooza	1	2	3	4	5
3.37	Ennambika mu kulinza	1	2	3	4	5
3.38	Eteekawo embeera ey'obumu/okussa ekimu	1	2	3	4	5

3.39. Kiki ku bino ekisinga okunyonyola okwewaayo kwo eri Yesu Kristo (LONDAKO KIMU KYOKKA)

- € Ssewangayo eri Kristo
- € Ssikakasa oba nnewaayo eri Kristo
- € Nnewaayoko eri Kristo naye okwewaayo okwo tekawawangaala
- € Okwewaayo kwange eri Kristo kugenda kukula buli kiseera
- € Okwewaayo kwange eri Kristo kwajja mangu ago era nenkyuusibwa
- € Nnewaayo eri Kristo nga nkyali muto era nkyali bwentyo ne kaakati.

Emboozi zino ntuufu kyenkana wa gy'oli ng'omu? Gaba obubonero ng'osinziira ku minzani wansi eba buva ku 1 okutuuka 5 nga 1 etegeeza "Tekibangawo" ate 5 etegeeza "Ntera okukikola."

		Tekibangawo					Ntera okukikola				
		1	2	3	4	5					
3.40	Nyamba abalala mu kufuba kwabwe n'entalo mu by'omwoyo	1	2	3	4	5					
3.41	Ngezaako okunoonya emikisa egiyiza okunnyaamba okukula mu by'omwoyo	1	2	3	4	5					
3.42	Mpulira nga buvunanyizibwa bwange okukendeeza ku kulumwa n'okubonabona mu nsi	1	2	3	4	5					
3.43	Mpaayo ekiseera ekimala awamu n'ensimbi okuyamba abalala	1	2	3	4	5					
3.44	Mpulira okubeerawo kwa Katonda mu nkolagana yange n'abantu abalala	1	2	3	4	5					
3.45	Mpulira ng'obulamu bwange bujjude amakulu n'ekigendererwa	1	2	3	4	5					
3.46	Ndaga nti nfaayo ekisusse okukendeeza obwavu mu ggwanga lyattu ne mu nsi yonna	1	2	3	4	5					
3.47	Okukkiriza kwange kulabikira mu by'obufuzi ne mu nkolagalana yange n'abalala	1	2	3	4	5					
3.48	Ebintu bye nkola biraga okwewaayo kwange eri Kristo	1	2	3	4	5					
3.49	Ngabana okukkiriza kwange n'abalala	1	2	3	4	5					
3.50	Nina obukakafu nti Katonda ankulembera	1	2	3	4	5					
3.51	Bwntunulira ebitonde bya Katonda binzizaamu amaanyi mu mwoyo	1	2	3	4	5					

Ebibuuzo ebiddirira bigendereddwa okuzuula ebitonotono ku ndowooza gy'olina ku bikwatagana n'eddini. Teeka enkulungo ku muwendo gw'olowooza nga gwe guwa obulungi eky'okuddamu kyo.

1 = Sikikiriza ddala

3 = Seekakasa

5 = Nzikiriza ddala

2 = Njagala obutakkiriza

4 = Nzikiriza

3.52	Nsanyukira okusoma ebikwata ku bw'Adventi	1	2	3	4	5
3.53	Ekintwala ku kanisa kubanga nfunayo e mikwano	1	2	3	4	5
3.54	Byenzikiriza si kikulu ekikulu kubeera nga neyisa bulungi	1	2	3	4	5
3.55	Olw'olumu bye nzikiriza mbiteeka ebbali bwenkizuula nti abantu bayinza okuntegeera obubi	1	2	3	4	5
3.56	Kikola amakulu mangi gyendi okweyawula olw'okulowooza n'okusaba	1	2	3	4	5
3.57	Ntera okuwulira okubeerawo kwa Katonda okwamaanyi mu bulamu bwange	1	2	3	4	5

3.58	Ekitera okunsabisa lwa kubeera nga njagala okufuna obuweerero n'obukuumi bwa Katonda	1	2	3	4	5
3.59	Ngezaako nga bwensobola okwesigamya entambula y'obulamu bwange ku byenzikiriza	1	2	3	4	5
3.60	Ediini kyesinga okunkolera kwe kumpa okubudaabudibwa mu biseera ebizibu	1	2	3	4	5
3.61	Eddiini nkulu nnyo gyendi kubanga empa eby'okuddamu ku bibuuzo ebikwata ku makulu g'obulamu	1	2	3	4	5
3.62	Wakiri mbeera ekitundu ku kibiina ekiyiga Bayibuli okusinga okubeera ekitundu ku kibiina ekitondeddawo e kanisa okwesanyusa	1	2	3	4	5
3.63	Okusaba kugendererwamu miremba na kusanyuka	1	2	3	4	5
3.64	Newankubadde ndi munaddiini naye sikkiriza ddiini kufuga bulamu bwange obwa bulijjo	1	2	3	4	5
3.65	Ekisinga okuntwala ku kanisa kwe kufuna akaseera okuwayaamu ne mikwano gyange	1	2	3	4	5
3.66	Engeri gyenkolamu ebintu mu bulamu obwa bulijjo efugibwa ddiini yange	1	2	3	4	5
3.67	Ekisinga okuntwala ku kanisa lwa kubanga kinsanyusa okulaba abantu be mmanyi	1	2	3	4	5
3.68	Ekisinga okunsabisa lwa kubanga banjigiriza okusaba	1	2	3	4	5
3.69	Obukulu bwe saala zensaba nga ndi nzekka bwenkanankana n'ezo zensaba nga ndi mu kanisa	1	2	3	4	5
3.70	Newankubadde nga nzikiririza mu ddiini, waliwo ebintu ebirala bingi ebikulu ennyo gyendi	1	2	3	4	5

Byosaanye okukola: Emirundi emeka gyewali okoze ebintu bino wammanga? Teeka enkulungo ku muwendo ogunyonyola obulungi eky'okuddamu kyo.

1 = Nakatono 3 = Omulundi nga gumu mu wiiki 5 = Buli lunaku n'okusingawo
2 = Oluusi omwezi gugwako 4 = Omulundi ogusukka mu gumu mu wiiki

3.71	Okusoma Bayibuli	1	2	3	4	5
3.72	Okusaba n'okuyiga okw'okwewaayo	1	2	3	4	5
3.73	Okusoma ebitabo by Ellen G. White	1	2	3	4	5
3.74	Okusinza okw'amaka (okusaba nga muli mwekka okutali ku kanisa)	1	2	3	4	5

Webale kugumiikiriza era onatera okumaliriza. Kino kye kitundu ekisambayo eky'okunonyereza kuno.

4. BINO BIKWATA KU KY'OKKIRIZA (ENZIKIRIZA YO)

Teeka enkuluungo ku muwendo ogulaga ekyo ky'osinga okukkiriza. Londa ku by'okuddamu bino. (Tetukusuubira kukkiriziganya na buli ekiwandiikiddwa.)

1 = Sikikkiririza ddala 3 = Ndowooza nga kituufu
2 = Ndowooza nga si kituufu 4 = Nkikkiririza ddala

4.1	Katonda ayagala buli muntu, era njenda kubeera bulungi ku nkomerero bwe mbeera neyisa bulungi	1	2	3	4
4.2	Nzikiririza mu Katonda afaayo eri buli muntu sekkinoomu	1	2	3	4

	era ayagala okuteekawo enkolagana n’abantu				
4.3	Bwe wetegereza, mu nsi mulimu ebika by’abantu bibiri: abatuukirivu, abagenda okuweebwa empeera okuva eri Katonda, n’abalala abaliviramu awo.	1	2	3	4
4.4	Ekinyusi ky’Obukristayo kiri mu Yesu okumpa amaanyi okuwangula ekibi mu bulamu bwange	1	2	3	4
4.5	Ndokolebwa amangu ddala nga nzikirizza era nenetwalira Yesu kye yankolera	1	2	3	4
4.6	Nzikiriza nti Yesu yazaalibwa omuwala atamanyi musajja	1	2	3	4
4.7	Ekanisa y’Abadventi ye kanisa ya Katonda ey’ennaku ez’enkomerero nga erina obubaka obw’okuteekateeka ensi olw’okudda ka Kristo omulundi ogwokubiri	1	2	3	4
4.8	Tewaliwo njigiriza oba ebyawandiikibwa ebitaliimu nsobi oba okwewakanya	1	2	3	4
4.9	Mu bantu bonna abali mu nsi, ekibinja ky’abantu kimu kyokka kye kirina enkolagana ne Katonda	1	2	3	4
4.10	Enkolagana ne Yesu nkulu, naye sigenda kutuuka mu Ggulu okujjako nga njondera amateeka ga Katonda	1	2	3	4
4.11	Nsubira nti ensi nga bwe tugimanyi ejja kutuuka ku nkomerero yaayo mu myaka 20 agijja.	1	2	3	4
4.12	Bwembeera nga nabatizibwa, njenda kutuuka mu Ggulu bwe nsigala nga ndi muntu mulungi mu bulamu bwange	1	2	3	4
4.13	Nzikiriza nti Katonda yatonda ensi mu nnaku mukaaga zokka nga bulu lunaku lulimu e saawa 24 era nga ekyo yakikola ebbanga si ddene nnyo eryakayitawo	1	2	3	4
4.14	Nzikiriza nti Katonda ye yatonda ensi	1	2	3	4
4.15	Bwe mbeera nga ndirokolebwa, nsaana okubatizibwa mu kanisa y’Abadventisti.	1	2	3	4
4.16	Ekanisa y’Abadventi ekkiririza mu “mazima ag’ekiseera kino” ekitegeeza nti ebikikirizibwa biyinza okukyuuka ekiseera bwe kiyitawo.	1	2	3	4
4.17	Olunaku olw’Omusanvu (Saturday) lwe lunaku olwa Sabbiti olutuufu	1	2	3	4
4.18	Omuntu bw’afa omubiri gwe gusigala mu ntaana era omwoyo gwe nagwo ne gwebaka okutuusa ku kuzuukira	1	2	3	4
4.19	Nzikiriza nti eby’obulogo webiri nti era n’Abakristayo bagenda eri abafumu okufuna obukuumi	1	2	3	4
4.20	Olw’okubeera nti abantu ba Katonda okugeza nga Ibulayimu, Yakobo, Dawudi ne Sulemani, baalina abakazi abasukka ku omu, kino kiraga nti Katonda asemba okubeera n’abakazi abangi.	1	2	3	4

4.21. Soma emboozi zino wammanga n’obwegendereza: bw’omaliriza lamba emboozi emu esinga okubeera okumpi n’ekyo ekinnyonnyola kiki Bayibuli ky’eri okusinziira ku ky’otegeera.

- € Bayibuli teriimu mazima oba amagezi agasukkiridde ku ago agali mu bitabo ebirala eby’eddiini/eby’amaddiini ebiri mu nsi
- € Bayibuli mulimu gw’abantu abagendanga bakunanyanya enfumo ezaali zigunjiddwa okunnyonnyola ebyama ebikwata ku bulamu. Bayibuli era erimu amagezi mangi agakwata ku bantu bye baayitamu – ebyakola n’ebitaakola.

- € Bayibuli mulimu gw'abantu abaalina omukwano ogw'amazima eri Katonda era abaayagala okugabana okuteegeera kwe baategeera Katonda n'emirimu gye eri ensi.
- € Bayibuli mulimu gw'abantu abaalunnamizibwa Katonda era abaabikkula obubaka bwa Katonda okusinziira gye baali mu kiseera kyabwe.
- € Bayibuli mulimu gw'abantu abawandiikanga kigambo ku kigambo awatali kusobyamu era ng'ebibeetoolodde tebyayingizibwa mu biwandiiko byabwe.
- € Bayibuli mulimu gw'abantu abalunnamizibwa Katonda era abo mu kuwandiika bye baawandiika bakozesanga eby'okulabiriako ebyalinga bibeetoolodde okusoboola okunonyola obulungi amazima ag'emirembe n'emirembe.

4.22. Soma emboozi zino wammanga n'obwegendereza; bw'omaliriza lamba emboozi emu esinga okubeera okumpi n'ekyo ekinnyonnyola kiki Ebitabo bya Ellen G. White kye biri okusinziira ku ky'otegeera.

- € Ellen G. White simumanyi
- € Ebyawandiikibwa bya Ellen G. White tebiriimu mazima n'amagezi agasukkiridde ku ago agali mu' biwandiiko by'akulembeze b'amaddiini amalala.
- € Ellen G. White yali muntu eyagunjawo enfumo ezikwata ku kulunnamizibwa okutali kwa bulijjo kwe yafuna okusobola okunnyonnyola ebyama by'obulamu. Ebiwandiiko bye birimu amagezi mangi agakwata kw'ebyo ebyatuuka ku bantu – ebyaakola n'ebitaakola
- € Ellen G. White yalunnamizibwa Katonda era yayanja ebya Katonda mu bubaka bwe ng'akozesa embeera eyali emwetoolodde mu kiseera ekyo.
- € Ellen G. White yawandiikanga kigambo ku kigambo nga Katonda bwe yabimugambanga, era yawandiikanga nga tataddemu mbeera emwetoolodde mu kiseera ekyo.

Okkiriza kyenkana wa buli emu ku njigiriza zino ez'ekanisa y'Abadventi? Teeka enkulungo ku muwendo okulaga enzikiriza yo.

1 = Nkikkiriza bulambalamba

2 = Nkikkiriza kubanga ekanisa bw'eyigiriza

3 = Nkirinako ebibuuzo

4 = Nina okubuusabuusa kwa maanyi ku kyo

5 = Nkikkiriza

6 = Kino ekibuuzo si kikulu gyendi

4.23	Yesu Kristo mwana wa Katonda	1	2	3	4	5	6
4.24	Okusala omusango kwatandika mu 1844	1	2	3	4	5	6
4.25	Ennyinnyonnyola y'ekanisa ku bunnabbi bw'ebiseera eby'enkomerero	1	2	3	4	5	6
4.26	Ellen G. White yali mutume eri e kanisa y'Abadventi era ngayalunnamizibwa	1	2	3	4	5	6
4.27	Omutindo gw'Adventisti ogukwatagana n'embeera y'eby'obulamu	1	2	3	4	5	6
4.28	Omutindo gw'Adventisti ogukwatagana n'enyambala ensaamusaamu	1	2	3	4	5	6

4.29. Oyinda kunnyonnyola otya endowooza yo ku bikwatagana n'eddiini n'embeera y'eby'omwoyo?

- € Ndi munaddiini naye siri wa mwoyo
- € Ndi wa mwoyo naye siri munaddiini
- € Ndi wa mwoyo era munaddiini
- € Siri wa mwoyo era siri munaddiini

*Tukwebaza nnyo okutuyambako mu kunonyereza kuno.
Tusiimye nnyo obuyambi bwo mu mulimu guno.*

APPENDIX F – AFAN OROMO VERSION

JENERAAL KONFIRENSII WALDAA ADVENTISTII GUYAAY TORBAFFAATTI

Divizhinii Baha-Giddu galeessa Afrikaa



Waraqaa Amantii fi Bu'uura Waldaa Kiristaanaa qorachuuf oolu

Qorannaa Waliigalaa Miseensota Waldaa Adventistii Guyyaa Torbaffaa

AMANTII, AMANANNAA, HUBANNAA, ILAALCHAA FI GOCHA

Waraqaan gaaffii kun amantaa, muuxannoo amantii, hubannaa, ilaalchaa fi hirmaannaa isin akka dhuunfaa keessaniitti waldaa keessan keessatti qabdan ilaallata. Odeeffannoon isin kennitan akka geggeessitootni waldaa akkamitti akka waldaa keessan jabeessuu qabanii fi jireenya amantii keessan caalaatti hubachuu akka isaan danda'an hubachuuf isaan gargaara. Ati namoota kanaaf filataman keessaa tokko waan taateef deggersi kee baayyee barbaachisaa dha.

Yaada waraqaa kana irratti guuttuuf eenyummaan kee eenyu biratti iyyuu hin ibsamu. Maqaa kee si hin gaafannu. Koodiin addaas kan ittiin adda si baafannu hin jiraatu.

Gaaffii HUNDUMAA amma siif danda'ame amanamummaadhaan deebisi. Akkamitti akka deebisuu qabdu nama kan biraa hin gaafatin. Nuti kan barbaadnu waan sitti dhaga'amu, waan itti amantuu fi ilaalcha ati qabdu dha. Gaaffii kamiin iyyuu baayyee ariifatee hin deebisin. Gaaffii itti aanutti ariifatee darbuudhaan dura gaaffii isa qabdeef deebii filatamaa dha jettu deebisi.

Yoo kana keessatti hirmaachuu hin feetu ta'e dhiisuun mirga kee akka ta'e si beeksisuu barbaadna. Waraqaa qorannaa kana guuttee nuuf deebisuun kee qorannaa milka'aa gochuuf nu gargaara. Nu gargaaruu keetiif dhugaadhumatti si galateeffanna.

9. ODEEFFANNOO KEE

Waa'ee kee odeeffannoo barbaachisaa ta'an beekuu barbaadna. Filannoo si ilaallatu sorori.

9.1. Ofii kee akkamitti ibsita?

- € Gurraacha
- € Adii
- € Baha Asiyaa
- € Laatinii
- € Kibba Asiyaa
- € Kan biroo

9.2. Saalli kee maali?

€ Dhiira € Dhalaa

9.3. Ati Miseensa Waldaa Adventistii Guyyaa Torbaffaa Cuubamte dhaa?

€ Eeyyee € Miti

9.4. Umuriin Kee Meeqa?

€ Waggaa 15 gadi	€ 36 – 40	€ 61 – 65
€ 16 – 20	€ 41 – 45	€ 66 – 70
€ 21 – 25	€ 46 – 50	€ 71 – 75
€ 26 – 30	€ 51 – 55	€ 76 – 80
€ 31 – 35	€ 56 – 60	€ waggaa 80 oli

9.5. Biyyi Kee Eessa? _____**9.6. Giddu galeessatti, waggaa darbe keessa yeroo meeqa waldaa hirmaatteetta?**

€ Homaa
 € 1 – 2
 € Yeroo muraasa
 € Ji'atti yeroo tokko
 € Ji'atti yeroo 2-3
 € Ji'atti yeroo 4 fi isaa ol

9.7. Sadarkaan Barumsaa inni guddaan ati xumurte maali?

€ Sadarkaa tokkoffaa qofa
 € Sadarkaa tokkoffaa fi sadarkaa lammaffaa keessaa muraasa
 € Sadarkaa lammaffaa xumureera
 € Yuunversiitii ykn kolleejjii amma ta'e baradheera
 € Yuunversiitii ykn kolleejjii xumureera
 € Digirii lammaffaa ykn isaa ol xumureera

9.8. Mana barumsaa, Kolleejjii ykn Yuuniversitii Adventistiitti barattee beektaa?

(kan si ilaallatan hunda sorori)

€ Mana barumsaa Adventistiitti hin baranne
 € Sadarkaa tokkoffaa muraasa keessatti baradheera
 € Sadarkaa tokkoffaa keessatti xumureera
 € Sadarkaa lammaffaa muraasa keessatti baradheera
 € Sadarkaa lammaffaa keessatti xumureera
 € Kolleejjii ykn Yuunversitii Adveentistii keessatti muraasa baradheera
 € Kolleejjii ykn Yuunversitii Adveentistii keessatti xumureera
 € Digirii lammaffaa ykn sanaa ol keessatti baradheera

9.9. Maatii Adventistii ta'an keessatti dhalattee?

€ Eeyyee € Miti

1.10. Yoo miti ta'e, erga Adventistii guyyaa torbaffaa taatee waggaa meeqa ta'eera?

(Deebii kamtu siin caalaatti ilaallata?)

€ Waggaa 1 gadi	€ Waggaa 26-30
€ Waggaa 1-4	€ Waggaa 31-35

€ Waggaa 5-10	€ Waggaa 36-40
€ Waggaa 11-15	€ Waggaa 41-45
€ Waggaa 16-20	€ Waggaa 46-50
€ Waggaa 21-25	€ Waggaa 50 oli

1.11. Dhaabbata Adiventistiitiin ykn kan isaan oogganamuun miindeffamtee beektaa?

€ Eeyyee € Miti

10. WAA'EE WALDAA KEETHI

Waa'ee waldaa amma hirmaachaa jirtuu yaadi. Himootni armaan gadii waldaa kee ilaallachuun isaanii ammam dhugaa dha?

10.1. Waaqeffannaa waldaa kee keessatti ta'u ammam hirmaatta?

- € Waggaa keessatti yeroo muraasa
- € Ji'a keessaa yeroo tokko ykn lama
- € Ji'a keessaa yeroo lama ykn sadii
- € Torbanitti yeroo tokko
- € Torbanitti yeroo tokkoo oli

10.2. Waldaa dhaquu kanan filadhu:

- € Waggaa keessatti yeroo muraasa
- € Ji'a keessaa yeroo tokko ykn lama
- € Ji'a keessaa yeroo lama ykn sadii
- € Torbanitti yeroo tokko
- € Torbanitti yeroo tokkoo oli

10.3. Hirmaannaa waldaa keessatti qabdu akkamitti ilaalta? (himoota armaan gadii keessaa kan caalaatti dhiyaannaa ati waldaa keetiif qabdu ibsu filadhu)

- € Hojii waldaa kam keessatti iyyuu hin hirmaadhu
- € Ofii koo akka daawataattin ilaala
- € Ofii koo akka nama darbee darbee hirmaatuuttin ilaala
- € Akka hirmaataa dammaqaa ta'eettin of ilaala
- € Ofii koo akka geggeessaa waldaattin of ilaala

10.4. Waldaa hirmaattutti ammam quuftee jirta? (Tokkotti mari)

Baayyeen itti hin quufne	homaa hin jedhu	Baayyee itti quufeera
1 2 3	4 5 6	7 8 9 10

10.5. Amala waldaa keetii keessaa kan akka ati waldaa Adventistii guyyaa torbaffaa keessaa baatee waldaa Adventistii hin taane kan biraa akka waaqessitu kan si godhu maali?

- € Yeroo lallabni nuffisiisaa ta'u
- € Yeroo waldaan qabbanaa'uu fi nama hin simanne
- € Yeroo dhuma torbanii irraan ala sochiin hin jirre
- € Yeroo waaqeffannaan hiikkaa dhabu
- € Kan biraa _____ (Hima kana deebisu barreessi)

10.6. Amala waldaa keetii keessaa kan akka ati waldaa Adventistii guyyaa torbaffaa keessaa baatee waldaa Adiventistii guyyaa torbaffaa kan biraa akka waaqessitu ' kan si godhu maali?

- € Yeroo lallabne nuffisiisaa ta'u
 € Yeroo waldaan qabbanaa'uu fi nama hin simanne
 € Yeroo dhuma torbanii irraan ala sochiin hin jirre
 € Yeroo waaqeffannaan hiikkaa dhabu
 € Kan biraa _____ (Hima kana deebisu barreessi)

10.7. Amala waldaa keetii keessaa kan akka ati waldaa Adventistii guyyaa torbaffaa keessaa baatee mana keetti akka waaqessitu kan si godhu maali?

- € Yeroo lallabne nuffisiisaa ta'u
 € Yeroo waldaan qabbanaa'uu fi nama hin simanne
 € Yeroo dhuma torbanii irraan ala sochiin hin jirre
 € Yeroo waaqeffannaan hiikkaa dhabu
 € Kan biraa _____ (Hima kana deebisu barreessi)

Muuxannoo waldaa kee wajjin qabdu yaadi. (Barumsa sanbataa, qorannaa kitaaba qulqulluu, sagantaa dargaggootaa, tajaajila warra hin amanin qaqqabuu, tajaajila waaqeffannaa fi kkf itti dabali.) Himoota armaan gadii kanaaf kan dhugaa ta'e itti mari:

1 – Hin jiru 2 – darbee darbee 3 – yeroo baayyee 4 – yeroo hunda

2.8	Sagantaan waldaa koo keessaa namatti hin tolu	1	2	3	4
2.9	Sagantaan waldaa koo keessaa akkan yaadu na godha	1	2	3	4
2.10	Barsiisotni barumsa sanbataa kootii sirriitti na beeku	1	2	3	4
2.11	Lubni waldaa kootii sirriitti na beeku	1	2	3	4
2.12	Geggeessitootni waldaa keessaa dammaqoo fi kan ofitti nama dhiyeessani dha	1	2	3	4
2.13	Waldaa keessatti ofii koo ta'uu nan danda'a	1	2	3	4
2.14	Geggeessitootni waldaa kootii naaf yaadu	1	2	3	4
2.15	Sagantaa waldaa kootii deemuuf abdiinan eega	1	2	3	4
2.16	Sagantaa waldaa kanan dhaquuf waanan fedhuuf dha	1	2	3	4
2.17	Waldaan koo kiristoositti akkan guddadhu na gochaa jirti	1	2	3	4
2.18	Garee xixiqqaa waldaan hundeessite keessatti nan hirmaadha	1	2	3	4
2.19	Yeroon waldaa hin hirmaatin hafu baayyeen gadda	1	2	3	4
2.20	Hawwaasa keessatti hirmaannaa isheen gootuu fi maqaa gaarii isheen qabduun waldaa kootiin nan boona	1	2	3	4

Waldaa kee kennaa adda addaa kennuudhaan ni deggertaa? Yoo deebiin kee EEEYEE ta'e filannoo 2.21 – 2.29 keessa dhaqi. Yoo MITI ta'e, gaaffii 2.30 bira dhaqi. Lakkoofsa hirmaannaa kee sirriitti ibsutti mari. Deebii kanneen keessaa filadhu:

1 – Gonkumaa 2 – xinnoo xinnoo 3 – yeroo tokko tokko 4 – yeroo baayyee
 5 – yeroo hunda 6 – nah in ilaallatu

2.21	Karaa kurnaffaa kootii	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.22	Kennaa barumsa sanbataa	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.23	Barnoota kiristaanaa	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.24	Fandii ijaarsa waldaaf	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.25	Sagantaa tajaajila waldaaf	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.26	Sagantaa yaalii wangeelaaf	1	2	3	4	5	6

2.27	Barnoota 13 ^{ffaa} f amman dur kennuu ol kennuun	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.28	Mana barumsaa waldaa naannootiif	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.29	Dhaala kennuun	1	2	3	4	5	6

Safartuu 1 hanga 5 jiran keessaa 1 qaphxii gad aanaa “gonkumaa” jedhuu fi 5 qaphxii ol aanaa “baayyee baayyee” jedhuun safariitii kamtu luba waldaa keetii sirriitti ibsa? Deebii kee itti mari.

Gonkumaa		Baayyee Baayyee					
1	2	3	4	5			
2.30	Tajaajilaaf kaka’umsa qaba	1	2	3	4	5	
2.31	Yeroo muddamaatti kan nama gargaaru dha	1	2	3	4	5	
2.32	Kan nama eebbisu dha	1	2	3	4	5	
2.33	Darbee darbee amantoota mana deemee gaafata	1	2	3	4	5	
2.34	Waan namoota kan biro barbaachisuuf deebii kenna	1	2	3	4	5	
2.35	Lallabaa gaarii dha	1	2	3	4	5	
2.36	Hawwaasa waldaa keenyaa keessaatti geggeessummaa hafuura jaba ta’e agarsiisa	1	2	3	4	5	
2.37	Yaada haaraa ni fudhata	1	2	3	4	5	
2.38	Hojii lubummaa isaatii fi sirriitti kan hojjetu dha	1	2	3	4	5	

Muuxannoo waldaa Adiventistii guyyaa torbaffaa keessatti qabdu keessatti geggeessitoota ilaalchisee himni gadii kun ammam dhugaa dha? Lakkoofsa deebii kee agarsiisutti mari:

1 – Yaada hin qabu 2 – Dhugaa miti 3 – Darbee darbee dhugaa dha 4 – dhugaa dha
5 – yeroo baayyee dhugaa dha 6 – yeroo hunda dhugaa dha

Geggeessitoota waldaa keetii...

2.39	yaada haaraadhaaf banaa dha	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.40	Ergama waldaa sirriitti ibsa	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.41	Amantootni akka isaan ergama kana keessatti hirmaatan gochaa jira	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.42	Wajjin haasa’uun salphaa dha	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.43	Waldaa keenya deggeruuf dammaqaa dha	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.44	Waan waldaan barbaadduuf deebii ni kenna	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.45	Waldaan waan barbaaddu argachuuf bira ga’uu hin dandeessu	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.46	Tajaajila waldaa keessatti dargaggoota ni hirmaachisa	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.47	Yaada haaraa ni uuma	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.48	Waldaa naannoo fi mana barumsaa naannoo ni deggera	1	2	3	4	5	6

2.49. Jalqaba gara waldaa kanaa akkamitti akka dhufte yaadiitii, wanti akka ati waldaa kana hirmaattuuf si harkise maal ture? (deebii tokkoo ol filachuu dandeessa)

- | | |
|--------------------------------|--|
| € Hiriyyoota kootu achi jira | € Maqaa gaarii waldattiin qabdu |
| € Sagantaa barnoota ga’eesotaa | € Sagantaa daa’immanii fi dargaggootaa |
| € Sagantaa Faarfannaa | € Tajaajila hawwaasaaf godhamu |
| € Akkaataa waaqeffannaa | € Garee of gargaarsaa |
| € Barsiisa waldattii | € Walitti dhufeenya amantootaa |
| € Lallabaa | € Tamsaasa wangeelaa |

- € Iddoo ani jiraadhuuf mijataa ta'uu isaa
 € Kan biraa: _____ (Hima gabaabaan ibsi)

2.50. Jalqaba gara waldaa kanaa akkamitti akka dhufte yaadiitii, wanti akka ati waldaa kana keessatti haftu si taasise maal ture? (deebii tokkoo ol filachuu dandeessa)

- | | |
|---------------------------------|--|
| € Hiriyoota kootu achi jira | € Maqaa gaarii waldattiin qabdu |
| € Sagantaa barnoota ga'eessotaa | € Sagantaa daa'immanii fi dargaggootaa |
| € Sagantaa Faarfannaa | € Tajaajila hawwaasaaf godhamu |
| € Akkaataa waaqeffannaa | € Garee of gargaarsaa |
| € Barsiisa waldattii | € Walitti dhufeenya amantootaa |
| € Lallabaa | € Tamsaasa wangeelaa |
- € Iddoo ani jiraadhuuf mijataa ta'uu isaa
 € Kan biraa: _____ (Hima gabaabaan ibsi)

Waldaa keessaniif geggeessummaa soortuu kennuu keessatti amalli dhuunfaa gadii kun ammam barbaachisoo dha? Deebii keetti mari:

- | | | |
|---------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------|
| 1 – Barbaachisaa miti | 3 – ni barbaachisa | 5 – Baayyee Barbaachisa |
| 2 – xiqqoo ni barbaachisa | 4 – baayyee baayyee barbaachisa | |

2.51	Dhimmoota kitaaba qulqulluu ilaalchisee leenjii qabaachuu	1	2	3	4	5
2.52	Guddina Hafuuraa irratti xiyyeeffachuu	1	2	3	4	5
2.53	Kaka'umsa yaadaa fi wal'aansoo qabuu	1	2	3	4	5
2.54	Jajjabeessuu fi mirkaneessuu	1	2	3	4	5
2.55	Lallabuu fi barsiisuu	1	2	3	4	5
2.56	Dhimmoota yeroo irratti lallabuu fi barsiisuu	1	2	3	4	5
2.57	Dhiyaannaa fi yaada haaraa	1	2	3	4	5
2.58	Akkuma yeroo hunda hojjetamanitti wantota hojjechuu	1	2	3	4	5
2.59	Nama murtee jabaa ta'uu	1	2	3	4	5
2.60	Fedhaan tajaajiltootni akka isaan nama murtee ta'aniif jajjabeessuu	1	2	3	4	5
2.61	Walitti dhufeenya of irraa bu'e	1	2	3	4	5
2.62	Walitti dhufeenya amaleeffatame	1	2	3	4	5
2.63	Hojii ofii xumuruuf jabaatanii hojjechuu	1	2	3	4	5
2.64	Miira namootaa galma ka'ame dura buusuu	1	2	3	4	5
2.65	Namootni akka isaan ofii isaaniitii wantota tokko tokko adda baafataniif gargaaruu	1	2	3	4	5
2.66	Maal akka godhan namoota gorsuu	1	2	3	4	5
2.67	Yaada ofii kan ibsatuu fi kan of qabu	1	2	3	4	5
2.68	Kan milkaa'ee fi hawwaasummaa keessatti kan hirmaatu	1	2	3	4	5
2.69	Jireenya wal madaale kan eeggatu	1	2	3	4	5
2.70	Ofii isaa guutummaatti waldaadhaaf kennuu	1	2	3	4	5

2.71. Walumaa galatti, namoota hin amanin qaqqabuu keessatti amantootni deggersa akkamiifaa dabaluu qabu jettee yaadda?

- € Kan amma gochaa jirru baayyee dha
 € Kan amma gochaa jirru ga'aa dha
 € Hanga ta'e dabaluu ykn fooyyessuu barbaada
 € Baayyee dabaluu ykn fooyyessuu barbaada

2.72. Walumaa galatti, amantoota kunuunsuu fi sooruu keessatti amantootni deggersa

akkamiifaa dabaluu qabu jettee yaadda?

- € Kan amma gochaa jirru baayyee dha
- € Kan amma gochaa jirru ga'aa dha
- € Hanga ta'e dabaluu ykn fooyyessuu barbaada
- € Baayyee dabaluu ykn fooyyessuu barbaada

2.73. Namoota hin amanin qaqqabudhaaf sochii miseensi waldaa keetii geggeessan keessatti hirmaachuudhaaf ammam fedha qabda?

- € Gonkumaa hin qabu
- € Hanga ta'e
- € Giddu galeessa
- € Baayyee

2.74. Utuu tajaajilli waaqeffannaa waldaa kootii hin jiru ta'ee, amantiin koo hir'ataa akka deemu natty dhaga'ama

- € Gonkumaa hin qabu
- € Hanga ta'e
- € Giddu galeessa
- € Baayyee

2.75. I use information from the internet (World Wide Web) as a way to grow my faith.

- € Gonkumaa hin qabu
- € Hanga ta'e
- € Giddu galeessa
- € Baayyee

3. JIREENYA MANTII KEETII

Isaan gadii kun tokkoon tokkoon isaanii ammam jireenya amanti keetii guddifachuuf si gargaare? Deebii si ilaallatu itti mari. Yoo keessatti hin hirmaanne ta'e "nah in ilaallatu" jedhi. Deebii kanneen keessaa filadhu:

- 1 – Na hin ilaallatu 2 – Gonkumaa hin qabu 3 – Yeroo tokko tokko
4 – Yeroo baayyee 5 – Baayyee baayyee

3.1	Barumsa sanbataa	1	2	3	4	5
3.2	Kadhannaa fi qorannaa kitaana qulqulluu dhuunfaa	1	2	3	4	5
3.3	Tajaajila waaqeffannaa waldaa	1	2	3	4	5
3.4	Waaqeffannaa maatii	1	2	3	4	5
3.5	Wal ga'ii kadhannaa	1	2	3	4	5
3.6	Torban kadhannaa waldaatti ta'u	1	2	3	4	5
3.7	Yeroo callisa waldaa	1	2	3	4	5
3.8	Warra hin amamnin qaqqabuu hawwaasa waldaa	1	2	3	4	5
3.9	Pirojektii tajaajila yeroo gabaabaa	1	2	3	4	5
3.10	Mana barumsaa Adventistiitti barachuu	1	2	3	4	5
3.11	Tamsaasa wangeelaa (kitaaba qulqulluu qorachiisuu, barreeffama adda addaa hiruu, kkf)	1	2	3	4	5
3.12	Sagantaawwan fiildiidhaan qopha'an	1	2	3	4	5
3.13	Soortuu waldaa	1	2	3	4	5
3.14	Soortuu dargaggootaa	1	2	3	4	5

3.43	Yerpp fi qarshii koo irraa namoota kan biroo gargaaruuf nan kenna	1	2	3	4	5
3.44	Walitti dhufeenyan namoota biraa wajjin qabu keessatti argamuu Waaqayyoo nan hubadha	1	2	3	4	5
3.45	Jireenyi koo hiikkaa fi kaayyoo qabaachuu isaa nan beeka	1	2	3	4	5
3.46	Biyya koo fi addunyaa keessaa hiyyummaa hir'isuun qaba	1	2	3	4	5
3.47	Amantii koo dhimmoota siyaasaa fi hawwasummaa irrann oolcha	1	2	3	4	5
3.48	Wantin godhu kaka'umsan Yesuusiif qabu agarsiisu	1	2	3	4	5
3.49	Waa'ee amantii kootii nama biraa wajjin nan dubbadha	1	2	3	4	5
3.50	Waaqayyo akka na geggeessaa jiru natty dhaga'ama	1	2	3	4	5
3.51	Miidhagina uumama Waaqayyo uumeetiin nan eebbifama	1	2	3	4	5

Gaaffiin gadii ilaalcha ati waa'ee amantiif qabdu ilaallata. Lakkoofsa si ilaallatutti mari.

1 – Baayyeen ittiin morma

3 – Hin beeku

5 – Baayyeen walii gala

2 – Mormuun filadha

4 – Walii galuun filadha

3.52	Waa'ee Adventistummaa dubbisuun jaalladha	1	2	3	4	5
3.53	Hiriyyoota baafachuufan waldaa dhaqa	1	2	3	4	5
3.54	Amman gaarii ta'etti wanta kamiinuu yoon amane rakkoo hin qabu	1	2	3	4	5
3.55	Yeroo tokko tokko ilalcha namootni waa'ee koof qabaniif jedhee amantii koo nan laaffisa	1	2	3	4	5
3.56	Yaadaa fi kadhannaa dhuunfaadhaaf yeroo fudhachuun anaaf barbaachisaa dha	1	2	3	4	5
3.57	Yeroo baayyee argamuun Waaqayyoo natti dhaga'ama	1	2	3	4	5
3.58	Eegumsaa fi gargaarsa argachuuf qofan kadhada	1	2	3	4	5
3.59	Akka amantaa kootti jiraachuuf baayyeen yaala	1	2	3	4	5
3.60	Amantiin kan inni caalaatti naaf godhu rakkoo keessatti jajjabina naaf gochuu dha	1	2	3	4	5
3.61	Hiikkaa jireenyaa ilaalchisee gaaffii ka'uuf deebii waan kennuuf amantiin koo barbaachisaa dha	1	2	3	4	5
3.62	Garee hawwaasummaa waldaatti makamuu irra garee kitaaba qulqulluu qoratutti makamuu naaf wayya	1	2	3	4	5
3.62	Nagaa fi gammachuuf kadhachuu	1	2	3	4	5
3.63	Amanaa yoon ta'e iyyuu akka inni jireenya koo guyyaa guyyaatti jiraadhu miidhu hin heyyamuuf	1	2	3	4	5
3.64	Yeroo baayyee kanan waldaa dhaquuf hiriyyoota koo wajjin wal arguuf dha	1	2	3	4	5
3.65	Dhiyaannaan jireenya kootii hundi amantii koo irratti hundaa'a	1	2	3	4	5
3.66	Waldaa dhaquutti kanan gammadu namootan beeku waanan achitti arguuf dha	1	2	3	4	5
3.67	Kadhachuun akka narra jiru waanan baradheef qofan kadhada	1	2	3	4	5
3.68	Kadhannaan qofaa kootti kadhada akkuma isan waldaatti kadhachu barbaachisaa dha	1	2	3	4	5
3.69	Ammam illee yoon amanaa ta'e, wantotni kan	1	2	3	4	5

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Qajeelfama: isaan gadii kana ammam hojjetteetta? Deebii keetti mari.

- 1 – Gonkumaa 3 – Torbanitti yeroo tokko 5 – Guyyaatti yeroo tokkoo fi isaa oli
2 – Ji’atti yeroo tokkoo gadi 4 – Torbanitti yeroo tokkoo oli

3.70	Kitaaba Qulqulluu nan dubbisa	1	2	3	4	5
3.71	Waaqeffannaa dhuunfaa nan qabaadha	1	2	3	4	5
3.72	Barreeffamoota Ellen G. White nan dubbisa	1	2	3	4	5
3.73	Waaqeffannaa maatii nan qabaadha (<i>kadhannaa maatii wajjin godhamu</i>)	1	2	3	4	5

*Baayyee gaarii dha amma fixuuf jetta.
Qorannaa keenyaaf kun kutaa isa dhumaati.*

4. WAA’EE WANTA ATI AMANTUU

Lakkoofsa deebii kee ibsutti mari. Deebii kanneen keessaa filadhu. (hunda isaatti walii galuu kee sirraa hin eegnu).

- 1 – Baayyeen morma 3 – irra caalaa nan fudhadha
2 – Irra caalaa nan morma 4 – baayyeen walii gala

4.1	Waaqayyo hundumaa jaallata, yoo ani nama gaarii ta’e dhuma irratti gaarii naaf ta’a	1	2	3	4
4.2	Ani Waaqayyo isa nama hundumaa wajjin dhuunfaatti walitti dhufeenya fedhuttin amana	1	2	3	4
4.3	Yoo itti siqxee ilaalte biyya lafaa irra nama gosa lamatu jira: warra qajeeloo, dhuma irratti kan badhaafamanii fi warra qajeelota hin taane	1	2	3	4
4.4	Kiristaanummaan waa’ee humna Yesuus akkan cubbuu injifadhuuf naaf kennuuti	1	2	3	4
4.5	Yerooman amanen fayyee kan Yesuus naaf hojjete fudhadhe	1	2	3	4
4.6	Yesuus durba irraa dhalachuu isaa nan amana	1	2	3	4
4.7	Waldaan Adventistii guyyaa 7ffaa waldaa Waaqayyoo ishee bara dhuma fi kan ergaa dhufa gooftaa isa 2ffaaf biyya lafaa qopheessu qabdu dha.	1	2	3	4
4.8	Barsiisni, ykn kitaabni qulqulluun guutuu guutummaatti dogoggora ykn walitti bu’iinsa hin qabne hin jiru.	1	2	3	4
4.9	Namoota biyya lafaa kana irra jiran keessaa gareen tokko Waaqayyoo wajjin walitti dhufeenya addaa qaba	1	2	3	4
4.10	Walitti dhufeenye Yesuusii wajjinii barbaachisaa dha, haa ta’u malee amman Seera isaaf hin abboomamnetti samiitti hin galu	1	2	3	4
4.11	Biyyi lafaa kun waggaa 20 keessatti ni raawwatti	1	2	3	4
4.12	Cuuphameera, bara koo guutuu yoon nama gaarii ta’ee itti fufe samiitti nan gala	1	2	3	4
4.13	Akka Waaqayyo biyya lafaa guutummaa guyyaa 6 kan tokkoon tokkoo isaa sa’a 24 qabu keessatti uume nan amana	1	2	3	4
4.14	Waaqayyo biyya lafaa uumuu isaa nan amana	1	2	3	4
4.15	Fayyuudhaaf, waldaa Adventistii guyyaa torbaffaa keessatti cuuphamuun qaba	1	2	3	4

4.16	Waldaan Adventistii “Dhugaa Yeroo Ammaa”tti amanti, kana jechuun amantaan yeroo yeroodhaan ni jijjiirama	1	2	3	4
4.17	Sanbati dhugaan Sanbata duraa dha	1	2	3	4
4.18	Yeroo namni du’u qaamni isaanii owwaalamee lubbuun isaanii ammoo amma guyyaa du’aa ka’uutti ni boqota	1	2	3	4
4.19	Xibaarri akka jiruu fi Kiristaanotni gara hakiima xibaaraa dhaquu akka danda’an nan amana	1	2	3	4
4.20	Namootni Waaqayyoo warri akka Abirhaam, Yaaqob, Daawwit fi Solomoon dubartii tokkoo ol fuudhuun isaanii akka Waaqayyo dubartii baayyee fuudhuu heyyame mirkaneessa.	1	2	3	4

4.21. Himoota gadii sirriitti dubbisi: sana booda isaan keessaa waa’ee kitaaba qulqulluu hubannaa ati qabduutti kan dhiyaatu sorori.

- € Kitaabni qulqulluun dhugaa kitaabotni amantaa kan biroo qabaniin olitti dhugaa ykn oogummaa qabu hin qabu.
- € Kitaabni qulqulluun seenaa namootni iccita jireenyaa ibsuudhaaf uumantu walitti qabame. Muuxannoo namootaa ilaalchisee oogummaa guddaa qaba.
- € Kitaabni qulqulluun namoota Waaqayyoon jaallatanii fi hojii Waaqayyo biyya lafaa kana keessatti raawwate ibsuu barbaadaniin hojjetame.
- € Kitaabni qulqulluun kan namootni Hafuuraan guutaman ergaa Waaqayyoo bara isaanii fi yeroo isaaniitti dhiyeessani dha.
- € Kitaabni qulqulluun kan namootni yeroo fi iddoo jiraniin utuu hin daangeffamin waan Waaqayyo tokko tokkoon itti hime akka Inni dubbatetti kan barreessani dha.
- € Kitaabni qulqulluun kan namootni Hafuuraan guutaman, yeroo fi bakka keessa turanii wajjin wal qabsiisanii yoo dabarsan iyyuu, dhugaa bara baraa kan dabarsani dha.

4.22. Himoota gadii sirriitti dubbisi; sana booda isaan keessaa waa’ee barreeffamoota Ellen G. White hubannaa ati qabduutti kan dhiyaatu sorori.

- € **Ellen G. White** eenyu akka taate hin beeku
- € Ellen G. White kan isheen barreessite dhugaa barreeffamoota geggeessitootni amantii garaa garaa barreessan keessa jiru irra waan caal hin qabu
- € Ellen G. White nama iccita jireenyaa ibsuudhaaf seenaa geggeessaa Waaqayyoo ilaalchisu uumte dha. Barreeffamni ishee muuxannoo namootaa ilaalchisee oogummaa guddaa qaba
- € Ellen G. White Hafuura Waaqayyoon guutamtee ergaa Waaqayyoo iddoo fi yeroo keessa turtee wajjin wal qabsiiftee barreessite
- € Ellen G. White utuu iddoo fi yeroo keessa turteen hin daangeffamin waan Waaqayyo itti hime tokko tokkoon akkuma inni jedhetti barreessite

Barsiisa dhuunfaa waldaa Adventistii guyyaa torbaffaa armaan gadi jiran kana ammam fudhatta? Lakkoofsa deebii kee ilaallatutti mari.

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| 2 – Waldaan waan barsiiftuufan fudhadha | 5 – Hin fudhadhu |
| 3 – Waa’ee isaa gaaffii qaba | 6 – Gaaffiin kun anaaf barbaachisaa miti |

4.23	Yesuus Kiristoos ilma Waaqayyooti	1	2	3	4	5	6
4.24	Qorannaan galmee bara 1844 eegale	1	2	3	4	5	6
4.25	Hiikkaa waldaan raajii bara dhumaaf dubbatame laattu	1	2	3	4	5	6

4.26	Ellen G. White ergamtuu waldaa Adventistii guyyaa 7ffaa HAFuuraan guutamte dha	1	2	3	4	5	6
4.27	Safartuu Adventistootni fayyaaf qaban	1	2	3	4	5	6
4.28	Safartuu Adventistootni uffannaa salphaa fi giddu galeessa ta'eef qaban	1	2	3	4	5	6

4.29. Ilaalcha amatii fi Hafuura irratti qabdu akkamitti ibsita?

- € Ani nama amantiiti garuu nama Hafuuraa miti
- € Ani nama Hafuuraati garuu nama amanti miti
- € Ani nama hafuuraatis nama amantiitis
- € Ani lamaanuu keessaa hin qabu

Qorannaa miseensota waldaa kana irratti nu gargaaruu keef galatoomi.

Qorannaa kana keessatti deggersa kee sirriitti galateeffanna.

APPENDIX G – AMHARIC VERSION



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APPENDIX H – FRENCH VERSION

CONFERENCE GENERALE DES ADVENTISTES DU SEPTIEME JOUR

East-Central Africa Division



Instrument d'Etude et de Recherche pour l'Eglise Valuegenesis

Etude des Membres de l'Eglise Adventiste

Foi, Croyances, Perceptions, Attitudes et Actions

Ce questionnaire concerne vos propres croyances, votre expérience de foi, vos perceptions, vos attitudes et votre implication dans votre église locale. Les informations que vous fournirez aideront les leaders de l'église à savoir comment renforcer votre église locale et de mieux comprendre votre vie religieuse. Vous êtes l'une des personnes sélectionnées pour y participer, et votre aide est d'une grande importance.

Ce que vous dites dans cette enquête est anonyme. Nous ne demandons pas votre nom, et il n'y a pas de codes secrets qui peuvent vous identifier.

Veuillez répondre à TOUTES les questions de façon la plus honnête possible. Ne demandez à personne d'autre ce qu'ils pensent de ce que vous devriez répondre. Nous voulons connaître vos sentiments, vos croyances, et votre opinion. Ne passez pas trop de temps sur une question seulement. Répondez à chaque question au mieux, puis passez rapidement à la suivante.

Nous voulons que vous sachiez que vous avez le droit de ne pas participer si vous le préférez. Une fois achevée, cette enquête aidera à ce que nos résultats soient plus représentatifs et efficaces. Nous voulons vraiment vous remercier pour votre aide.

13. VOS DÉTAILS

Nous devons connaître quelques détails vous concernant. Cochez l'option qui s'applique à vous.

13.1. Comment vous décrivez-vous?

- € Noir
- € Caucasien/Blanc
- € Asiatique de l'est
- € Latino/Hispanique
- € Asiatique du sud
- € Autre

13.2. De quel genre êtes-vous?

- € Masculin
- € Féminin

13.3. Etes-vous un membre baptisé de l'Eglise Adventiste du septième jour?

- € Oui
- € Non

13.4. Quel âge avez-vous?

- | | | |
|-------------------|-----------|------------------|
| € Moins de 15 ans | € 46 – 50 | € Plus de 80 ans |
| € 16 – 20 | € 51 – 55 | |
| € 21 – 25 | € 56 – 60 | |
| € 26 – 30 | € 61 – 65 | |
| € 31 – 35 | € 66 – 70 | |
| € 36 – 40 | € 71 – 75 | |
| € 41 – 45 | € 76 – 80 | |

13.5. Dans quel pays résidez-vous? _____**13.6. Dans la moyenne, environ combien de fois êtes-vous allé à un service d'église l'année dernière ?**

- € Aucun
- € 1 – 2
- € Quelques fois
- € Une fois par mois
- € 2 – 3 fois par mois
- € 4 ou plus de fois par mois

13.7. Quel est votre niveau de scolarité?

- € Ecole primaire (élémentaire) seulement
- € Ecole primaire (élémentaire) et un peu d'école secondaire
- € Ecole secondaire complétée
- € Peu de temps à l'université
- € Diplômé d'université
- € Diplômé d'école professionnelle

13.8. Etes-vous allé à une école, collège ou université Adventiste du septième Jour? (Cochez tout ce qui est applicable)

- € Jamais scolarisé dans un établissement adventiste
- € Peu de temps en primaire (Adventiste)
- € Ecole primaire adventiste complétée
- € Peu de temps en secondaire (Adventiste)
- € Ecole secondaire adventiste complétée
- € Peu de temps à l'université (Adventiste)
- € Etude universitaire adventiste complétée

€ Ecole professionnelle adventiste

13.9. Etes-vous un Adventiste du septième jour depuis la naissance?

€ Oui € Non

1.10. Sinon, depuis quand êtes-vous un Adventiste du septième jour? (Quelle est la meilleure réponse pour vous?)

€ Moins d'un an	€ 26-30 ans
€ 1-4 ans	€ 31-35 ans
€ 5-10 ans	€ 36-40 ans
€ 11-15 ans	€ 41-45 ans
€ 16-20 ans	€ 46-50 ans
€ 21-25 ans	€ Plus de 50 ans

1.11. Etes-vous employé par une institution qui appartient ou est affilié à l'Eglise Adventiste du septième jour ?

€ Oui € Non

14. VOTRE ÉGLISE

Pensez à l'église que vous fréquentez maintenant. Combien vrai est chacune de ces déclarations?

14.1. Combien de fois allez-vous aux services d'adoration de votre église?

€ Très peu de fois par an
 € Une fois par mois ou chaque deux mois
 € Deux à trois fois par mois
 € Une fois par semaine
 € Plus d'une fois par semaine

14.2. J'aurai PRÉFÉRÉ aller à l'église:

€ Quelque fois par an ou moins
 € Une fois ou deux fois par mois
 € Deux ou trois fois par mois
 € Environ une fois par semaine
 € Plus d'une fois par semaine

14.3. Comment considérez-vous votre implication dans votre église?

(Cochez la réponse qui décrit le mieux votre attachement à votre église)

€ Je ne participe pas à toutes les activités d'église
 € Je me considère comme un observateur
 € Je me considère comme un participant informel
 € Je me considère comme un participant actif
 € Je me considère comme un leader dans mon église

14.4. Etes-vous satisfait de l'église que vous fréquentez? (Encerclez un chiffre)

Pas satisfait				Neutre						Très satisfait
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	

14.5. Quels caractéristiques de la vie d'église vous feraient considérer de quitter votre église Adventiste du septième jour locale pour adorer dans une autre *congrégation de foi différente*?

€ Quand les sermons sont ennuyeux

- € Quand l'église est froide et peu chaleureuse
- € Quand il n'y a pas d'activités en dehors des services du weekend
- € Quand les services d'adoration n'ont pas de sens
- € Autre _____

14.6. Quels caractéristiques de la vie d'église vous feraient considérer de quitter votre église Adventiste du septième jour locale pour adorer dans une autre Eglise Adventiste du septième jour?

- € Quand les sermons sont ennuyeux
- € Quand l'église est froide et peu chaleureuse
- € Quand il n'y a pas d'activités en dehors des services du weekend
- € Quand les services d'adoration n'ont pas de sens
- € Autre _____

14.7. Quels caractéristiques de la vie d'église vous feraient considérer de quitter votre église Adventiste du septième jour locale pour adorer à la maison?

- € Quand les sermons sont ennuyeux
- € Quand l'église est froide et peu chaleureuse
- € Quand il n'y a pas d'activités en dehors des services du weekend
- € Quand les services d'adoration n'ont pas de sens
- € Autre _____

Pensez à votre expérience avec votre église. (Incluez l'Ecole du Sabbat, Etudes bibliques, programmes de jeunesse, ministères d'évangélisation, services d'adoration et ce qui y ressemble.) Pour chacune de ces déclarations, encerclez le numéro qui vous semble plus près de la vérité :

1 – Jamais 2 – Quelques fois 3 – Souvent 4 – Presque tout le temps

2.8	Les programmes de mon église sont intéressants	1	2	3	4
2.9	Les programmes de mon église me font réfléchir	1	2	3	4
2.10	Les moniteurs de l'Ecole du Sabbat ou les leaders me connaissent bien	1	2	3	4
2.11	Mon pasteur me connaît bien	1	2	3	4
2.12	Les leaders de l'église sont chaleureux et amicaux	1	2	3	4
2.13	Je peux être moi-même à l'église (ne pas faire semblant)	1	2	3	4
2.14	Les leaders de notre église prennent soin de moi	1	2	3	4
2.15	J'anticipe d'aller aux programmes de mon église	1	2	3	4
2.16	Je vais aux programmes de l'église parce que j'en ai envie	1	2	3	4
2.17	Mon église m'aide à m'approcher plus de Dieu	1	2	3	4
2.18	Je vais aux réunions de cellules organisées par l'église	1	2	3	4
2.19	Je me sens inconfortable/coupable quand je ne vais pas à l'église la plupart des weekends	1	2	3	4
2.20	Je me sens fier de mon église et de son rôle aussi bien que de sa réputation au sein de la communauté	1	2	3	4

Est-ce que vous soutenez votre église par vos dons ? Si OUI, voyez les options 2.21 – 2.29. Si NON, aller à la question 2.30. Encerclez le numéro qui décrit le mieux votre implication dans les opportunités d'offrandes suivantes pour votre église locale. Choisissez parmi ces réponses :

1 – Jamais 2 – Rarement 3 – Parfois 4 – Souvent 5 – Tout le temps 6 – Pas applicable

2.21	Par ma dîme	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.22	Offrandes de l'Ecole du Sabbat	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.23	L'éducation chrétienne	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.24	Le fond de construction pour l'église	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.25	Le programme de mission de l'église	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.26	Les projets d'évangélisation de l'église	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.27	Je donne d'avantage pour l'offrande du 13ème Sabbat	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.28	Je soutiens l'école locale de l'église	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.29	Par des fonds fiduciaires	1	2	3	4	5	6

Sur une échelle de 1 à 5 avec le numéro 1 étant le **plus bas** « pas du tout » et le numéro 5 le **plus haut** étant « beaucoup », encerclez le numéro qui décrit le mieux votre pasteur.

Pas du tout

Beaucoup

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2.30	Enthousiaste à propos du ministère	1	2	3	4	5
2.31	Utile en cas de besoin	1	2	3	4	5
2.32	Inspire	1	2	3	4	5
2.33	Visite occasionnellement les membres d'église chez eux	1	2	3	4	5
2.34	Sensible aux besoins des autres	1	2	3	4	5
2.35	Un bon prédicateur	1	2	3	4	5
2.36	Montre un leadership spirituel authentique au sein de la communauté de votre église	1	2	3	4	5
2.37	Réceptif aux nouvelles idées	1	2	3	4	5
2.38	Méthodiques dans ses tâches pastorales	1	2	3	4	5

Dans votre expérience avec l'Eglise Adventiste du septième jour et le leadership de votre église locale, est-ce que les déclarations suivantes sont souvent vraies ou pas ? Encerclez le numéro qui convient à votre réponse :

1 – Pas d'opinion

2 – Jamais vrai

3 – Rarement vrai

4 – Vrai

5 – Souvent vrai

6 – Toujours vrai

Votre leadership d'église locale...

2.39	Est ouvert aux nouvelles idées	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.40	Communique clairement la mission de l'Eglise	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.41	Fait suffisamment pour engager les membres dans la mission	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.42	On leur parle facilement	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.43	Est actif à aider l'église locale	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.44	Répond aux besoins de la communauté locale	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.45	Hors de portée avec les besoins de l'église locale	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.46	Soutient l'implication des jeunes dans les services d'adoration	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.47	Est créatif	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.48	Soutient notre école locale ou l'école de la fédération / mission	1	2	3	4	5	6

2.49. Qui vous a amené à cette congrégation, qu'est-ce qui vous a originalement attiré à vous joindre à cette congrégation ? (Vous pouvez choisir plus d'une réponse)

- € Mes amis sont là
- € Le programme d'éducation pour adulte
- € Le programme de musique
- € Le style d'adoration
- € Les doctrines de l'église
- € Le pasteur
- € La proximité où j'habite
- € Autre: _____
- € La réputation de l'église
- € Le programme pour enfant et pour la jeunesse
- € L'évangélisation pour la communauté
- € Les groupes d'entraide
- € Les liens de la congrégation
- € Un programme d'évangélisation

2.50. Dans la pensée de ce qui vous a originalement amené à cette congrégation, quelle est la principale raison qui vous a fait rester pour faire partie de cette congrégation? (Vous pouvez choisir plus d'une réponse)

- € Mes amis sont là
- € Le programme d'éducation pour adulte
- € Le programme de musique
- € Le style d'adoration
- € Les doctrines de l'église
- € Le pasteur
- € La proximité où j'habite
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- € Le programme pour enfant et pour la jeunesse
- € L'évangélisation pour la communauté
- € Les groupes d'entraide
- € Les liens de la congrégation
- € Un programme d'évangélisation

De quelle importance sont les traits personnels suivants de votre leadership pastoral dans votre église locale ? Encerclez le numéro qui décrit votre réponse:

- 1 – Pas important 3 – Assez important 5 – Très important
2 – Légèrement important 4 - Tout a fait important

2.51	Expertise dans les sujets bibliques et théologiques	1	2	3	4	5
2.52	Emphase sur le développement et la croissance spirituels	1	2	3	4	5
2.53	Provoque la pensée et pose des défis	1	2	3	4	5
2.54	Réconfortant et rassurant	1	2	3	4	5
2.55	Prédication biblique et enseignement	1	2	3	4	5
2.56	Prêche et enseigne les sujets contemporains	1	2	3	4	5
2.57	Nouvelles approches et idées	1	2	3	4	5
2.58	Fait les choses comme elles l'ont toujours été	1	2	3	4	5
2.59	Preneur de décisions fermes et décisifs	1	2	3	4	5
2.60	Encourage les décisions des laïques	1	2	3	4	5
2.61	Style interpersonnel détendu	1	2	3	4	5
2.62	Style interpersonnel formel	1	2	3	4	5
2.63	Travaille dur pour accomplir les tâches	1	2	3	4	5
2.64	Met les sentiments des autres avant l'accomplissement d'objectifs	1	2	3	4	5
2.65	Aide les gens à prendre conscience des choses	1	2	3	4	5
2.66	Conseille aux personnes ce qu'il faut faire	1	2	3	4	5
2.67	Réfléchi et réservé	1	2	3	4	5
2.68	Extraverti et s'engage socialement	1	2	3	4	5
2.69	Maintient une vie équilibrée	1	2	3	4	5
2.70	Se donne complètement à l'église	1	2	3	4	5

2.71. Dans l'ensemble, à quelle mesure pensez-vous que la congrégation a besoin d'augmenter ou d'améliorer ses efforts dans *l'évangélisation*?

- € Nous faisons trop en ce moment
- € Nous faisons bien
- € Devrions augmenter ou améliorer dans une petite mesure
- € Devrions augmenter ou améliorer dans une grande mesure

2.72. Dans l'ensemble, à quelle mesure pensez-vous que la congrégation a besoin d'augmenter ou d'améliorer ses efforts de prendre soin et d'enseigner?

- € Nous faisons trop en ce moment
- € Nous faisons bien
- € Devrions augmenter ou améliorer dans une petite mesure
- € Devrions augmenter ou améliorer dans une grande mesure

2.73. Dans quelle mesure aimeriez-vous être personnellement être plus impliqué dans l'évangélisation de votre congrégation?

- € Pas du tout
- € Dans une petite mesure
- € Dans une mesure modérée
- € Dans une grande mesure

2.74. Sans le soutien du service d'adoration de mon église locale, je sens que ma foi pourrait graduellement disparaître

- € Pas du tout
- € Dans une petite mesure
- € Dans une mesure modérée
- € Dans une grande mesure

2.75. J'utilise des informations sur l'internet comme moyen pour faire grandir ma foi.

- € Pas du tout
- € Dans une petite mesure
- € Dans une mesure modérée
- € Dans une grande mesure

15. VOTRE VIE RELIGIEUSE

Comment est-ce que les choses suivantes vous ont-ils aidé à développer votre vie religieuse ? Encerclez le numéro qui décrit votre réponse. Si vous n'êtes jamais impliqué, choisissez « Ne s'applique pas à moi ».

1 – Ne s'applique pas à moi
4 – Souvent

2 – Pas du tout
5 – Beaucoup

3 - Quelques fois

3.1	Ecole du Sabbat	1	2	3	4	5
3.2	Etude personnelle de la Bible et prière	1	2	3	4	5
3.3	Services d'adoration de l'église	1	2	3	4	5
3.4	Culte de famille	1	2	3	4	5
3.5	Réunions de prière	1	2	3	4	5
3.6	Semaines de prière à l'église	1	2	3	4	5
3.7	Retraites d'église	1	2	3	4	5
3.8	Evangélisation de l'église à la communauté	1	2	3	4	5

	Jamais 1	2	3	4	Souvent 5
3.40	J'aide les autres dans leurs questions religieuses et leurs luttes				1 2 3 4 5
3.41	Je cherche des opportunités pour m'aider à grandir spirituellement				1 2 3 4 5
3.42	J'ai un sens profond de responsabilité pour réduire la douleur et la souffrance dans le monde				1 2 3 4 5
3.43	Je donne des tranches significatives en termes de temps et d'argent pour aider d'autres personnes				1 2 3 4 5
3.44	Je sens la présence de Dieu dans mes relations avec les autres				1 2 3 4 5
3.45	Je sens que ma vie est remplie de sens et d'objectifs				1 2 3 4 5
3.46	Je montre que je me soucie beaucoup pour réduire la pauvreté dans mon pays et à travers le monde				1 2 3 4 5
3.47	J'applique ma foi aux sujets politiques et sociaux				1 2 3 4 5
3.48	Ce que je fais est un reflet de ma consécration à Jésus-Christ				1 2 3 4 5
3.49	Je parle de ma foi à d'autres personnes				1 2 3 4 5
3.50	J'ai le vrai sentiment que Dieu me guide				1 2 3 4 5
3.51	Je suis spirituellement touché par la beauté de la création de Dieu				1 2 3 4 5

Ci-dessous sont quelques questions concernant votre attitude envers la religion. Encerclez le numéro qui décrit votre réponse.

1 – Je ne suis pas d'accord 3 – Je ne suis pas sûr 5- Je suis entièrement d'accord
 2 – J'ai tendance à ne pas être d'accord 4 – J'ai tendance à être d'accord

3.52	J'aime lire sur les Adventistes du septième jour	1	2	3	4	5
3.53	Je vais à l'église parce que cela m'aide à me faire des amis	1	2	3	4	5
3.54	Cela n'a pas d'importance aussi longtemps que je suis bon	1	2	3	4	5
3.55	Quelques fois je dois ignorer mes croyances religieuses à cause de ce que les gens pourraient penser de moi	1	2	3	4	5
3.56	C'est important pour moi de passer du temps dans la réflexion et la prière	1	2	3	4	5
3.57	J'ai souvent eu un sentiment très fort de la présence de Dieu	1	2	3	4	5
3.58	Je prie principalement pour avoir du soulagement et de la protection	1	2	3	4	5
3.59	J'essaye difficilement de vivre selon mes croyances religieuses	1	2	3	4	5
3.60	Ce que m'offre la religion le plus c'est le réconfort dans les moments difficiles	1	2	3	4	5
3.61	Ma religion est importante parce qu'elle répond à beaucoup de questions sur le sens de la vie	1	2	3	4	5
3.62	J'aurai préféré me joindre à un groupe d'étude biblique qu'à un groupe social de l'église	1	2	3	4	5
3.63	La prière c'est pour la paix et le bonheur	1	2	3	4	5
3.64	Même si je suis religieux, je ne laisse pas ma religion affecter ma vie de tous les jours	1	2	3	4	5
3.65	Je vais à l'église pour passer du temps avec mes amis	1	2	3	4	5
3.66	Toute mon approche de la vie est basée sur ma religion	1	2	3	4	5
3.67	Je vais à l'église principalement parce que j'aime voir les	1	2	3	4	5

	personnes que je connais là-bas					
3.68	Je prie particulièrement parce qu'on m'a appris à prier	1	2	3	4	5
3.69	Les prières que je fais quand je suis tout seul sont aussi importantes pour moi que celles que je fais à l'église	1	2	3	4	5
3.70	Même si je crois dans ma religion, beaucoup d'autres choses me sont importantes	1	2	3	4	5

Instructions: Est-ce que vous avez souvent fait les choses suivantes ? Encerclez le numéro qui décrit le mieux votre réponse.

1 – Jamais

3 – Environ une fois par semaine

5 – Tous les jours

2 – Moins d'une fois par mois

4 – Plus d'une fois par semaine

3.71	Lire la Bible	1	2	3	4	5
3.72	S'engager dans des méditations personnelles	1	2	3	4	5
3.73	Lire les écrits d'Ellen G. White	1	2	3	4	5
3.74	Avoir des cultes de famille (<i>Des prières ou des méditations religieuses que vous faites en famille en dehors de l'église</i>)	1	2	3	4	5

C'est très bien et vous avez presque terminé.

C'est la dernière section de notre enquête.

1. 4. CE QUI CONCERNE VOTRE CROYANCE

Encerclez le numéro qui décrit le mieux votre réponse. *Choisissez parmi ces réponses.* (Nous n'attendons pas à ce que vous soyez d'accord avec toutes les déclarations suivantes).

1 - Pas d'accord

3 – Plus d'accord que pas d'accord

2- Plus pas d'accord que d'accord

4 – Entièrement d'accord

4.1	Dieu aime tout le monde, et je devrais être en sûreté si je suis une bonne personne moralement	1	2	3	4
4.2	Je crois en un Dieu personnel qui cherche à établir une relation avec les êtres humains	1	2	3	4
4.3	Quand vous y réfléchissez, il y a seulement deux types de personnes dans le monde ; le juste, qui sera récompensé par Dieu, et le reste, qui ne le sera pas	1	2	3	4
4.4	Le Christianisme est à propos de Jésus qui donne le pouvoir de conquérir le péché dans ma vie	1	2	3	4
4.5	Je suis sauvé au moment où je crois et accepte ce qu'a fait Jésus pour moi	1	2	3	4
4.6	Je crois que Jésus est né d'une vierge	1	2	3	4
4.7	L'Eglise Adventiste du septième jour est la vraie église des derniers jours avec un message pour préparer le monde pour le Second Retour de Christ	1	2	3	4
4.8	Il n'y a pas de parties, ou d'ensembles d'Ecritures Bibliques, qui soient complètement sans erreur ou de contradiction	1	2	3	4
4.9	De toutes les personnes sur la terre, un groupe a une relation spéciale avec Dieu	1	2	3	4
4.10	Une relation avec Jésus est importante, mais je n'irai pas au ciel si je n'obéis pas à la loi de Dieu	1	2	3	4

4.11	J'attends que le monde tel que nous le connaissons connaisse une fin dans les prochaines 20 années	1	2	3	4
4.12	Si j'ai été baptisé, j'irai au ciel si je demeure une bonne personne toute ma vie	1	2	3	4
4.13	Je crois que Dieu créa le monde en exactement six jours de 24 heures chacun dans un passé récent	1	2	3	4
4.14	Je crois que Dieu créa le monde	1	2	3	4
4.15	Si je dois être sauvé, j'ai besoin d'être baptisé dans l'Eglise Adventiste du septième jour	1	2	3	4
4.16	L'Eglise Adventiste croit dans la « vérité présente » qui veut dire que les croyances doivent changer avec le temps	1	2	3	4
4.17	Le vrai Sabbat est le samedi, le septième jour	1	2	3	4
4.18	Quand une personne meurt, son corps reste dans la tombe et son esprit dort jusqu'à la résurrection	1	2	3	4
4.19	Je crois que la sorcellerie est réelle et que même les Chrétiens peuvent aller voir les sorciers pour avoir de la protection	1	2	3	4
4.20	Le fait que les hommes de Dieu, tels qu'Abraham, Jacob, David et Salomon, étaient des polygames, montre que Dieu approuve la polygamie.	1	2	3	4

4.21. Lisez attentivement les déclarations suivantes: puis cochez la SEULE déclaration qui est la plus proche de votre compréhension de ce qu'est la Bible.

- € La Bible ne contient pas plus de vérité ou de sagesse que contiennent d'autres livres des autres religions du monde
- € La Bible est l'ouvrage de personnes qui ont collectionné des histoires qui ont été fabriquées pour expliquer les mystères de la vie. Elle contient une grande sagesse sur l'expérience humaine
- € La Bible est l'ouvrage de personnes qui aimaient Dieu authentiquement et qui voulaient partager leur compréhension des activités de Dieu dans le monde
- € La Bible est l'ouvrage de personnes inspirées de Dieu et qui représentaient le message de Dieu en fonction de leur endroit et de leur temps
- € La Bible est l'ouvrage de personnes qui ont copié ce que Dieu leur a dit mot pour mot, et qui ont écrit sans être influencées par leur environnement et leur temps
- € La Bible est l'ouvrage de personnes qui sont inspirées de Dieu et qui, même s'ils expriment leur message en termes de leur temps et leur environnement, ont exprimé des vérités éternelles

4.22. Lisez les déclarations suivantes attentivement; puis cochez la SEULE déclaration qui est la plus proche de votre compréhension des écrits d'Ellen G. White.

- € J'ignore qui est Ellen White
- € Les écrits d'Ellen White ne contiennent pas plus de vérité ou de sagesse que tout autre ouvrage écrit par les leaders des autres religions
- € Ellen G. White était une personne qui fabriquait des histoires de conseils surnaturels pour expliquer les mystères de la vie. Ses écrits contiennent un grand nombre de sagesse sur l'expérience humaine
- € Ellen G. White était inspirée de Dieu et présenta le message de Dieu en fonction de son environnement et de son temps
- € Ellen G. White a copié ce que Dieu lui a dit mot pour mot, et a écrit sans être influencée par son environnement et son temps

Jusqu'à quel point acceptez-vous les enseignements individuels suivants de l'Eglise Adventiste du septième jour ? Encerclez le numéro qui décrit le mieux votre réponse.

- 1 – Je l'accepte de tout cœur 4 – J'ai de gros doutes
 2 – Je l'accepte parce que l'église l'enseigne 5 – Je n'accepte pas les enseignements de l'église
 3 – J'ai des réserves 6 – Cette question ne m'est pas Importante

4.23	Jésus-Christ est le fils de Dieu	1	2	3	4	5	6
4.24	Le jugement investigatif a commencé en 1844						
4.25	L'interprétation des prophéties des derniers temps de l'Eglise						
4.26	Ellen G. White était une messagère inspirée de l'Eglise Adventiste						
4.27	Les normes adventistes concernant la santé						
4.28	Les normes adventistes concernant la modestie et la simplicité dans les vêtements						

4.29. Comment décrieriez-vous votre attitude envers la religion et la spiritualité?

- € Je suis religieux mais pas spiritual
 € Je suis spirituel mais pas religieux
 € Je suis spirituel et religieux
 € Je ne suis ni spirituel ni religieux

*Merci de nous aider avec cette Evaluation du Membre d'Eglise.
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APPENDIX I – KIRUNDI VERSION



ISHENGERO RY'ABADIVANTISTE B'UMUSI W'INDWI KW'ISI YOSE

DIVISION YA AFRIKA Y'UBUSERUKO BWO HAGATI

Igikoresho c'Ubushakashatsi ku Rugero rwo Kwizera mw'Ishengero

KWIZERA, GUTAHURA, INYIFATO N'IBIKORWA

Ibi bibazo bijanye n'ukwizera kwawe ivyo wacyemwo mu kwizera, watahuye, Inyifato n'ibikorwa, mw'ishengero ryawe. Ivyo wishura bizofasha abayobozi b'ishengero kumenya ingene bokomeza ishengero ryawe no gutahura neza ivy'ubuzima bwawe bw'ivy'idini. Uri umwe mu bacaguwe ngo ufashe muri iki gikorwa, kandi ubufasha bwawe burahambaye cane.

Ivyo uri buvuge muri ubu bushakashatsi nta wuzomenya uwabivuze. Nturi bukubaze izina ryawe, kandi nta n'ubuhinga buriho bwo gutora izina ryawe.

Ndakwinginze wishure ibibazo VYOSE mu bwizigirwa bushoboka. Ntugire uwo ubaza uko inyishu yawe ikwiye kumera. Dushaka kumenya uko wiyumva, ivyo wizera, n'ivyiyumviro vyawe. Ntufate Umwanya munini ku kibazo nakimwe. Ishura ikibazo cose uko ubona bibereye, hanyuma wimukire ku gikurikira..

Dushaka ko umenya yuko ufise uburenganzira bwo kuba utoja muri iki gikorwa ari hamwe woba utacyumvamwo. Kuja muri iki gikorwa kwawe kuzodufasha kugira ico dushikako ciza. Mu vy'ukuri tubaye turagushimira ku bufasha bwawe .

1. IVYO URI BUTUMENYESHE

Hari ibintu bihambaye twipfuza kukumenyako. Shira akamenyetso kuri kimwe mu bikuraba.

1.1. Uri igiki mur'ibi bikurikira?

- € Umwirabure
- € Umudimudimu/Umwera
- € Umunya aziya yo mu Buseruko
- € Umunya amerika yo Hagati canke y'Amaj'Epfo avuga iki espagnol
- € Umunya Aziya yo mu Bumanuko
- € Ikindi

1.2. Igitsina cawe ni ikihe?

- € Igitsinagabo
- € Igitsinagore

1.3. Wabatirijwe mw'ishengero ry'abadivantiste b'Umusi w'Indwi?

- € Ego
- € Oya

1.4. Ufise Imyaka ingahe?

- | | | |
|---------------|-----------|----------------|
| € Minsi ya 15 | € 46 – 50 | € Hejuru ya 80 |
| € 16 – 20 | € 51 – 55 | |
| € 21 – 25 | € 56 – 60 | |
| € 26 – 30 | € 61 – 65 | |
| € 31 – 35 | € 66 – 70 | |
| € 36 – 40 | € 71 – 75 | |
| € 41 – 45 | € 76 – 80 | |

1.5. Uba mu gihugu ikihe? _____

1.6. Ugereranije mu mwaka uheze wagiye gusenga kangahe?

- € Nta narimwe
- € 1 – 2
- € Gake
- € Rimwe mu kwezi
- € 2-3 Mu kwezi
- € 4 canke karenga mu kwezi

1.7. Wize amashure angana iki?

- € Y'intango gusa
- € Y'intango hamwe n'ayandi makuru make
- € Narahejeje amashure makuru
- € Imyaka mike ya kaminuza
- € Narahejeje kaminuza
- € Narahejeje kaminuza canke kaminuza y'imyuga ku rugero rwa maitrise

1.8. Warize mw'ishure ry'Abadivantiste b'Umusi w'Indwi? Toramwo ikikuraba

- € Nta shure ry'abadivantiste
- € Imyaka mike y'amashure y'intango
- € Narahejeje amashure yintango
- € Imyaka mike y'amashure makuru y'abadivantiste
- € Narahejeje amashure makuru y'Abadivantiste
- € Narahejeje imyaka mike ya kaminuza y'amashure y'Abadivantiste
- € Narahejeje kaminuza y'Abadivantiste

- € Narahejeje kaminuza canke kaminuzay'imyuga ku rugero rwa maitrise mu mashule y'Abadivantiste

1.9. Wavutse uri umudivantiste?

- € Ego € Oya

1.10. Nimba bitari uko umaze igihe kingana iki uri Umudivantste w'Umusi w'Indwi (Ni iyahe nyishu nziza kuri wewe)?

- | | |
|--------------------|----------------|
| € Minsi y'umwaka 1 | € 26-30 |
| € 1-4 | € 31-35 |
| € 5-10 | € 36-40 |
| € 11-15 | € 41-45 |
| € 16-20 | € 46-50 |
| € 21-25 | € Hejuru ya 50 |

1.11. Ukora mw'ishirahamwe ry'Ishengero ry'Abadivantiste canke rifitaniye isano n'Ishengero ry'Abadivantiste b'Umusi w'Indwi?

- € Ego € Oya

2. IBIJANYE N'ISHENGERO RYAWA

Wiyumvire ku bijanye n'Ishengero ryawe usengamwo. Aya majambo akurikira yoba ari ay'ukuri ku rugero uruhe?

2.1 Ni ku rugero rungana iki uja gusenga?

- € Gake mu mwaka canke gake cane
- € Rimwe canke kabiri mu kwezi
- € Kabiri canke gatatu mu kwezi
- € Ni nka rimwe mu ndwi
- € Akarenga rimwe mu ndwi

2.2 NDIPFUZA kuja gusenga:

- € Gake mu mwaka
- € Rimwe buri kwezi canke kabiri
- € Kabiri canke Gatatu mu kwezi
- € Ni nka rimwe mu ndwi
- € Akarenga rimwe mu ndwi

2.3 Ubona ufise uruhara uruhe mw'ishengero ryawe? (Shira ikimenyetso ku nyishu isa n'iyegeranye n'uruhara rwawe mw'ishengero ryawe)

- € Nta gikorwa nakimwe njamwo mu bikorwa vy'ishengero
- € Ni nk'aho ndi umurorerezi
- € Mbona umengo ndabijamwo buhoro
- € Mbona umengo ndabijamwo cane
- € Mbona umengo ndi umurongozi mw'ishengero ryanje

2.4 Ishengero ujamwo rigushimisha gute? (Ca akazingi kuri kimwe)

Si nezerewe na buhoro			hagati na hagati			Ndanezerewe cane			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10

2.5 Ni iki muri bikurikira cotuma uja gusengera mu rindi dini ugaheba ukava mw'ishengero ryawe ry'intango ry'Abadivantiste b'Umusi w'Indwi?

- € Mu gihe insiguro zoba zisinziriza
- € Mu gihe mw'ishengero hoba hakanye ata bugenzi buhaboneka.
- € Mu gihe ata bikorwa vyoba bihari bindi uretse ivyo wikende (mu mpera z'indwi)
- € Mu gihe ibikoranevyo gusenga bidatomoye (utanyurwa)
- € Ibindi _____ (Shiraho iryungane ryashura ivyo)

2.6 Ni iki muri ibi bikurukira cotuma uva mw'ishengero ryawe usengamwo ukimukira mu rindi mugabo ry'abadivantiste b'Umusi w'Indwi?

- € Mu gihe insiguro zoba zisinziriza zitzryoshe
- € Mu gihe mw'ishengero hoba hakanye ata bugenzi buhaboneka.
- € Mu gihe ata bikorwa vyoba bihari bindi uretse ivyo muri wikende (mu mpera z'indwi)
- € Mu gihe ibikorane vyo gusenga bidatomoye (utanyurwa)
- € Ibindi _____ (Shiraho iryungane ryashura ivyo)

2.7 Ni iki muri ibi bikurukira cotuma uva mw'ishengero ryawe usengamwo ukaja gusengera mu hira?

- € Mu gihe insiguro zoba zisinziriza
- € Mu gihe mw'ishengero hoba hakanye ata bugenzi buhaboneka.
- € Mu gihe ata bikorwa vyoba bihari bindi uretse ivyo muri wikende (mu mpera z'indwi)
- € Mu gihe ibikorane vyo gusenga bidatomoye (utanyurwa)
- € Ibindi _____ (Shiraho iryungane ryashura ivyo)

Raba ibi bikorwa vyo mw'ishengero ryawe ushire akazingi kuco ubona c'ukuri. (Ishule ry'isabato, vyigwa vya bibiliya, programa z'urwaruka kuvuga ubutumwa hanze, ibikorane vyo gusenga n'ibindi bisa n'ivyo):

1 – nta narimwe

2 –rimwe na rimwe

3 – Kenshi

4 – hafi imisi yose

2.8	Integuro mw'ishengero ryanje ziraryoshe	1	2	3	4
2.9	Integuro kw'ishengero ryanje zituma niyumvira	1	2	3	4
2.10	Abigisha banje b'ishule ry'isabato banzi neza	1	2	3	4
2.11	Umupastoro wanje aranzi neza	1	2	3	4
2.12	Abarongozi b'ishengero barashushe kandi barashikirana	1	2	3	4
2.13	Ndashobora kuguma ndi jewe nyene mw'ishengero	1	2	3	4
2.14	Abarongozi mw'ishengero ryaje baranyitaho	1	2	3	4
2.15	Nditega kuja mu nteguro z'ishengero	1	2	3	4
2.16	Nja mu nteguro z'ishengero iyo ndabishatse	1	2	3	4
2.17	Ishengero ryanje riramfasha gukura muri Kristo	1	2	3l;	4
2.18	Nditaba ibikorane vy'imirwi mito mito biteguwe n'ishengero	1	2	3	4
2.19	Numva ntamerewe neza iyo maze amasabato nsiba	1	2	3	4
2.20	Ndanezerezwa n'uruhara rw'ishengero ryanje n'ingene rivugwa neza mu karere mbamwo	1	2	3	4

Mbega urashigikira ishengero ryawe mu gutanga? Bibaye ari Ego ishura ukoresheje numero 2.21-2.29. Bibaye ari Oya, ja kukibazo 2.30. Ca akazingi ku giharuro kijanye n'uruhara rwawe muri utwo turyo tubonekamw'ishengero ryawe. cagura muri izo nyishu

1 – Nt narimwe 2 – Gake 3 – Rimwe na rimwe 4 –Kenshi 5 – Imisi yose 6 –Oya

2.21	Mu bigiracumi vyanje	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.22	Ishikanwa ry'Ishule ry'Isabato	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.23	Indero rukristo	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.24	Mu buryo bwo kwubaka ishengero	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.25	Mu nteguro z'ibikorwa vyTshengero	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.26	Mu mavugabutumwa y'ishengero	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.27	Ndatanga ibirenze mw'ishikanwa ry'isabato ya 13	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.28	Ndatanga ubufasha mw'ishule ry'ishengero	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.29	Mu murage no mu ngabirano	1	2	3	4	5	6

Mw'ivyo biharuro kuva kuri 1-5, kimwe kivuga ngo: habe namba uko bigenda birakurikirana niko birutana. 5 kavuga cane rwose. Shira akazingi ku giharuro ubona kijanye n'umupastoro wawe muri ayo mungane akurikira.

Habe na mba		Cane rwose					
1	2	3	4	5			
2.30	Araryoherwa n'igikorwa	1	2	3	4	5	
2.31	Arafasha iyo bikenewe	1	2	3	4	5	
2.32	Arerekeza abantu	1	2	3	4	5	
2.33	Rimwe na rimwe aragenda abizera bo mw'ishengero mu mihana yabo	1	2	3	4	5	
2.34	Aratahura ningoga ubukene bw'abandi	1	2	3	4	5	
2.35	Asigura neza	1	2	3	4	5	
2.36	Yerekana uburongozibwiza mu vya Mpwemu mw'ishengero ryacu	1	2	3	4	5	
2.37	Yakira neza ivyiyumviro bije	1	2	3	4	5	
2.38	Akora neza ibikorwa vy'ubupastoro	1	2	3	4	5	

Mu buryo uzi ishengero ry'abadivantiste witegereje uburongozi bw'ishegero ryawe, aya mungane ari hepfo ni gute ari ay'ukuri canke ntabe ukuri? Ca akazingi ku nyishu wibaza yuko ari yo:

1-Ntaco ndabivugako 2-Nta narimwe ari ukuri 3-Ni gake ari ukuri 4-Ni ukuri
5-Kenshi ni ukuri 6 – Imisi yose ni ukuri

Uburongozi bw'ishengero ryawe...

2.39	buremera ivyiyumviro bishasha	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.40	burasobanura neza inshingano z'ishengero	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.41	bukora ibishoboka kugira abizera bakore	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.42	buroroshe gushikira nokuvugana	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.43	burakora mugufasha ishengero ryacu	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.44	Buritaho ubukene bw'ahatuzengurtse	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.45	Ivy'ubukene bw'ishengero ntiribibona	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.46	burashigikira mu gukoresha urwaruka mu bikorane vyo gusenga	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.47	buriyumvira mu kuzana ibintu bishasha	1	2	3	4	5	6
2.48	burashigikira inama y'ishule ryacu	1	2	3	4	5	6

2.49. Mu kwiyumvira icatumye uza muri shengero, ni iki cagukwegakweze ngo winjire muri shengero? (Urashobora gutora inyishu irenze imwe muri izi zikurikira)

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|-----------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| € Abagenzi baje niho bari | € Ingene ishengero rivugwa neza |
| € Integuro y'abakuze | € Integuro y'abana n'iy'urwaruka |
| € Indirimbo | € Ivugabutumwa ku bo hanze |
| € Ingene basenga | € The self-help groups |
| € Inyigisho shimikiro z'ishengero | € The denominational ties |
| € Umupastoro | € Integuro y'ivugabutumwa |
| € Mba hafi yaryo | |
| € Ibindi: _____ | (Ongerako iryungane rito) |

2.50. Mu vyakuzanye muri shengero, ni ikihe gituma urigumamwo? (Urashobora gutorainyishu irenze imwe)

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|-----------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| € Abagenzi baje niho bari | € Ingene ishengero rivugwa neza |
| € Integuro y'abakuze | € Integuro y'abana n'iy'urwaruka |
| € Indirimbo | € Ivugabutumwa ku bo hanze |
| € Ingene basenga | € Imirwi yo gusenga |
| € Inyigisho shimikiro z'ishengero | € Ibiranga idini |
| € Umupastoro | € Integuro y'ivugabutumwa |
| € Mba hafi yaryo | |
| € Ibindi: _____ | (Ongerako iryungane rito) |

Ibi bintu bikurikira, mu bikwerekeye bihambaye gute mu burongozi bw'umupastoro no mw'ishengero ryawe? Ca akazingi ku giharuro cerekana inyishu yawe:

- | | | |
|--------------------------|----------------------|--------------------|
| 1 – Nti bihambaye | 3 –Bisa n'ibihambaye | 5 – Bihambaye cane |
| 2 – Bihambaye buhoroburo | 4 –Birahambaye | |

2.51	Umuhinga mu bijanye n'ivy'iyobokamana	1	2	3	4	5
2.52	Gushimikira ku gukura no guteza imbere ivya Mpwemu	1	2	3	4	5
2.53	Ivyiyumviro bituma haba kw'ivyumvira no gukora	1	2	3	4	5
2.54	Araremesha abantu akabashiramwo ivyizigiro	1	2	3	4	5
2.55	Arasigura Bibiliya akayigisha	1	2	3	4	5
2.56	Arasigura akigisha ku bigezweho	1	2	3	4	5
2.57	Ivyiyumviro bishasha	1	2	3	4	5
2.58	Akora ibintu nk'uko vyahora bikorwa	1	2	3	4	5
2.59	Arafata ingingo atajegajega	1	2	3	4	5
2.60	Arashigikira ingingo zafashwe n'abizera	1	2	3	4	5
2.61	Arashiranako	1	2	3	4	5
2.62	Ntashiranako	1	2	3	4	5
2.63	Arakora cane mu gushika ku kintu runaka	1	2	3	4	5
2.64	Ashira ivyiyumviro vy'abandi imbere mu gushika ku ngero	1	2	3	4	5
2.65	Afasha abantu gutora umuti w'ingorane zabo	1	2	3	4	5
2.66	Arahanura abantu ivyo bakora	1	2	3	4	5
2.67	Ariyumvira kandi akifata	1	2	3	4	5
2.68	Yiteguye gufasha abandi	1	2	3	4	5
2.69	Ari hagati na hagati y'ubuzima	1	2	3	4	5
2.70	Aritanga wese kw'ishengero	1	2	3	4	5

2.71. Wibaza ko ishengero rikwiye kwongerako inguvu zingana iki mu kuvuga ubutumwa?

- € Dukora vyinshi ubu

- € Gushika ubu tubikora neza
- € Mu buryo bumwe vyagomba kurushirizaho
- € Vyagomba kurushirizaho cane

2.72. Ni ku rugero uruhe wibaza ko ishengero rigomba kurushaho canke rikwiye kurushirizaho kwitaho abizera bashasdha?

- € Dukora vyinshi ubu
- € Gushika ubu tubikora neza
- € Mu buryo bumwe vyagomba kurushirizaho
- € Vyagomba kurushirizaho cane

2.73. Ni ku rugero uruhe wibaza ko ukwiye kwongereza mu kuvuga ubutumwa biciye kw'ishengero ryawe?

- € Namba
- € Buhoro
- € Buhoro bisanzwe
- € Cane

2.74. Ntafashijwe n'ibikorane vyo gusenga mw'ishengero ryanje, buhorobuhoro numva ukwizera kwanje kwogabanuka kugatebe kugahera

- € Namba
- € Buhoro
- € Buhoro bisanzwe
- € Cane

2.75. Ndakoresha ivyo nkuye ku ngurukanabumenyi (site y, isi yose) kugira nkure mu kwizera.

- € Namba
- € Buhoro
- € Buhoro bisanzwe
- € Cane

3. IBIJANYE N'UBUZIMA BWawe MU VY, IDINI

Ni gute ibi bintu bikurikira vyagufashije kugirango ushobore guteza imbere ivy; ubuzima bwawe mu vy; ishengero? Ca akazingi ku numero ihwanye n'inyishu yawe Ukaba ata na kimwe wigera ujamwo ca akazingi kuri "Ntibindaba" *Cagura muri izi nyishu zikurikira:*

1 – Ntibindaba 2 – Nta narimwe 3 – Rimwe rimwe 4 – Kenshi 5 – Cane

3.1	Ishule ry'isabato	1	2	3	4	5
3.2	Kwiga bibiliya no gusenga	1	2	3	4	5
3.3	Ibikorane vyo gusenga mw'isengero	1	2	3	4	5
3.4	Gusenga mu mu miryango	1	2	3	4	5
3.5	Ibikorane vyo gusenga	1	2	3	4	5
3.6	Indwi zo gusenga kw'ishengero	1	2	3	4	5
3.7	Ibikorane vyo kw'isherera (retraite)	1	2	3	4	5
3.8	Ingene ishengero rishikira abarizengurutse	1	2	3	4	5
3.9	Imigambi y'igihe gito	1	2	3	4	5
3.10	Kwiga kw'ishule ry'abadivantiste	1	2	3	4	5
3.11	Kwigisha Bibiliya mu gutanga ivyigwa vya Bibiliya n'izindi nyandiko	1	2	3	4	5

3.12	Ibikorane bishigikiwe mugutanga uburyo	1	2	3	4	5
3.13	Umupastoro w'ishengero	1	2	3	4	5
3.14	Umupastoro w'urwaruka	1	2	3	4	5
3.15	Abakuru b'ishengero ryanje ry'intango	1	2	3	4	5
3.16	Amigisho	1	2	3	4	5
3.17	Ivugabutumwa ryo ku mugaragero	1	2	3	4	5
3.18	Imirwi mitomito	1	2	3	4	5
3.19	Inyandiko z'abadivantiste(Union/Division)	1	2	3	4	5
3.20	Inyandiko z'abadivaantiste (Review/Adventist World)	1	2	3	4	5
3.21	Inyandiko z'ishengero ziciye ku ngurukanbumenyi	1	2	3	4	5
3.22	Umuryango	1	2	3	4	5
3.23	Abagenzi	1	2	3	4	5
3.24	Sites z'Ingurukanabumenyi	1	2	3	4	5
3.25	Radio YAbadivantiste	1	2	3	4	5
3.26	TV y'Abadivantiste	1	2	3	4	5
3.27	Insiguro za Pastoro	1	2	3	4	5

Iyumvire ivy'ishengero ryawe winjiriramwo. Aya mungane akurikira ni gute ari ay'ukuri? (Ca akazingi ku giharuro kimwe muri ivyo biharuro 5. Umenye ko 2 kavuga ngo: vyose si ukuri. 5 kakavuga ngo: ni ukuri cane.

Sinja gusenga

Si ukuri namba

Ni ukuri cane

1

2

3

4

5

3.28	Rirashushe	1	2	3	4	5
3.29	Ndiga cane	1	2	3	4	5
3.30	Rirempera abantu batari abaho	1	2	3	4	5
3.31	Benshi baraserura ivyiyumviro vyabo bakagomba no kumenya vyinshi ku bijanye n'idini	1	2	3	4	5
3.32	Riragira ubugenzi	1	2	3	4	5
3.33	Rituma niyumvira	1	2	3	4	5
3.34	Riramfasha kubaza ibibazo	1	2	3	4	5
3.35	Abanyamahanga barumva ko bakiriwe	1	2	3	4	5
3.36	Ryifuza ko abantu biga kandi bakiyumvira	1	2	3	4	5
3.37	Rindongorera gusenga	1	2	3	4	5
3.38	Rituma abantu bashikirana	1	2	3	4	5

3.39. Muri ibi bikurikira ni ikihe cerekana ko wiyeguriye Yesu? Shira akamenyetso kuri (KIMWE)

- € Sinkunda Yesu
- € Sinzi neza ko nkunda Yesu
- € Narigeze kwiyegurira Yesu igihe kimwe mu buzima mugabo ntivyaramvye
- € Gukunda Yesu vyaje buhorobuhoro mugihe runaka
- € Gukunda Yesu vyanjeko giturumbuka nca ndahinduka
- € Kuva nkiri umwana narakunda yesu kandi gushika ubu ndacamukunda.

Ni gute aya mungane akurikira ari ay'ukuri kuri wewe ubwawe? Koresha ivyo biharuro mu kwishura ufashe ko 1=kivuga “nta narimwe” 5=kakavuga “kenshi”

Nta narmwe		Kenshi				
1	2	3	4	5		
3.40	Ndafasha abandi mu ngorane bagira z'idini n'canke izindi	1	2	3	4	5
3.41	Ndarondera uturyo two kwifasha gukura mu vya Mpwemu	1	2	3	4	5
3.42	Ndumva ko bindaba kugabanya ububabare mw'isi	1	2	3	4	5
3.43	Ndatanga igice c'umwanya n'amahera vyanje mu gufasha abandi	1	2	3	4	5
3.44	Numva Imana iri mu migenderanire yanje n'abandi bantu	1	2	3	4	5
3.45	Numva ubuzima bwaje bufise ico bumaze kandi bufise intumbero	1	2	3	4	5
3.46	Nderekana ko nitaho cane ivy'ukurwanya ubukene mu gihugu canje no mw'isi	1	2	3	4	5
3.47	Ndifashisha ukwizera kwanje mu vya Politke no muvy'imibano	1	2	3	4	5
3.48	Ivyo nkora birerekana ko nshikamye mu vya Mpwemu	1	2	3	4	5
3.49	Ndavugana n'abandi ivy'ukwizera kwanje	1	2	3	4	5
3.50	Ndumva neza ko ndongowe n'Imana	1	2	3	4	5
3.51	Ubwiza bw'ivyaremwe buramfasha mu vya Mpwemu	1	2	3	4	5

Ibikurikira ni ibibazo bijanyen'inyifato yawe kw'idini. Ca Umuzingi ku giharuro cerekana inyishu yawe.

1 – Ndabihakana cane
2 – Nsa n'ubihakana

3 – Simbizi neza
4 – Nsa n'uvyemera

5 – Ndavyemera cane

3.51	Ndakunda gusoma ibijanye n'Ishengero ry'abadivantist	1	2	3	4	5
3.52	Ndaja kw'ishengero kubera bimfasha kuronka abagenzi	1	2	3	4	5
3.53	Ivyo nokwizera ivyarivyo vyose ikivuga ni uko mba umuntu mwiza	1	2	3	4	5
3.54	Rimwe na rimwe ndirengagiza ivyizerwa vyaje kubera ivyo abantu bonyiyumirako	1	2	3	4	5
3.55	Birahambaye kuri jewe kumara akanya ndi jenyene nsenga	1	2	3	4	5
3.56	Kenshi ndumva cane ko ndikumwe n'Imana	1	2	3	4	5
3.57	Nsenga cane cane kugira noroherwe kandi nkingirwe	1	2	3	4	5
3.58	Ndigora mu kubaho nkurikije ivyizerwa vy'idini ryanje	1	2	3	4	5
3.59	Ivyo idini rimpa bimfasha mu bihe vy'ingorane	1	2	3	4	5
3.60	Idini ryanje rirahambaye kuko rimpa inyishu z'ibibazo mu buzima bwanje	1	2	3	4	5
3.61	Nopfuma nja mu murwi wiga Bibiliya hako nja mu murwi w'abari mw'ishengero	1	2	3	4	5
3.62	Gusenga bitanga amahoro n'umunezero	1	2	3	4	5
3.63	Nubwo ndi umunyedini sinemera ko bigira ico vyonona mu buzima bwanje bwa misi yose	1	2	3	4	5
3.64	Nja kw'ishengero cane cane kugira nibonanire n'abagenzi	1	2	3	4	5
3.65	Ubuzima bwanje bwose buhagaze kw'idini	1	2	3	4	5
3.66	Nja kw'ishengero cane cane kugira ndryohere nokwibonera n'abantu ndahazi	1	2	3	4	5
3.67	Nsenga canecane kubera yuko navyigishijwe	1	2	3	4	5

3.68	Amasengesho nsenga ndumwe ahambaye co kimwe n'ayo nsenga ndi kw'ishengero	1	2	3	4	5
3.69	Nubwo nizera idini ryanje, hari n'ibindi bintu bihambaye kuri jewe	1	2	3	4	5

Insobanuro: Ni kangahe wakoze ibi bikurikira? Ca umuzingi ku giharuro cerekana inyishu yawe
 1 – Nta na rimwe 3 – Nka rimwe mu ndwi 5 – ku musi ku musi canke akarenga rimwe ku musi
 2 – Musi ya rimwe mu kwezi 4 – akarenga rimwe mu ndwi

3.70	Gusoma Bibiliya	1	2	3	4	5
3.71	Gufata ingingo yo gusenga wenyene	1	2	3	4	5
3.72	Gusoma Inyandiko za Ellen G. White	1	2	3	4	5
3.73	Gusengera mu muryango (amasengesho canke ukundi gusenga wagiriye mu muryango Atari kw'ishengero)	1	2	3	4	5

***Uriko urakora neza kandi ugira uheze
Iki ni igice ca nyuma c'ubushakashatsi bwacu.***

4. IBIJANYE N'IVYO WIZERA

Ca akazangi ku guharuro kijanye n'inyishu yawe. ***Cagura muri izo nyishu ziri hepfo.*** (Ntitwiteze ko ayo mungane yose akurikira ari ay'ukuri kuri wewe).

- 1 – Ndabihakanye nivuye inyuma 3 –Ndavyemera kuruta uko mbihakana
 2 –Ndabihakana kuruta uko mvyemera 4 – Ndavyemera rwose

4.1	Imana Ikunda umuntu wese kandi nimba nigenza neza mugihe c'iherezo nzoba mpagaze neza	1	2	3	4
4.2	Nizera Imana ubwayo Irondera imigenderanire myiza hagati yayo n'ibiremwa muntu	1	2	3	4
4.3	Wiyumvirije neza usanga hari imice ibiri y'abantu mw'isi: abagororotsi , bazohembwa n'Imana, n'abandi bazobura.	1	2	3	4
4.4	Ubukristo ni ukuvuga Yesu atanga inkomezi zo gutsinda icaha mu buzima bwanje	1	2	3	4
4.5	Mu gihe cose nizera nkemera Kristo ivyo yankoreye narakijijwe	1	2	3	4
4.6	Nizera ko Kristo yavutse ku mukobwa w'isugi	1	2	3	4
4.7	Ishengero ry'Abadivantist ni Ishengero rya nyuma ry'Imana rifise ubutumwa butegurira isi ukuza kugira 2 kwa Kristo	1	2	3	4
4.8	Nta nyigisho n'imwe canke umurwi w'inyandiko z'ijambo ry'Imana utagiramwo ikosa canke kwivuguruza	1	2	3	4
4.9	Mu bantu bose bo kw'isi hari umurwi umwe gusa ufitaniye ubucuti n'Imana	1	2	3	4
4.10	Kugiriranira ubucuti na Kristo birahambaye, ariko sinzoja mw'ijuru ntubashe amabwirizwa y'Imana	1	2	3	4
4.11	Niteze kw'iyi si izohera mu myaka 20 igiye gukurikira	1	2	3	4
4.12	Nimba narabatijwe , nzoja mw'ijuru ninaguma ndi umuntu mwiza ubuzima bwaje bwose	1	2	3	4
4.13	Nizera ko Imana yaremye isi mu misi 6 y'amasaha ²⁴ umw'umwe mu kahise kaheze	1	2	3	4
4.14	Nizera yuko Imana yaremye isi	1	2	3	4

4.15	Nimba ngomba gukizwa, mbwirizwa kubatirizwa mw'ishengero ry'abadivantiste b'Umusu w'7	1	2	3	4
4.16	Ishengero ry'abadivantiste ryizera ivy'"ukuri kw'iki gihe" bivuga ngo ivyizerwa biguma bihinduka kira ku mwanya	1	2	3	4
4.17	Isabato y'ukuri ni umusi ugira 7 ari wo Samedi	1	2	3	4
4.18	Iyo umuntu apfuye umubiri wiwe uguma mw'ivu n'umutima ugasinzira gushika ku muzuko	1	2	3	4
4.19	Nizera yuko ivya rumenyi ari ukuri kandi n'abakristo bakwiye kuja kw'aba Kamenyi ngo bikingire.	1	2	3	4
4.20	Kubona abantu b'Imana nka aburahamu, Yakobo, Dawidi, na salomo bari baraharitse, vyerekana ko yaribishigikiye.	1	2	3	4

4.19. Soma amungane akurikira hanyuma ushire akamenyetso aho ubona hegereye ukuri ukurikije uko ubona Bibiliya imeze.

- € Bibiliya nta kuri canke ubwenge isumvya ibitabo vy'amadini canke ibindi bitabo vy'ayandi madini yo mw'isi.
- € Bibiliya ni inkuru abantu bigeneye kugira basobanure ibinyegezwa vy'ubuzima hanyuma ziratororokanywa. Harimwo ubwenge ku bijanye no kubaho kw'abantu.
- € Bibiliya ni igikorwa c'abantu bakunda Imana cane bagashaka gusangira n'abandi ugutahura kwabo igikorwa cayo mw'ii.
- € Bibiliya ni igikorwa c'abantu bahumekewe n'Imana baca baserura ubutumwa bwayo bisunze igihe n'akarere babamwo.
- € Bibiliya ni igikorwa c'abantu bandukuruye ijamba kw'ijamba baca bandika batisunze igihe n'akarere babamwo.
- € Bibiliya ni igikorwa c'abantu bari bahumikewe n'Imana bakaba, nubwo bashikiriza ubutumwa bwabo mu gihe n'ikibanza vyabo, bavuga ukuri kw'ibihe bidashira.

4.20. Soma ayo mungane akurikira witonze; Hanyuma ushire akamenyetso ku nyishu ubona ko yegereye ukuri mu gutahura ivy'inyandiko za Ellen G. White.

- € Sinzi Ellen G. White uwariwe.
- € Inyandiko za Ellen G. White zirimwo ukuri canke ubwenge kuruta izindi nyandiko z'abarongozi b'ayandi mashengero.
- € Ellen G. White ni umuntu yigeneye inkuru zirimwo ibintu birengeye ubwenge kugira asobanure ibinyegezwa vy'ubuzima. Inyandiko ziwe zirimwo kw'ijanye no kubaho kw'umuntu
- € Ellen G. White yari yarahumekewe n'Imana kandi yatanze ubutumwa bw'Imana yisunze ibibanza n'igihe yabamwo.
- € Ellen G. White yandukuruye ivyo Imana yamubariye ijamba kw'ijamba kandi igihe n'akarere yabamwo ntivyamwinjiriye mu vyiyumviro.

Ni kuri uruhe rugero wemera izi nyigisho z'ishengero ry'abadivantiste? Ca umuzingi ku giharuro kijanye n'inyishu ubona ko ariyo nziza kuri wewe.

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|--|---------------------------------------|
| 1 – Ndavyakira n'umutima wanje wose | 4 – Ndukekeranya cane kuri vyo |
| 2 – Ndavyemera kuko Ishengero rivyigisha | 5 – Sindavyemera |
| 3 – Ndafise ibibazo kuri vyo | 6 – Iki kibazo ntigihambaye kuri jewe |

4.21	Yesu Kristo ni Umwana w'Imana	1	2	3	4	5	6
4.22	Urubabanza rw'intango rwatangye mu 1844	1	2	3	4	5	6
4.23	Ukw'Ishengero ritahura ivy'ubuhanuzi bw'igihe c'iherezo	1	2	3	4	5	6
4.24	Ellen G. White yari intumwa iri muri Mpwemu	1	2	3	4	5	6

	kw'Ishengero ry'Abadivantiste						
4.25	Inyifato y'abadivantiste ku bijanye n'ivy'ukwigerera	1	2	3	4	5	6
4.26	Inyifato y'abadivantiste kubijanye n'inyambaro nziza yo kwicisha bugufi	1	2	3	4	5	6

4.27. Ni gute wokwerekana aho uhagaze ku bijanye n'idini n'ivya mpwemu?

- € Ndi mw'idini ariko si mpagaze neza mu vya Mpwemu
- € Mpagaze neza mu vya Mpwemu ariko si ndi mw'idini
- € Ndi mw'idini mpagaze neza no vya mpwemu
- € Si ndi umunyedini si mpagaze neza no vya Mpwemu

Murakoze kudufasha m bufashaur'ubu bushakashatsi bw'abizera mw'ishengero. Turabashimiye cane ku bufasha bwanyu muri iki gikorwa.