

Chapter Eleven Agenda

Dating with Purpose and Purity

Activity	Time	Info
<p>Opening Prayer (p.160)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Use Option 1 on p. 160 <p>A Reading from the Book of Sirach: “My son, when you come to serve the Lord, prepare yourself for trials Be sincere of heart and steadfast, undisturbed in time of adversity. Cling to him, forsake him not; thus will your future be great. Accept whatever befalls you, in crushing misfortune be patient; For in fire gold is tested, and worthy men in the crucible of humiliation. Trust God and He will help you; make straight your ways and hope in Him. ...Consider the ancient generations and see: who ever trusted in the Lord and was put to shame?...For the Lord is compassionate and merciful.” - <i>Sirach 2:1-6, 10, 11</i></p> <p>Prayer Mother Mary, as we rise to the challenge to live purely, we ask you to lead us to your Son Jesus and pray that we may live purely like you. As your children seeking guidance and strength, we together pray the words of the <i>Memorare</i>: Remember, O most gracious Virgin Mary, that never was it known that any one who fled to your protection, implored your help, or sought your intercession was left unaided. Inspired by this confidence, I fly unto you, O Virgin of virgins, my Mother; to you I come, before you I stand, sinful and sorrowful; O Mother of the Word Incarnate, despise not my petitions, but in your mercy hear and answer me. Amen.</p>	(2 min)	
<p>Ice breaker (p.160L)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> “Two Truths and a Lie”. Use an icebreaker and make the point on p. 160L We will ask for volunteers, but the teacher should be ready with one. Tell them that this is not intended as an opportunity to share deep dark secrets about themselves. Use simple or unusual facts, be creative. 	(8 min)	
<p>Two Minute Drill (p.161L/161)</p>	(2 min)	
<p>Introduction (p 159)</p>	(2 min)	

<p>Story Starter (p.161-162)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • After the story break into small groups with leaders to answer questions on p163 	(5 min)	
<p>Main Content:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Show the DVD (chapter 11) 	(25 min) (20 min)	
<p>Teaching: The Relationship Pyramid p. 164</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • They will have a copy of the paragraph on p. 164 along with the pyramid on p. 164 & 165 • Also point out that they have the pages 170 & 171 - How do you know when to end a relationship? For their reflection 		
<p>Video:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Show the video “A Walk to Remember” Show segment 1:04:19 to 1:09:12. Jamie, the preacher’s daughter, demands that her boyfriend, Landon, respects her wish to stay pure. 	(5 min)	
<p>Science and the ToB: The Chemistry of Attractions</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If time read this together and discuss 	(5 min)	
<p>Closing Prayer:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Use (and explain the significance p.176L) of the closing prayer on p. 176. 	(2 min)	

Bring DVD - *A Walk to Remember*