

12 reasons Why Churches Need to Have a Revival and Use a God-called Evangelist.

1. Ephesians 4:11ff implies that every church should have an evangelist to aid in its maturing. Churches who do not use an evangelist will have warped growth.
2. An evangelist tells the same eternal truths that the pastor does more freely because he does not know individuals and their situations. He just tells it like it is and lets the chips fall where they may.
3. Ninety-eight point six per cent of the time you use a harvest evangelist someone will be saved.
4. Evangelists send preparation manuals that are proven. Thorough preparation will result in more conversions, greater attendance, more stirring in the church, more praying and witnessing. God will be honored in all.
5. Revival gives your people an excuse to invite somebody back to church for the 10,000 time.
6. If you believe the Bible to be the infallible inerrant Word of God you will use an evangelist because God gave them to you for the up building of the church. Believing God always pays dividends.
7. Revival calls for every member of the church to work for a common goal for at least one week of the year. Youth ministry, children's ministry and all adult ministries focusing on one event shows what God can do when the church is in one accord.
8. Revival gives the church a heightened opportunity and urgency to talk about Jesus and confront the lost with the truths of Christ both in and outside the walls of the church.
9. Revival gives the church an excuse to advertise through the local papers, radio and television.
10. Because God's Church needs to repent, sinners need to be saved and our nation brought back to God. The very circumstances of abortion, homosexuality, alcoholism, drugs and crime demand we set aside a time to repent and get right with God. It needs to start in the local church. Revival gives that opportunity.
11. Every church needs a revival week to gather up the harvest from the preaching and teaching and witnessing that has gone on for the past several months.
12. Revival gives the church an opportunity to hear what God is doing in other places. The evangelist generally shares exciting illustrations of what has been doing in many of the places where he has been.