Chapter Time Guide

You are God's Masterpiece – May 22, 2020



Goals

- 1. Follow up with your chapter after InterVarsity LIVE!
- 2. Meet and include new people
- 3. Get students connected to small groups
- 4. Introduce a piece of Ignite! (Evangelism department tool) to your chapter

Recommended Platform

Invite your chapter to meet together post-InterVarsity LIVE! in a Zoom meeting. This will allow you to break the chapter into small groups for more intimate discussions and allow the chapter to feel close relationally.

Some chapters may also want to use a Google doc during this time to keep notes of what's being shared to allow for further interaction. You can create tables for participants to share responses to things they're learning or to capture prayer requests.

You can find best practices and tips for using Zoom by visiting <u>here</u>. InterVarsity staff can contact the <u>Help Desk</u> for any technical questions regarding Zoom.

Vision Cast about Ignite!

This series called "Look What I Can Do" is all about how God can use students to bring hope to others in creative ways. Ignite! is a new tool the Evangelism department is using to help students bring together their hobbies and God stories to bless others. Students are God's handiwork. Staff are fascinated by God's work and are expert "excavators" of God's gems in students. Listen to this short explanation of Ignite! by Doug Schaupp and be prepared to be inspired

This Week's Content

- <u>Inside Scoop</u>: Staff train small group leaders in this material **before** Week 1 so that they can use it in their breakouts each week. Leaders learn, practice, and have buy-in. Then, on Week 3, Inside Scoop is introduced formally to the chapter as the group activity.
- <u>Testimony video</u>: Nick's story. An English major from Cal Poly San Luis Obispo, who loves poetry
- Discussion questions:
 - 1. What hobbies, passions or interests have you pressed into lately? Or, which ones did you engage in before COVID-19?
 - 2. What do you like about your particular hobby, passion, or interest?
 - 3. What have you learned about yourself or the world from engaging in this particular hobby, passion, or interest?
 - 4. Who else do you know who shares your hobbies, passions, or interests? Who do you think might be interested in learning more about your hobbies, passions, or interests?
 - 5. How might your hobbies, passions, or interests connect with your relationship with God?



Post-Event Gathering Script You are God's Masterpiece – May 22, 2020 | 30 minutes



Time	Content	Notes
Before	Prep student leaders	Student leaders should be prepared to be in breakout rooms. Their job is to help facilitate the breakout rooms. They should be prepared to welcome new students as well as old InterVarsity friends.
3 min	Arrival	Greet people as they enter. *Bonus: Share your computer audio and play some InterVarsity Live! music in the background.
1 min	Welcome (facilitator)	Introduce yourself & your chapter "Tonight we want to reconnect and get to know one another, process InterVarsity LIVE! together, and find ways to connect throughout the week. I'll be sending us into breakout rooms throughout the night to process together. Let's start with some introductions." *Note: The facilitator can be a student leader or a campus staff worker.
5 min	Breakout in 3-4's Intro, Inside Scoop (student leaders)	Introduce yourself: name, where you live, year in school Spend 3 minutes playing a round of <u>Inside Scoop</u>
1 min	Transition (facilitator)	"I'm so glad that we're gathered tonight. I really enjoyed my breakout room. We're going to go back to breakout rooms in a minute to share about our experience of InterVarsity LIVE!"
5 min	Video testimony (facilitator)	Frame and show this 3-min <u>video</u> example from the Evangelism department to introduce the next breakout discussion
10 min	Breakout in 3-4's Discussion (student leaders)	 What hobbies, passions or interests have you pressed into lately? Or, which ones did you engage in before COVID-19? What do you like about your particular hobby, passion, or interest? What have you learned about yourself or the world from engaging in this particular hobby, passion, or interest? *Tip: Have everyone post their responses in a Google doc how they are responding so student leaders and staff can follow up if desired
2 min	Announcements (facilitator)	"One of the best ways to continue responding to Jesus is to join our community Bible studies. These smaller groups help us to look honestly at Jesus, see how his teachings and examples may apply to our lives, and have a group of friends to process together how we are growing and how we are doing as we go through this semester online." Here are our offerings / Here is how to sign up • Ignite Training: We are all God's handiwork, (Ephesians 2:10). God wants to use us in our uniqueness to reach others. The Evangelism Department wants to equip us to bring our hobbies and our stories together to help our friends become curious and open to Jesus. On Monday @ 4pm Central, there is a one-hour overview webinar about a new tool called Ignite! Let's take our brainstorm about hobbies and offer it up to Jesus as an act of worship and see how he may want to connect our fun with faith. Zoom link • Other chapter-specific events
2 min	Breakout in 3-4's Sign up and pray (student leaders)	Sign up in breakouts. Student leaders can invite new students to join their small group or direct them to other groups.
1 min	Closing (facilitator)	Thanks for coming. Stick around if you want to play [Jackbox, Pictionary, etc.] on Zoom with us!

