**Special Needs Ministries**

**Sabbath School Program**

Saturday April 27, 2019

**Isolation mode**

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**Suggested Sabbath School programme**

(*Identify those in the congregation who are disabled and have special talents that can be used during the Sabbath School program. Perhaps they can lead song service, play an instrument, read the Sabbath School comments, or lead in a discussion*)

**Welcome**

**PPT 1 :** Image of the poster Special Needs Awareness Sabbath – Explanation of the day

**PPT 2 :** songs (if the church sings more songs in the introduction, maybe from different songs

 books)

**PPT 3-7** : song - Seventh-Day Adventist Himnal – Lord of all nations - 588

**PPT 8 :** Prayer -

**PPT 9 :** Introduction to the lesson – When Alone dissolving in “Isolation Mode”

**PPT 10 :** Bible text : Ecclesiastes 4:9-12

**PPT 11 :** Time for sharing the lesson in groups

**Scripture Focus**

Ecclesiaste 4:9-12

I Cor 7:25-34

Galati 6:1-9.

Marco 10:42-45.

Isaia 49:14-16.

Matthew 28:20

**PPT 12 :** After the lesson study – Image of the poster Special Needs Awareness Sabbath

**PPT 13 : Interview to disabled if possible:**

Ask those with various special needs if they would be interested in sharing about their life. Be careful to not embarrass them but let them know that the church family would like to know them in a deeper way.

1. What are some of the challenges or difficulties that they face in everyday life, specifically about the text of the lesson focusing on being alone?
2. What was their feeling when they felt accepted and not alone anymore?
3. What are some of the difficulties they experience in the church regarding the way they are accepted, refused, ignored, welcomed?

**PPT 14-16** : Closing Hymn Seventh-Day Adventist Himnal 499: What a friend we have in Jesus.

**PPT 17 :** Prayer

**PPT 18** : SNM Theme song

**PPT 19:** Image of the poster Special Needs Awareness Sabbath - Conclusion