

Closing Ceremony Ideas and Guidelines

- The emphasis for the closing service is to make room for people to respond to Faith Promise and Life Commitment.
- Interview a mission partner so people who didn't attend any GIC events still have the opportunity to hear about what God is doing around the world.
- Acknowledge all mission partners who are in the service by having them stand, and, if time allows, have someone introduce them guickly and say where they serve.
- The keynote speaker for the morning needs to encourage the congregation to make their Faith Promise and Life Commitments.
- After the sermon, the pastor will explain what Faith Promise and Life Commitment mean. Have volunteers ready to hand out cards to anyone who does not have one.
- Make the commitment a special time. For example, have a time of prayer and a designated area for people to walk up front and drop off their cards.

Other Notes: