To train Ananiases in your parish, you will need a Leader Kit. It consists of:

- One Leader Guide
- Instructional DVDs
- One set of all participant materials.
- One copy of Forming Intentional Disciples: The Path to Knowing and Following Jesus by Sherry A. Weddell

Participant Materials available individually and in discounted packages of 10. See other side for price list.

Ananias Training

"Saul, my brother, the Lord Jesus has sent me,...that you may regain your sight and be filled with the Holy Spirit."

-Acts 9:17

Traveling with Others the Discipleship Path

Inspired by the important role Ananias played in St. Paul's journey to Christ [Acts 9:10-19], our Ananias Training will help parishes, homes, and apostolates become places where we can:

- recognize the stages of another's spiritual journey through compassionate listening.
- listen lovingly to their real questions and opinions about God in order to guide the discovery of how God is present and active in a person's life.
- talk about our relationship with God.
- share how we came to be a disciple of Jesus.

Ananias Training is a 17-hour process structured over five experiences, designed to form parishioners with no previous training in "the art of spiritual accompaniment." The training will use Scripture reflections, video, and facilitated discussions to form "Ananiases."

To learn more about Ananias Training, visit our website at www.siena.org/ananias
Call us at 719-219-0056, or email: ananias@siena.org
Price List (USD)

Leader Kit $169  (Access to Leader Kit required to purchase participant materials) Participant Materials

- Participant Guide, Part 1 (initial training in the thresholds and how to have a threshold conversation) Each $15  10-pack $125
- Participant Guide, Part 2 (Great Story of Jesus Day, how to share your story) Each $10  10-pack $90
- Complete Participant Guide  (Parts 1 and 2) Each $24  10-pack $210
- Great Story of Jesus Booklet Each $9  10-pack $79

Additional Leader Guides  $34 each

Intended Audience

Pastors and Pastoral Leaders who desire to break the culture of silence by raising up individuals equipped to journey with others

RCIA Team Members

Retreat Team Members

Small group and table leaders of all types

Ministers to the sick and homebound

Parishioners who desire the confidence and skills to share their faith with family, friends, co-workers, etc.

What people are saying...

“[As a priest, Ananias Training] has really gotten me to personalize my ministry...I've moved from seeing people from 30,000 feet up to seeing them from six feet away. Relatedly, it's become more prayerful and more intentional.

[As a leader] it was great!  The resources were so thoroughly laid out right down [to] the minute. When we ran it--and knowing that we were piloting it--I committed to making sure we stayed true to the format.  At the same time, I was grateful that it was flexible enough to make it my own with some stories I could tell.  But the basic structure of the resources were really well done and well thought out.

[As a parent] I came to see that I didn't really share Jesus’ Great Story with them.  They learned about Jesus in Sunday school and Catechism classes, but it wasn't part of our conversation as a family.  So with the tools of Ananias Training I was able to open up discussions and ask questions.”