**CULTIVATION IDEA LIST**

1. Mark those items from the list below that you feel fit your personal style
2. List your Top Five
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3. What are your top 2?
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   2. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
4. What could you see yourself doing in 2022 to help cultivate new friends for Bridges?
5. What do you need that would help you succeed at what you are envisioning?

**COMMUNICATING**

1. Mention Bridges in conversation
2. Tell a story from Bridges
3. Write a thank you note
4. Write a get well note, Birthday card, Note of encouragement
5. Greet someone you see while shopping
6. Write an article
7. Send an email to introduce someone to Jim
8. Verbally thank someone you see around town
9. When eating in a restaurant, before you sit down, look around the restaurant to see if there are any people there who give to Bridges. If there are, take a moment to greet them and thank them (no more than (90 seconds) and then sit down to have your dinner.
10. Ask restaurant or other business owner if s/he participates in nonprofit silent auctions. If so, let Jim know.
11. Using Send Out Cards to make personalized greeting cards for financial partners, Bridge Leaders, and others.
12. Call people on the phone and ask them how things are going

**CARING**

1. Pray for donors
2. Visit donors who are sick
3. Take food to donors in quarantine
4. Help donors with learning zoom
5. Help donors run errands or
6. Help donor arrange an event for Bridges

**INVITING** Someone

1. To a Bridges event
2. To a Zoom event
3. To meet a Bridge Leader
4. To meet Jim
5. To a Board Meeting
6. To join Bridges 2.0
7. To give airline miles
8. To host an event
9. To Bridges Annual Event
10. To give an auction item
11. To advertise through Bridges
12. To visit [www.bridgesus.org](http://www.bridgesus.org)
13. To visit membership.bridgesus.org

**HOSTING**

1. Organizing an event at your home
2. Organizing an event at work
3. Organize a prayer walk
4. Organize a hike for socialization
5. Taking a donor to lunch, breakfast, dinner, or coffee/tea
6. Allowing use of your home for a meeting with a donor,
7. Allowing use of your home or business for a place for Jim to work
8. Allowing use of your home or business for a place for a group to write thank you notes

**GIVING**

1. Give a gift in honor of someone and let them know.
2. Give to Bridges in lieu of Christmas Gift for Friends and family and let them know.
3. For Your Birthday ask friends to give to Bridges in lieu of regular gifts
4. Organize a Collection of goods for Bridge Leaders
5. Organize a Collection for those in need who are served by our Bridge Leaders
6. Donate and ask others to donate Airline miles for staff and Bridge Leader use.
7. Sending appreciation gifts to volunteers and donors

**REPRESENT**

1. Staff a table at a mission fair at a congregation
2. Speak at a community group like Kiwanas
3. Lead an online group for Bridges
4. Be on a committee or foundation board to represent Bridges’ interests for funding
5. Go to a committee meeting or a foundation board meeting to make a and l
6. Attend a funeral or a wedding and extend the appropriate message of support from the Bridges Board and Staff.
7. Take a written report to a donor and share about their impact of their giving

**OTHER** Ideas

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