

- 1. START CONNECTING GROUPS
- 2. START GROWING CHURCH
- 3. START SERVING FAMILY
- 4. START LEADING INDIVIDUALS

START CONNECTING - GROUPS

By joining a small group of fellow believers that gather in homes across the City/Villgae/Naqtion for mutual encouragement, accountability, and do LIFE together.

- Act 2:46 So continuing daily with one accord in the temple, and breaking bread from house to house, they ate their food with gladness and simplicity of heart,
- 1 Thess 5:11 Therefore comfort each other and edify one another, just as you also are doing.

START GROWING - CHURCH

By participating and being active, receiving Biblical teaching on a regular basis, and learning to study and apply the Word for yourself.

- 2 Pet 3:18 but grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ. To Him be the glory both now and forever. Amen.
- Heb 10:25 not forsaking the assembling of ourselves together, as is the manner of some, but exhorting one another, and so much the more as you see the Day approaching.

START SERVING - FAMILY

- By committing to use your gifts and talents in service of the local church with a team of people assigned over a specific area of ministry.
- 1 Pet 4:10 As each one has received a gift, minister it to one another, as good stewards of the manifold grace of God.
- Mark 9:35 And He sat down, called the twelve, and said to them, "If anyone desires to be first, he shall be last of all and servant of all."

START LEADING - INDIVIDUALS

By stepping up to lead a Group or ministry, setting a Christ-like example and leading many to faith in Jesus thorough the Gospel.

- Heb 13:7 Remember those who rule over you, who have spoken the word of God to you, whose faith follow, considering the outcome of their conduct.
- Mat 4:19 Then He said to them, "Follow Me, and I will make you fishers of men."



4 - PILLARS

1. PRAYER - WORSHIP

Growing

- Bible study
- Worship
- Prayer
- People

Deciding

Commitment to a relationship with Christ

<u>Developin</u>

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- Church
- Kingdom
- Yourself
- People

2. CARING - WELCOME

Knowing

- Welcome
- Ice Breaker
- Fellowship
- Support
- People

Searching

Commitment to being open

Connectin

g

- Groups
- Lives
- Yourself
- People

3. EQUIPPING - WORD

Knowing

- Word
- Ministry
- Spiritual Gifts
- Equipping
- People

<u>Belonging</u>

Commitment to relationship with others

<u>Serving</u>

- God
- 'Church'
- People

4. EVANGELISM - WORKS

Works

- Missions
- Evangelism
- People

Becoming

Commitment to Lordship

Leading

- Destiny
- Purpose
- People

IMPACTING - LIVING

Lifestyle

Commitment to Missional Lifestyle

SPIRITUAL FAMILY [WHY?]



HEALTHY RELATIONSHIPS

"Two are better than one, because they have a good return for their work: If one falls down, his friend can help him up. But pity the one who falls and has no one to help him up!" - Ecclesiastes 4:9-10

YOU NEED A PLACE WHERE YOU CAN USE YOUR GIFTS

"Do not neglect the gift that is in you, which was given to you..." - 1 Timothy 4:14

YOU NEED A PLACE WHERE YOU CAN GROW

"They joined with the other believers and devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and fellowship, sharing in the breaking of bread and prayer." - Acts 2:42

YOU NEED TO BELONG TO SOMETHING BIGGER THAN YOURSELF

"Just as each of us has one body with many members, and these members do not all have the same function, so in Christ we who are many form one body, and each member belongs to all the others." - Romans 12:4-5

"Let us not give up meeting together, as some are in the habit of doing, but let us encourage one another..."

- **Hebrews 10:25**

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THE PURSUIT OF GOD

I WILL PROTECT THE UNITY OF GOD'S CHURCH.

- . . . by acting in love toward other members
- . . . by refusing to gossip
- . . . by following the leaders

I WILL SHARE THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE CHURCH

- . . . by praying for its growth
- . . . by inviting the un-churched to attend
- . . . by warmly welcoming those who visit

I WILL SERVE THE MINISTRY OF GOD'S CHURCH

- . . . by discovering my gifts and talents
- . . . by being equipped to serve by my leaders
- . . . by developing a servant's heart

I WILL SUPPORT THE TESTIMONY OF GOD'S CHURCH

- . . . by attending faithfully
- . . . by living a godly life
- . . . by giving regularly