

“NAILS, SCREWS AND GLUE”

GOD IS A BUILDER:

- God is building His church (Mt. 16:17, 18; 1Cor. 3:9; 1Pe. 2:5).
 - The church exists to bring Him glory.
- Each believer is to be a part of this building (Eph. 2:19-21; 4:16).
 - Parts and pieces of a building have limited strength and very limited functionality.
 - Joining them together with nails, screws and glue can increase strength and functionality exponentially!
 - Christians that are not “joined” with other Christians have...
 - Limited spiritual strength;
 - Limited spiritual functionality.

JOINT STRENGTH:

- The strength of the joints determines the strength of the building.
- God’s love is the primary “glue” that joins us together (Col. 3:12-14)
 - Loving each other is the proof of God’s love being in our heart (1Jn. 4:20-21).
 - It is a command to love each other, not a suggestion.
 - Your gifts, talents and experience are to be used to serve others to help them grow (Gal. 5:13-14; Eph. 4:15-16).

BECOMING JOINED:

- Getting started;
 - Partnership Class
 - Alpha Course
 - Experiencing God Class
- Growing in your faith;
 - Impact Weekend
 - Financial Peace University

- Truth Project
- Adult Sunday School
- Principles of Biblical Interpretation
- New Testament Survey
- Relationship Building;
 - Senior Fellowship
 - Peaceful Warriors
 - Exit 2:9 (College age group)
 - Titus II
 - Growing Kids God's Way
 - Monday Men
 - Thursday Women
 - Men in Action
 - Cross Church Accountability
 - Still Waters
 - Divorce Care
 - Marriage Builders and Rebuilders
 - Young Married's
- Serving Opportunities;
 - Doorstep Ministries
 - Children's Church
 - Nursery Ministry
 - Youth Group (The Connection)
 - Decorating/Landscaping
 - Heart to Heart
 - Ushers Ministry
 - Jim's Place Coffee Shop
 - Sunday Morning Prayer
 - Greeting Ministry
 - In Harm's Way
 - Prayer Team
 - Prayer Chain
 - Worship/Music/Media/Duplication