



TRINITY CHURCH

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Engage TCW
Membership Course

Our strategy: Connect, Grow, Serve

- Connect
 - Connect Events
 - B.L.E.S.S. strategy
 - Personal evangelism
- Grow
 - Community Groups
 - Bible Studies
 - One-on-one Discipleship
- Serve
 - On a TCW team
 - In the community
 - As a missionary

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How do people Connect?

- **Connect Events**

- We host bimonthly gatherings designed to be an easy “first step”
- These events generally involve a fun activity
- We ask members to attend and invite others several times each year

- **B.L.E.S.S Strategy**

- Begin with prayer
- Listen to people
- Eat with them
- Serve them
- Share your story with them

- **Personal Evangelism**

- For those interested in learning how to share the gospel, we offer fun, practical training.

How do people Grow?

- **Community Groups**

- We have several community groups designed to ensure everyone at TCW knows and is known by other TCW members/attenders. Our CG's study God's word together and build relationships as well.

- **Bible Studies**

- Our Bible Studies are gender specific and provide an opportunity to do more in-depth study of God's word using engaging directed studies and/or insights from people with biblical and theological training.

- **One-on-one Discipleship**

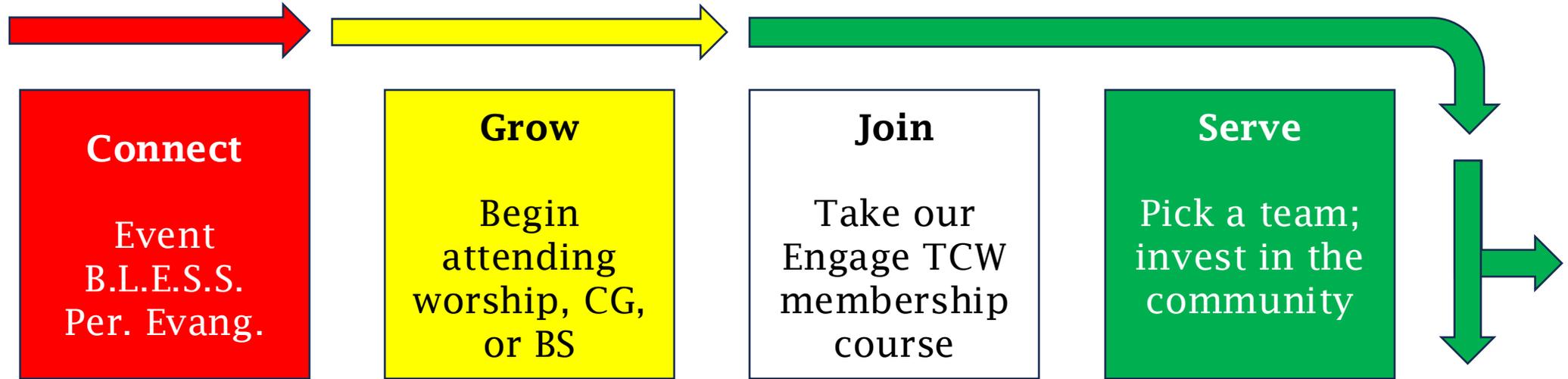
- For some, individual training is preferable to group learning. Therefore, we offer grace-driven one-on-one discipleship for those interested in pursuing greater spiritual maturity.



How do people Serve?

- **On a TCW team**
 - We believe everyone is able and called to serve (1 Pet. 4:9-10), and we ask each of our members to pick a team and serve.
- **In the community**
 - We believe well-made disciples (followers) of Jesus are called to let their light shine in the community so that people will see their good works and glorify God (Matt. 5:16). We encourage our members to serve their neighbors and the community as an extension of our ministry.
- **As a pastor or missionary**
 - We pray that some of our members will feel God calling them to go to the foreign mission field or to vocational ministry. Therefore, we provide biblical and theological training and guidance to that end.

TCW Ministry Map



Complementarianism is the biblical conviction that men and women are equal in dignity, value, and worth as image-bearers of God, yet distinct in their God-given roles and responsibilities in the home, the church, and sometimes in broader society. In short: **Equal in essence, different by design, complementary in calling.**

1. Gen. 1:27 “So God created man...male and female he created them.”

- **Equality of worth:** Both man and woman are made in God’s image. Complementarianism begins with shared dignity before God.

2. Gen. 2:18 “Then the Lord God said, ‘It is not good that the man should be alone; I will make him a helper fit for him.’”

- **Distinct roles in creation:** The woman is created as a complementary helper (not inferior, but essential), establishing God’s design for partnership and order.

3. Eph. 5:22-25 “Wives, submit to your own husbands, as to the Lord. For the husband is the head of the wife even as Christ is the head of the church... Husbands, love your wives, as Christ loved the church and gave himself up for her.”

- **Roles in marriage:** The husband lovingly leads and sacrifices; the wife willingly follows and respects — both reflecting the gospel relationship between Christ and the church.

4. 1 Tim. 2:12-13 “I do not permit a woman to teach or to exercise authority over a man; rather, she is to remain quiet. For Adam was formed first, then Eve.”

- **Order in the church:** Paul roots his instruction not in culture, but in creation order — establishing distinct teaching and governing roles within the church.

5. 1 Cor. 11:3 “But I want you to understand that the head of every man is Christ, the head of a wife is her husband...”

- **Headship patterned on Christ:** Authority and submission are not signs of inequality but reflections of divine harmony — even within the Godhead.

How to share the good news

- **The gospel is about GOD**
 - God is a loving father & a just judge (John 3:16, Ps 9:7-8, Rom 6:23)
- **The gospel is about MAN**
 - Man is a sinner who cannot save himself (Rom 3:23, Eph 2:8-9, Rom 5:6)
- **The gospel is about JESUS**
 - Jesus is the Son of God who lived, died, was buried, and rose again in order to save sinners from the **penalty**, **power** and (eventually) **presence** of sin. (Matt 16:16, 1 Cor. 15:3-4, Rom 8:1, Rom 6:6, Rev 21:4)
- **The gospel is about REPENTANCE**
 - Repentance is turning away from sin & self (Acts 3:19, Isa. 55:7, Prov 3:5)
- **The gospel is about FAITH**
 - Faith is trusting Jesus as both Savior & Lord (John 3:36, Rom 10:9, Gal 2:20)



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