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**The Bridge GROWTH TRACK – Starting Point – GOD WORSHIPED** is simply an expression of our love for God. If I say I love God, then how do I live that out? *Matt. 22:37-40*

**Matthew 22** drives our mission: **Connecting to God; Connecting to People**

*Recognizing we are loved and accepted by God leads us to love, honor, and worship God. Our love for God equips us to love one another.*

*This is our **Starting Point! GOD WORSHIPED!***

1. Salvation
2. Attend service
3. Meet with Pastor
4. Starting Point Class

**SALVATION – We're in need of a Savior. Salvation is not possible on our own.** Salvation has nothing to do with feeling sorry, nothing to do with paying penance, and nothing to do with getting rid of sin. **It's about Jesus becoming LORD of your life.** *Rom.10:9-11*

**Attend services** - Being part of a community of believers and serving one another removes a consumer mindset.

**Acts 2:42-47**

**Heb. 10:24**

**Meet the Pastor –**

*Every pastor on staff here at The Bridge has a desire to know you.*

*Every Tuesday morning, our staff gets together to pray over this church, our body of believers, and those who we know that are specifically dealing with something.*

*This is how we connect to people! **1 Thess. 5:12***

**Starting Point Classes –** These classes share our core beliefs, purpose, culture, and future direction. *Ps. 133:3*

**TIFAW: Make a Move**

1. **Salvation**
2. **Attend Services** – If you're in service, we're so glad you are a part of our Bridge community. If you're online, we'd love to see you next Sunday if you can make it. We understand there are situations where some are unable to attend in person, and for you, we are starting an online connect group. You can ask Pastor Gary more about that during our live streaming times.
3. **Meet the Pastor** – If you've never met a Pastor at the Bridge, don't leave without doing that. Our pastors are at the fireplace, and they want to meet you!
4. **Starting Point** – More information on starting point classes is at the connect booth.