

SMALL GROUPS **@ NORTSHORE BIBLE CHURCH**

Value of Small Groups:

1. Most effective medium to grasp and apply God's Word.
2. Provides the most effective medium for pastoral care.
3. Unleashed the power of prayer.
4. Establishes close fellowship and accountability.
5. Fulfills the desire to belong.
6. Raises up new church leadership.
7. Empowers you for lifestyle ministry to others including evangelism.

Our group goals and priorities are:

1. Genuine Care is job #1
2. Time in God's Word
3. Prayer
4. Fun with one another
5. Availability for service to the church

Biblical Foundation:

Gen.1: 26-28, Matt. 6:9-10, Acts 2:42-47, Eph. 4:12-16, Hebrews 11:23-25.

A great quote from John Piper regarding the need and value of small groups for the church today:

“Without intentional faith-building togetherness we will loose zeal for God, drift away from the church, our hearts become hardened to spiritual things and if we don't snatch one another like James 5:19 say, we will make shipwrecks of our faiths.”