

**Daily Schedule Plan**  
**Module 4 Ocala, Fl**  
**Marion Baptist Association**  
**Biblical Counseling: How Do You Share It?**  
*(Developing a Local Church Biblical Counseling and Training Center)*  
*Pastor Mike DeGuzman, OIC, ACBC*

**Module 4: Weekend 3**

**Saturday, July 8, 2023**

7:30 am Doors open and sign in

8:00 am Breakfast

8:45 am Introduction and Prayer

9:00 am *Counseling Testimonies*

9:30 am *10 Reasons to Love the Church*

10:15 am Break

10:25 am *Good and Bad Reasons to be a Biblical Counseling Church*

11:05 am Q & A

11:15 am *Where Do YOU Go From Here?*

11:35 am Group Picture

Return to ministry locations and continue/begin counseling



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The Question is not, WHAT is the church? The question is, WHY is the church so very important – and to be loved?

1. Because it is God's Program for this \_\_\_\_\_

What is the only organism/organization that Jesus promised to build? – The \_\_\_\_\_!

**Then?**

Jesus gave hope to \_\_\_\_\_ followers and began building His church

**Now?**

Jesus is \_\_\_\_\_ building His church!

2. Because it is the object of significant apostolic, New Testament \_\_\_\_\_

Romans, Corinthians, Galatians, Ephesians, Philippians, Colossians, Thessalonians, Letters to Timothy, Titus, Churches of Revelation

3. Because it is an extended \_\_\_\_\_ through which we can share our lives. Eph 3:6
4. Because it is the laboratory for real-life learning and ministry for our \_\_\_\_\_ 2  
Tim 1:5
5. Because it is the place where life-long \_\_\_\_\_ are built. Romans 12:10-13

6. Because it is the forum through which all believers discover and use their spiritual \_\_\_\_\_ 1 Cor 12:7
7. Because it is the best possible training ground for \_\_\_\_\_ ministry service. 2 Tim 4:1-5
8. Because it is the foundation from which \_\_\_\_\_ ministries can be started and supported Acts 14:27
9. Because it is the \_\_\_\_\_ that gives access to other ministry opportunities. Acts 15:1-19
10. Because it is (still) the \_\_\_\_\_ focus of God's calling in our lives!

SINCE JESUS LOVED AND GAVE HIMSELF FOR THE CHURCH (EPHESIANS 5:25)  
**YOU SHOULD LOVE IT, TOO!**



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**I. Ten Good Biblical Reasons**

1. Church-based counseling places the counseling process into the context of \_\_\_\_\_ and people who are already responsible before God to watch over your soul. (Heb. 13:17)

Who would **most** believers approach for help? Someone who knows nothing about you and has no \_\_\_\_\_ to you outside of counseling.

2. Church-based counseling gives your people an \_\_\_\_\_ other than going to the local psychotherapist. (Col.2:8)

- They will save \_\_\_\_\_.
- They will receive Christ-centered, gospel focused, compassionate \_\_\_\_\_.
- They will be spared the \_\_\_\_\_ of humanistic philosophy.

3. Church-based counseling reaffirms our commitment to build one another up in the \_\_\_\_\_. (Eph. 4:11-13).

- People are not an equation of problems to be \_\_\_\_\_.
- People are God's image-bearers and the church is where people grow into His \_\_\_\_\_.

4. The church-based counselor has already made a \_\_\_\_\_ to help others.

5. Church-based counseling is a natural extension of \_\_\_\_\_. (Col. 1:28)
6. Church-based counseling can connect people to others who can help bear their \_\_\_\_\_. (Prov. 11:14)
  - It also allows for a \_\_\_\_\_ of wise counselors to speak God's truth into a person's life, rather than just one person.
7. Church-based counseling puts your people in touch with other \_\_\_\_\_ who are specially trained to deal with their issues.
8. Church-based counseling allows the counselor to live as a Christ-like \_\_\_\_\_ inside and outside the counseling setting.

It shows the counselee that the counselor doesn't just talk the talk, he walks the walk.  
[www.9marks.org](http://www.9marks.org)

9. Church-based counseling is a great \_\_\_\_\_ tool. (Acts 3:1-10)
  - People will often come thinking they need \_\_\_\_\_ thing when they really need Someone!
10. Church-based counseling is a way to share the \_\_\_\_\_ God has given your church (people and other resources) with the community. (2 Tim. 1:6)

## II. Four Bad Reasons to be a Biblical Counseling Church

1. To make \_\_\_\_\_
2. Our Church will \_\_\_\_\_
  - What if it doesn't? What if it declines?

- What if it does? Do you really want a “church \_\_\_\_\_” model of ministry?
  - It can disconnect the counseling ministry from other ministries since their ministry is not to “\_\_\_\_\_” the church.
3. Other Churches are \_\_\_\_\_ it
- Be cautious of “copying” \_\_\_\_\_ from other churches.
4. You’ll get rid of the \_\_\_\_\_ of your people
- In truth, \_\_\_\_\_ troubled people will come to your church
  - You’ll need to train \_\_\_\_\_ counselors



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Your Questions About Biblical Counseling Have Been Answered

1. What is it?
2. How do you do it?
3. How do you do it more effectively?
4. How do you share it?

OIC Strategic Objective: To assist in the initial creation and \_\_\_\_\_ development of national biblical counseling training and certifying organizations.

How Will This Be Accomplished?

- Through a series of biblical counseling training modules & consultation with emerging leaders.

What About New Training? \_\_\_\_\_! Please!

- Now for you...do it!
- And continue to learn!

What About Certificates? Coming Soon...3 months to complete Projects for Growth:

Module 1:

- Book Report: Instruments in the Redeemer's Hands
- Your Story

Module 2:

- Book Report: How People Change
- 7 Key Elements Lessons

Module 3:

- 5 Counseling Reports
- Sermon on the Mount Lessons

Module 4:

- 10 Counseling Reports
- Book Report: Biblical Counseling book(let)