

# BUILDING GOD'S CHURCH

## Follow His Plans

I Peter 1:14-16

Every church should strive to build their body according to the plans of God instead of our own desires or the patterns of the world. Peter calls on us to use the holiness of God as the plans for building our church in River Ridge. The church should walk with open eyes to glorify God instead of please self. May we build this church by walking according to the holiness of the Creator.

**Be \_\_\_\_\_ to the \_\_\_\_\_  
plans to mold you**

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**Be \_\_\_\_\_ on God's \_\_\_\_\_  
to shape your behavior**

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### Getting Started

1. Do you read instructions before assembling new furniture or installing electronics or do you go straight to work?
2. How late did you stay up on New Year's Eve 9 days ago?

### Digging Deeper

3. How does one walk in holiness according to Leviticus 19:2?
4. How does one walk in holiness according to Leviticus 20:6-8?
5. Paul uses the image of being built into God's household as Saints (holy ones) in Ephesians 2:19-22. What is the end goal of a holy church built around the Cornerstone of Christ?

### Living It Out

6. What does the word holiness mean to you on a daily basis?
7. Many Christians feel trapped in the sins of their ignorance when they come to faith in Christ. How would you encourage them to break free of those sins and be in God's holiness?
8. What advice would you give to those in this room on how to glorify God in your workplace or daily life in the world?