



ASSEMBLY INSTRUCTIONS - ALABAMA CHURCH

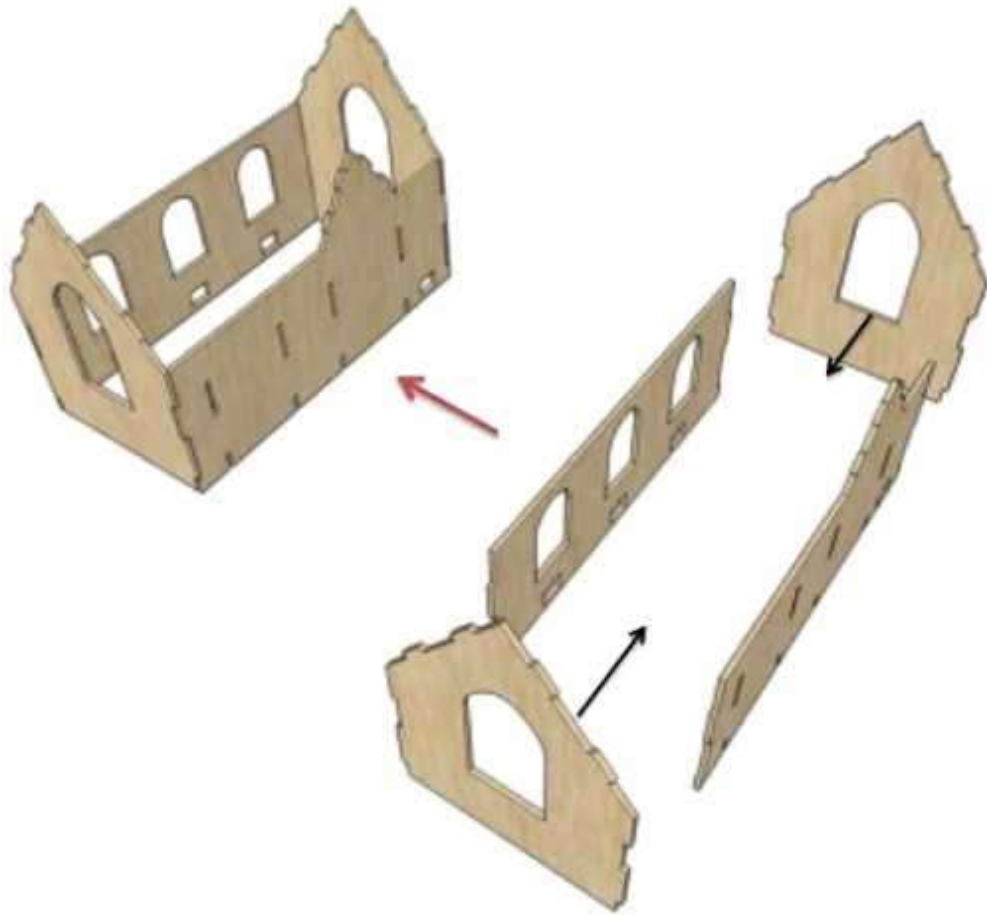
HINTS & TIPS

Always use a good quality wood glue. You may find low tack masking tape useful to hold things together while drying. Make sure you wipe away any glue oozes immediately with a damp cloth.

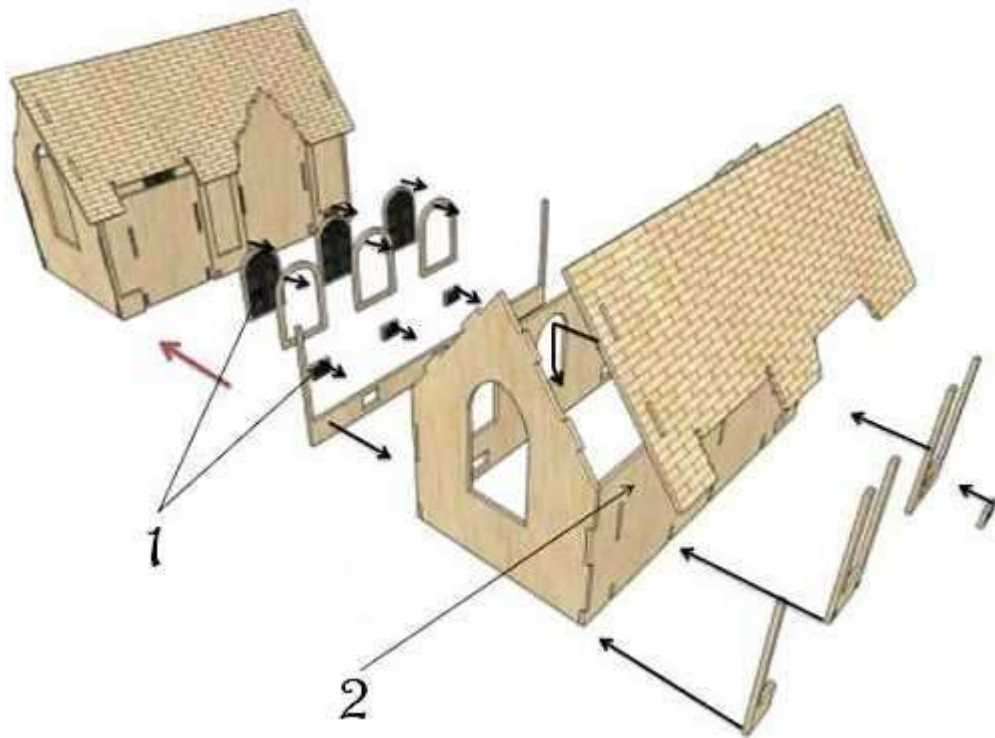


PLEASE NOTE: We have adapted this kit slightly from the plans to make assembly easier and/or keep costs down - as follows:

- The decorative elements of the Church windows are cut directly into the wall panels, this helps with window placement as the window frames can be glued directly on top.
- The Perspex window panes (if used) should be affixed to the inside wall of Church, behind the windows.
- The roof is plain (see photograph) rather than engraved with tiles. Leaving out this amount of engraving reduces costs considerably. You can add tiles if desired using printed paper, stencils/mediums or gluing on pre-cut MDF roof tiles - sheets over at the shop.



- Your kit will arrive as flat pack pieces – lay them out before you begin with good sides out.
- Start by slotting and gluing the 2 sides and ends together of the main Church building.

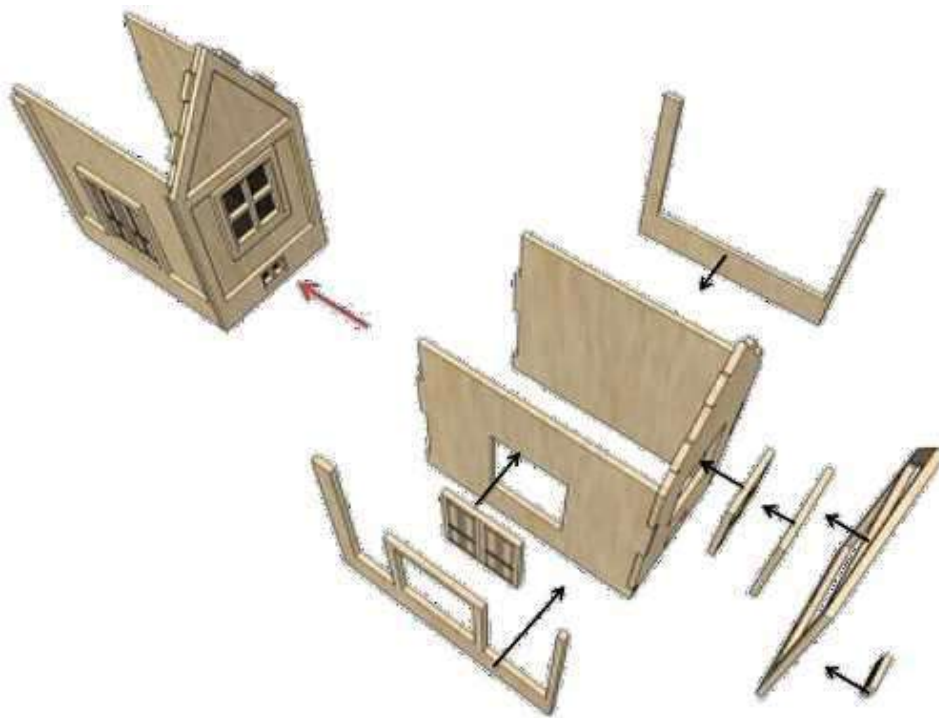


- On the plain side of the Church (no windows), glue on the 3 frame pieces – these will divide the three entrances to the Church.
- On the window side of the building, glue on the single frame piece.

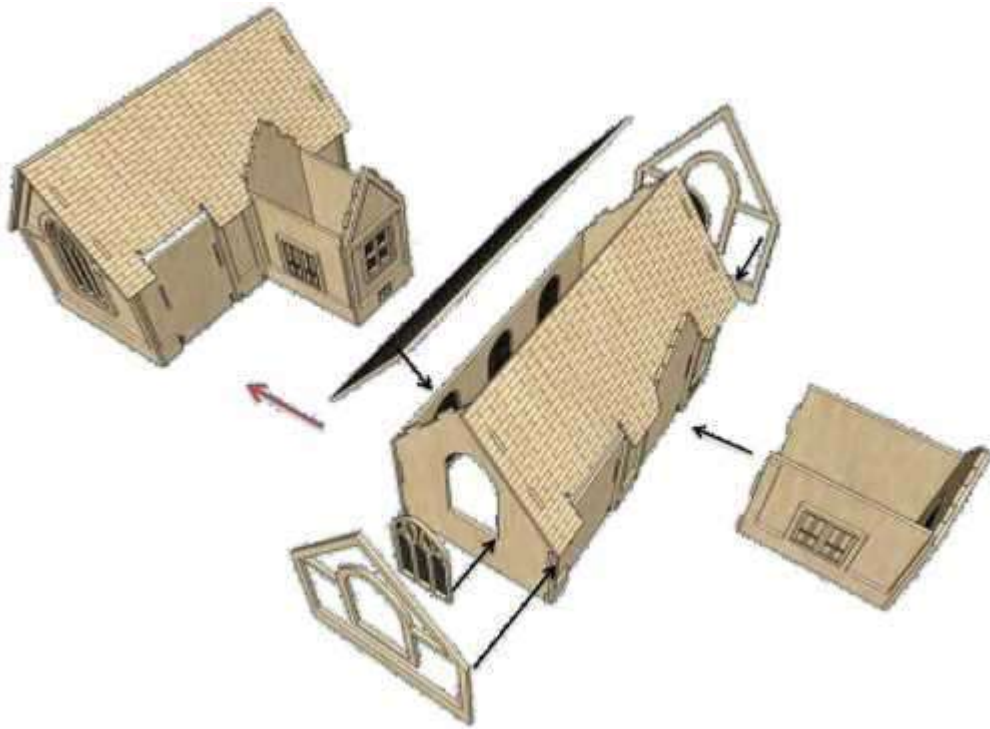
1. The kit is supplied with Perspex window panes (shown in black).
See information on page 1.

- Glue the window frames on the outside of the Church.
- Slide and slot in the roof piece that has the cut outs for the two Church entrances.

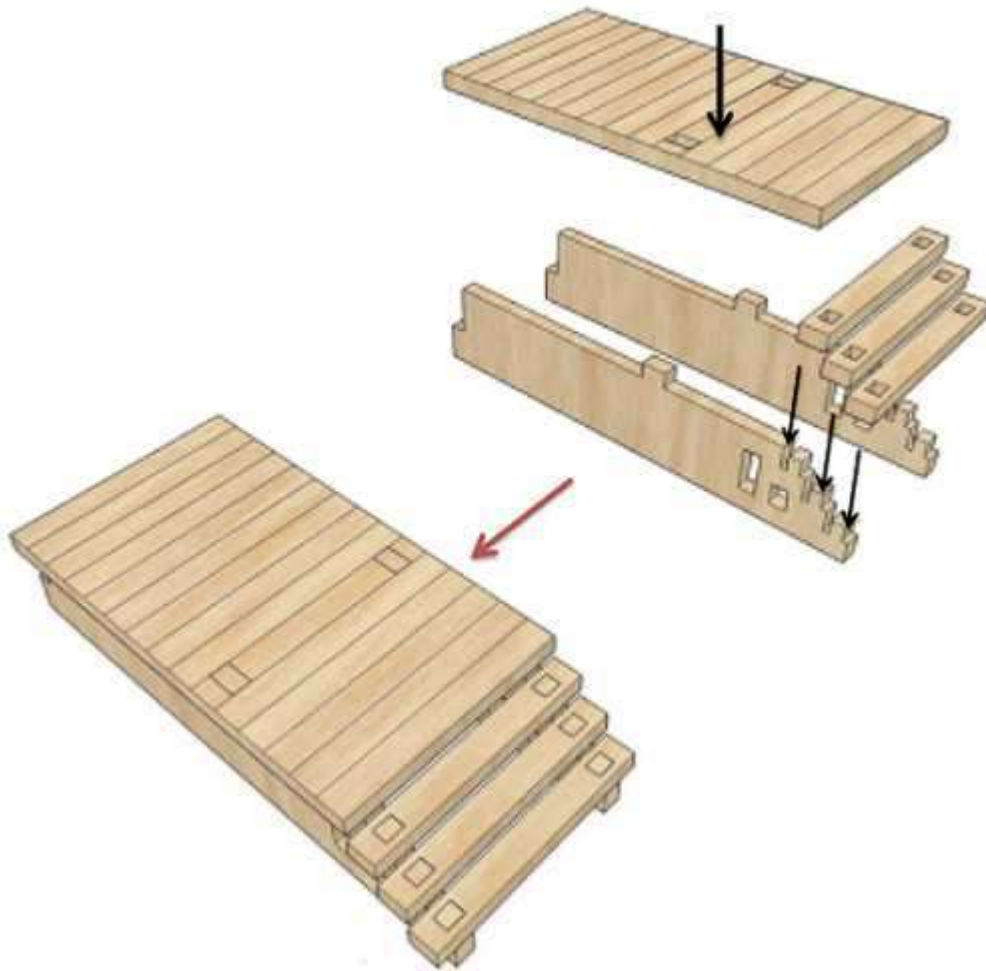
2. You might need to loosen up this wall a bit to let the roof slide into place.



- Slot and glue together the 2 sides and end of the Church vestibule.
- Glue on the 3 frame pieces - one to each side and front of the building.
- Glue the window frame to the front of the building and slot the double doors into the side frame.



- Once glue has dried, slot and glue the vestibule onto the main Church building.
- Glue the 2 frames onto each end of the Church – these include the frames for the windows.
- Slot and glue on the second roof panel to enclose the main Church.



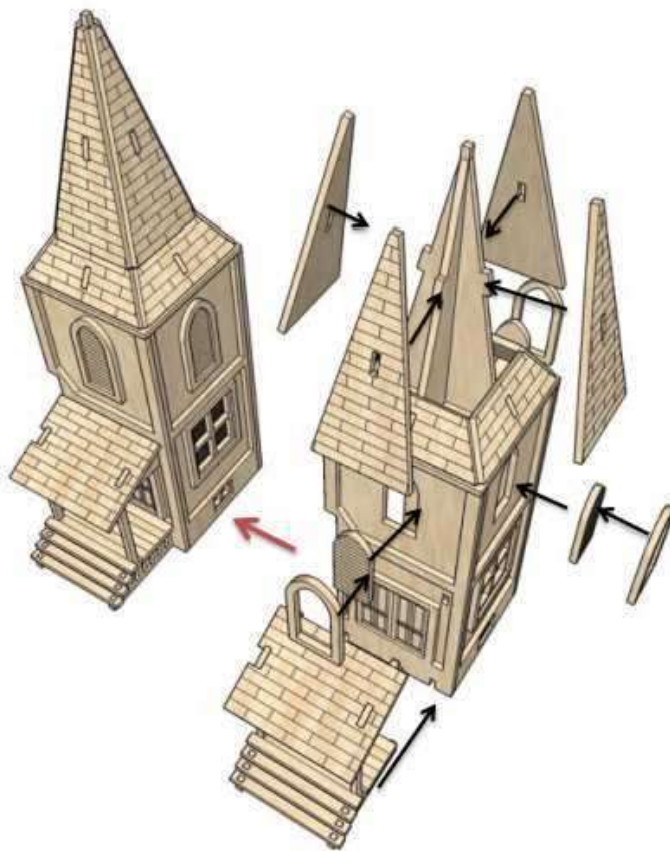
- To create the steps and walkway that go between the vestibule and the Church tower, glue and slot the 3 step pieces onto the side rails.
- Glue and slot the engraved plank walkway on top of the side rails.



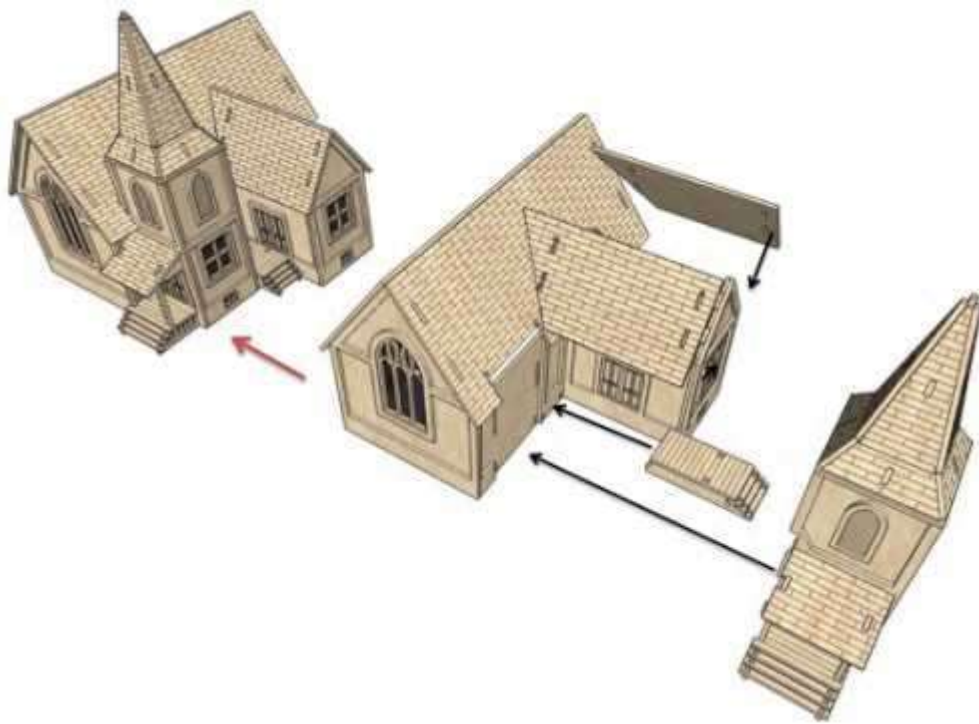
- Assemble the porch for the Church tower by gluing and slotting the top of the steps and the 3 step pieces onto the side rails.
- Glue and slot the porch piece into place.



- Assemble the Church tower by gluing and slotting together the 4 wall pieces.
- Glue and slot on the ceiling piece.
- Slot together the roof joists, then glue this onto the tower ceiling.



- Slot and glue the roof pieces onto the joists – start with the 4 narrower pieces, then add the 4 pointed pieces.
- Slot and glue the porch over the door.
- Glue the frame onto the exterior tower wall.
- Glue on the 3 shutter frames and 1 window frame.



- Attach the roof pieces to the Church vestibule.
- Glue and slot in the walkway next to the vestibule.
- Glue and slot in the Church tower onto the main Church building.

- For best results, seal the finished piece with a suitable acrylic sealer – DecoArt Mod Podge in matte is highly recommended. This provides a uniform surface on which to paint.
- You can also use Mod Podge as a glue to cover all or part of the Church with pretty papers – use the unassembled kit pieces as a pattern.

We hope you've enjoyed putting your kit together.