

## **BerdeMont B002 (Church) Kit Assembly Guidance**

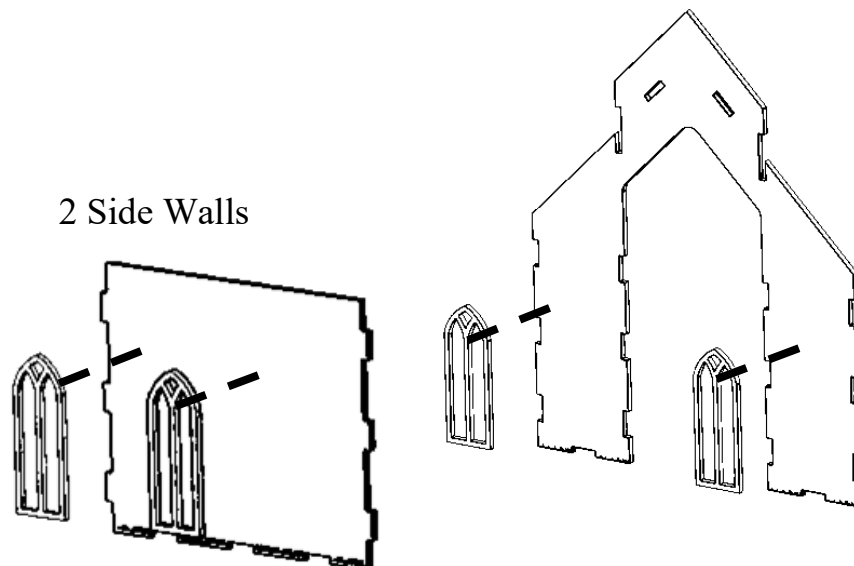
Thank you for purchasing a BerdeMont! We hope that you enjoy the assembly process and putting your own final touches on this uniquely crafted birdhouse. Please use this assembly guidance to help answer any questions about part placement. The instructions are provided to recommend an order of operations for assembly to achieve the best and most successful outcome.

You may wish to paint or stain your pieces before assembly.

Recommended adhesive is cyanoacrylate ('super glue') or E6000 craft adhesive to provide a near instant position hold. It is recommended to apply a stronger more durable wood glue on all inside corner seams when appropriate to do so (for example before securing the roof in place). This adhesive approach achieves a neat finished exterior view, and a durable interior bonded construction.

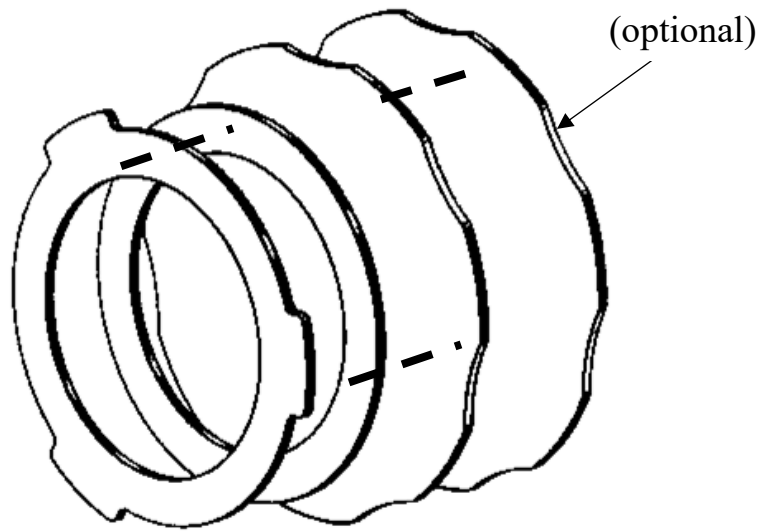
### STEP 1

- Glue Large Windows over the traced outlines on the Large Wall, and 2 Side Walls.



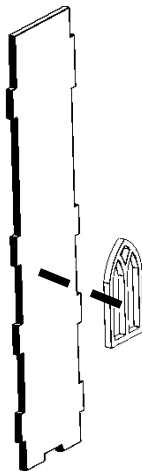
### STEP 2

- Glue Spacer Ring over traced location on Rear Door
- Glue inside latch aligned over Spacer Ring
- For additional hand grip, you may apply second Rear Door to very outside to thicken the panel (optional).



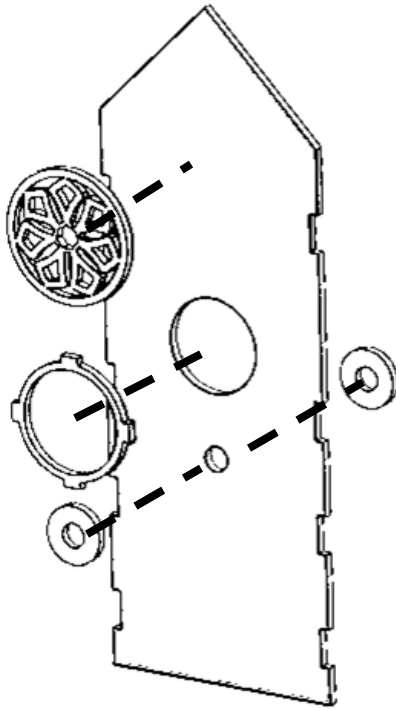
### STEP 3

- Glue the Small Window over the traced outline on Side Tower (make 2 of these).



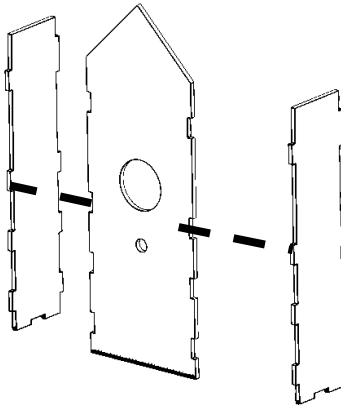
#### STEP 4

- Glue Rose Window over traced outline on Front Tower.
- Glue Door Frame over traced outline at Bird Opening.
- Glue Perch Support, one each, on inside and outside of Front Tower.



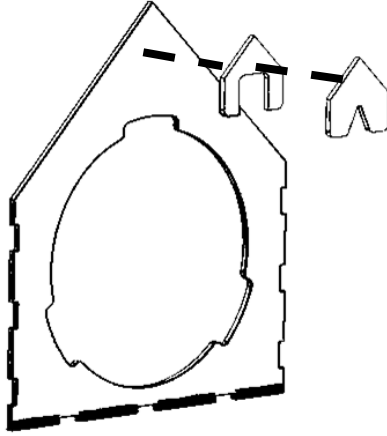
#### STEP 5

- Glue each pre-assembled Tower Wall section together to form Tower. All accessories are displayed outward.
- After assembly, it is recommended to apply additional adhesive or wood glue to all internal seams.



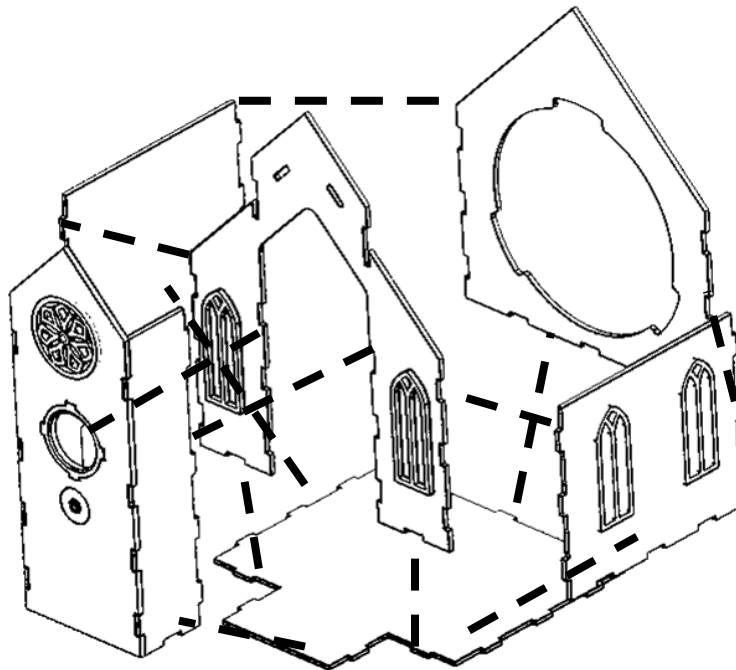
### STEP 6

- Glue “square opening” hangar over traced outline on Rear Wall.
- Glue “vee notch” hangar aligned over the other hangar piece.



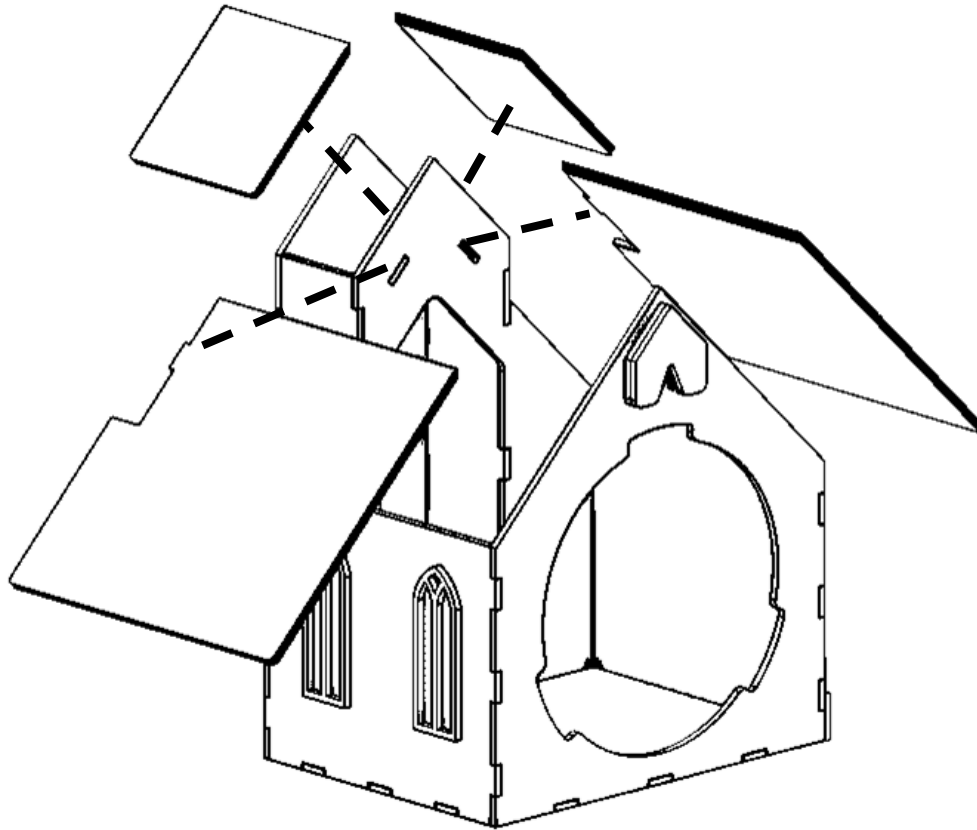
### STEP 7

- Glue Tower Wall section, Large Wall, Rear Wall, and 2 Side Walls together with Floor. All accessories are displayed outward.
- After assembly, it is recommended to apply additional adhesive or wood glue to all internal seams.



### Step 8

- Glue Tower Roof pieces, centered, to tower top. Note beveled edges go to the peak.
- Glue Main Roof pieces to Church. Note the notches which must fit into Tower. Beveled edges go to peak.
- After assembly, it is recommended to apply additional adhesive or wood glue to all internal seams (where you can reach).



### Step 9

- Insert Perch into Perch Hole. This is a friction fit and often requires twisting while inserting into place. Designed to be secure and provide confidence to birds when investigating the house. Perch should extend  $\frac{1}{2}$  way inside birdhouse.
- Insert rear cleanout cover. This may be difficult to install for the first time but will become easier with use, eventually operating freely as the parts 'wear into each other'.
- Glue Cross ornament, centered, to the top of the Tower Roof.
- See image at Step 10 for assistance.

### Step 10

- Install Foundation Trim pieces in the following order:
  - 1) Main Church aligned to the bottom, and rear wall, each side.
  - 2) Church Face, aligned to the bottom, and into the corner, each side.
  - 3) Tower Side, aligned to the bottom, and into the corner, each side.
  - 4) Tower Front, aligned to the bottom, and centered.

