

# THE STORY

LESSONS FROM THE CAST

Joseph

WHEN OUR DREAMS ARE  
TOSSED IN THE PIT



## Week 3 – Joseph: From Slave to Deputy Pharaoh

Worship Service

10:15am

September 27, 2015

The Presbyterian Church of Jackson Hole is a church where every member is a minister, passing on the faith, as we...

**Gather** to love God and others;

**Grow** to know and follow Jesus; and

**Go** to make a difference in the world.

### Memory Verse

*I have been crucified with Christ and I no longer live, but Christ lives in me. The life I live in the body, I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave himself for me.*

~ Galatians 2:20

### Thoughts for the Day

*“Do all the good you can, by all the means you can, in all the ways you can, in all the places you can, to all the people you can, as long as ever you can.”*

~John Wesley

*“I have held many things in my hands, and I have lost them all; but whatever I have placed in God’s hands I still possess.”*

~Martin Luther

*“Do not pray for easy lives; pray to be stronger people! Do not pray for tasks equal to your powers; pray for powers equal to your tasks.”*

~Phillips Brooks

*“The problem with spending your life climbing up the ladder is that you will go right past Jesus, for he’s coming down.”*

~John Ortberg

## **WE GATHER IN GRATEFUL WORSHIP**

### **Song of Gathering**

*Blessed Be Your Name*

### **Welcome and Opening Prayer**

### **Songs of Praise**

*Take My Life  
You Never Let Go*

### **Prayer of Adoration and Confession**

Debbie Schlinger

Holy God, we realize that You know us more intimately than we know ourselves. We come before You now asking You to show us the hardness of our hearts, to make us aware of our failings, to open our eyes to our brokenness. We are wandering sheep that have gone our own way, and find ourselves in need of a shepherd. We need Your wisdom and guidance to show us the path of truth and life, for we are lost without your grace. Search us, O God, and know our hearts. Test us and know our troubled thoughts. Give us the repentance that comes from a changed mind toward You. Transform us that we may live as Your redeemed people in the world. Amen.

### **Assurance of Pardon**

### **Song of Response**

*Seek Ye First*

### **Passing the Peace of Christ**

## **A TIME FOR FAMILY CELEBRATION**

### **Time with Children**

### **Sacrament of Baptism**

*Samuel Ronald Nydam  
Son of Aaron & Leah Nydam*

### **News of the Family**

*[Please submit all announcements to the church office by Wednesday.]*

### **Every Member a Minister**

Juli Winthers

### **Pastoral Prayer and Lord's Prayer** *(Forgive us our sins)*

### **Presenting our Tithes and Offerings** *(Please sign and pass the welcome pads)*

## **WE GROW BY LISTENING FOR GOD'S WORD**

### **Choir Anthem**

arr. John Ness Beck

*It Is Well With My Soul*

### **The Story in Animation**

### **The Message**

Genesis 37:12-28

### **Time for Reflection and Study**

Rev. Steve Weber

*When Our Dreams are Tossed in the Pit*

## **WE GO TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE IN GOD'S WORLD**

### **Benediction**

*Let There Be Love Shared Among Us*

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**Women's Retreat** – All women are encouraged to gather this Friday evening and Saturday at PCJH. The retreat with Pastor Laura Rasmussen is entitled "Embraced by Grace" - Knowing, receiving and living God's Grace. Cost is \$25, which covers materials, food, and daycare. Sign up online, [www.pcjh.org](http://www.pcjh.org).

**FREE BOOK Table in the Lobby** – In an effort to keep our library up to date, we have selected books to pass on to other readers. Please take a minute to browse through the books in the lobby and take one (or a few) home with you!

**Baptism Invitation** – Samuel Nydam's Baptism will continue TODAY, 12:30 at the Murie Center in Moose. Please join us!

**Staff Retreat** – Please pray for our church staff who will be on a retreat this Tuesday & Wednesday. The church office and phones will still be open during this time.

**Young Adult Fellowship** - For singles and young married folks, this event will continue NEXT Thursday 7:00pm at PCJH. It's designed to spur friendships and spiritual growth as well as have a good time with music, discussion and food.

**Peace & Global Witness Offering** – This important offering gives you the opportunity to support nonviolent resolutions to conflict. Your gift allows peace builders the opportunity to answer God's call to become advocates for social justice and witness around the world. This offering will be collected Sunday October 4<sup>th</sup>.

**Church Information Class** - Sunday, October 11<sup>th</sup>, 11:30am - 2:00pm. If you are interested in becoming a member or just have some questions about PCJH, this is the class for you. Lunch and childcare provided. If you have any questions or would like to RSVP, please contact Cindy Dahlin at 734-0388 or [cdahlin@pcjh.org](mailto:cdahlin@pcjh.org)

**Dinner Fellowship Groups** – If you are interested in getting better acquainted with others at PCJH, please consider joining a monthly dinner rotation group. Email Pam Flores to sign up, [pflores@pcjh.org](mailto:pflores@pcjh.org). Dinners will be starting in October.

**"KILL THE CHILL"** - The PCJH Caring & Sharing Team (Mission Team) is sponsoring a Winter gear drive starting NOW through October. Please drop off gently worn and clean coats, hats, gloves and mittens from child sizes to adult in the church lobby. They will be given to the Community Resource Center for distribution. Questions? Contact Irene Lund at [Irene.lund13@gmail.com](mailto:Irene.lund13@gmail.com) or 734-9733.

**Fall Adult Classes:** Wednesdays, 6:45 @ PCJH. Childcare provided.

- The Story, study group
- The Hurried Family, a DVD discussion series
- A Grace Disguised, how the soul grows through loss
- Financial Peace University, a DVD series

**THE STORY** – The PCJH congregation is currently going through a 31 week book study of *The Story*, which is a concise chronological and complete journey through the Bible. In our study, reading, and worship we will discover how our story fits God's Story. If you would like a copy of The Story please stop by the table in the lobby. Bookmarks available at the book table.



**THIS WEEK AT PCJH**  
**September 27<sup>th</sup> – October 3<sup>rd</sup>**



**September 27<sup>th</sup> – Sunday**

- 8:00am - Worship Service
- 9:00am – The Story
- 9:00am – The Gospel of Matthew
- 9:00am – The Hurried Family
- 10:15am – Worship Service
- 11:45am – Children’s Choir

**September 28<sup>th</sup> - Monday**

- 8:45am - Women's Bible Study

**September 29<sup>th</sup> – STAFF RETREAT**

- 6:45am - Men's Bible Study at the Virginian
- 12 noon – Women’s Bible Study w/  
Pastor Steve

**September 30<sup>th</sup> – STAFF RETREAT**

- After School Program–6:00pm
- 6:00pm Fellowship Dinner
- 6:45-7:45pm – Programs for all ages:
  - Choir, new participants welcome
  - Nursery
  - K-5 classes
  - M.S./ H.S. Youth Group
  - The Story
  - The Hurried Family
  - A Grace Disguised
  - Financial Peace University

**October 1<sup>st</sup> – Thursday**

- 12 noon - Men’s Bible Study w/ Pastor Ben  
@ Jackson Whole Grocer
- 7:00pm – Young Adult Fellowship

**October 2<sup>nd</sup> - Friday**

- 5:00pm - Women’s Retreat

**October 3<sup>rd</sup> - Saturday**

- 8:00am - Men’s Group
- 8:30am – Women’s Retreat

**Save the Date:**

- 10/2 & 10/3 – Upward Games Start
- 10/11 – Church Information Class
- 10/17 – Parent’s Night Out

**Thanks to:**

**Greeters:**

- 8:00am – Jane Lavino
- 10:15am – Joanie & John Shipman

**Lay Readers:**

- 8:00am – Killian White
- 10:15am – Debbie Schlinger

**Snacks:**

- 8:00am – Juli Winthers
- 10:15am – Sandra Guido,  
Diane Guslander &  
Debbie Schlinger

**Wrangler:**

Please sign up

**Gift Counter:**

Barb Huhn

**Coffee Preparation:**

Brad Herman

**Volunteer Recognition:**

The Story Leadership:  
Ken Blount  
Caryn Haman  
Kathy Robertson

Barbara Carlsberg for the Fall decor

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~Rev. Ben Pascal

~Rev. Steve Weber

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