

# THE STORY

CHAPTER 21: REBUILDING THE WALLS

## In the Long Run



### Week 21: Rebuilding the Walls

Celebration of Worship

10:15am

February 14, 2016

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.

### Thoughts for the Day

*"I am a slow walker, but I never walk back."*

~ Abraham Lincoln

*"Every strike brings me closer to the next home run."*

~ Babe Ruth

*"Perseverance is not a long race; it is many short races one after the other."*

~ Walter Eliot

*"By perseverance the snail reached the ark."*

~ Charles Spurgeon

*"Let us run with perseverance the race marked out for us, fixing our eyes on Jesus, the pioneer and perfecter of our faith."*

~ Hebrews 12:2

## **WE GATHER IN GRATEFUL WORSHIP**

### **Song of Gathering**

*Hold Us Together*

### **Welcome and Opening Prayer**

### **Songs of Praise**

*Jesus Messiah  
More Love to Thee, O Christ  
Mighty to Save*

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

Ray Womack

Most Merciful God, we join our voices in this prayer because we realize that we are united with each other in our deep need. We all have chosen our own way over your way in ways that are unique to us as individuals. We say and do things that go against Your will for our lives. Forgive us for thinking we are better than others. Forgive us for considering others' flaws to be worse than our own. Forgive us for being so quick to recognize the wrong in others, yet slow to see it in ourselves. Grant us the humility of spirit and the gladness of heart that comes from knowing that Jesus died to take away the sins of the world. Touch our lives and our community of faith with Your healing and create in us clean hearts. We pray these things in the Name of Jesus Christ, our Savior. Amen.

### **Assurance of Pardon**

### **Song of Response**

*Hold Us Together (chorus)*

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

## **A TIME FOR FAMILY CELEBRATION**

### **Time with Children**

### **News of the Family**

*[Please submit all announcements to the church office by  
Wednesday so they can be included in the bulletin.]*

### **Every Member a Minister**

### **Choir Anthem**

*God is Our Refuge and Strength*

Arr: PCJH Choir

### **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**

**The Story in Animation**

**The Message**                      **Romans 5:1-5; Matthew 26:36-41;**                      pages 798; 703

**Nehemiah 13:15-22**                      page 353

**Time for Reflection and Study**                      Rev. Steve Weber

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

**Benediction**



**Blanket Sunday Offering** – The BLANKETS+ ministry provides disaster services to communities in need through blankets, food, shelter and fresh water. They also provide tools, training and resources for long term recovery. Please consider giving to this important ministry today.

**Lent Devotional** – from PC-USA, available in the Lobby. \$2 suggested donation.

**Bring a Friend Sunday!** - February 21<sup>st</sup> at 10:15am. We are having a special Sunday where we encourage everyone to bring a friend. There will be a bluegrass band, a seeker friendly message, and a finger-food potluck afterward in the lobby. Ask that co-worker, neighbor, or friend you've been meaning to invite to church.

**Weekly Fellowship Dinner** - Wednesdays, 6:00pm in the Fellowship Hall. Featuring Chef Christine Goodman. Volunteers in areas greatly needed! Please contact Christine if you are able to help, 307.690.1199.

**Ongoing Classes – Childcare Available**

- *THE STORY*, a church wide reading of a concise and chronological journey through the Bible. Wednesdays, 6:45pm.
- *Sacred Secrets*, a Women's Bible Study by Beth Moore. Wednesdays, 6:45pm.
- *The Meaning of Marriage*, a class for singles and couples based on Tim Keller's bestselling book. Wednesdays at 6:45pm. Led by Cindy and Pastor Steve Weber.
- *Financial Peace University*, Wednesdays at 6:45pm. 9-week course. Contact Alli or Colter Lane for more information - 307-201-9914

**Next Agros Service Trip** – The ninth PCJH Agros Service Trip to Nicaragua is scheduled for April 9<sup>th</sup>-17<sup>th</sup>. There are only three more opportunities to be a part of our amazing relationship with this village! **Please sign up by February 21<sup>st</sup>.** For more details please contact Bob Kopp at [bkopp@waldenasset.com](mailto:bkopp@waldenasset.com) or 307-203-2329.



**THIS WEEK AT PCJH**  
**February 14<sup>th</sup> – 20<sup>th</sup>**



**February 14<sup>th</sup> – Sunday**

- 8:00am - Worship Service
- 9:00am – The Story
- 9:00am – The Letter to the Ephesians
- 9:00am – Confirmation Class
- 10:15am – Worship Service
- 11:45am – Children’s Choir
- 1:00pm – PCJH Cross Country Ski to Two Oceans – Meet @ the Home Ranch Parking Lot, Gill & Broadway

**BLANKET SUNDAY**

**February 15<sup>th</sup> - President’s Day**

- CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED

**February 16<sup>th</sup> – Tuesday**

- 6:45am - Men’s Bible Study at the Virginian
- 12:00pm - Women’s Bible Study, Pastor Ben

**February 17<sup>th</sup> – Wednesday**

- After School Program–6:00pm
- 6:00pm - Fellowship Dinner – JOIN US !
- 6:45-7:45pm Programs for all ages:
  - Choir, new participants welcome
  - Nursery
  - K-5 classes
  - M.S./ H.S. Youth Group
  - The Story
  - Financial Peace University
  - Sacred Secrets

**February 18<sup>th</sup> – Thursday**

- 12 noon - Men’s Bible Study, Pastor Ben @ Jackson Whole Grocer
- 7:00pm – Ascent: 20’s & 30’s Fellowship

**February 20<sup>th</sup> - Saturday**

- 8:00am - Men’s Group
- 9:00am-3:00pm – Piecemakers Quilt Making

**Save the Date:**

March 4<sup>th</sup> @ noon Women’s World Day of Prayer at PCJH

**Thanks to:**

**Deacons of the Month:**

Kenlyn Long & Kerry Murphy

**Greeters:**

8:00am – Dennis Holton  
 10:15am – Linda Hanlon, Carole Poole, Liz Jorgenson

**Lay Readers:**

8:00am – Rick Walls  
 10:15am – Ray Womack

**Fellowship Snacks:**

8:00am – Jane Lavino & Barbara Carlsberg  
 10:15am – Suzanne Kemmerer & Diane Guslander

**Wrangler:**

Please sign up

**Gift Counters:**

Barb Huhn & Alicia Neathery

**Coffee Preparation:**

Brad Herman

**Volunteer Recognition:**

The wonderful ladies who helped in the office while Lindsey was in Africa: Lana Crabtree, Irene Lund, Suzanne VanHatten, Joanie Shipman and Celia Dillon

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**Rev. Ben Pascal**

**Rev. Steve Weber**

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*\*Prayers for Worship and Reflection by Rev. Dr. Paul E. Hayden*