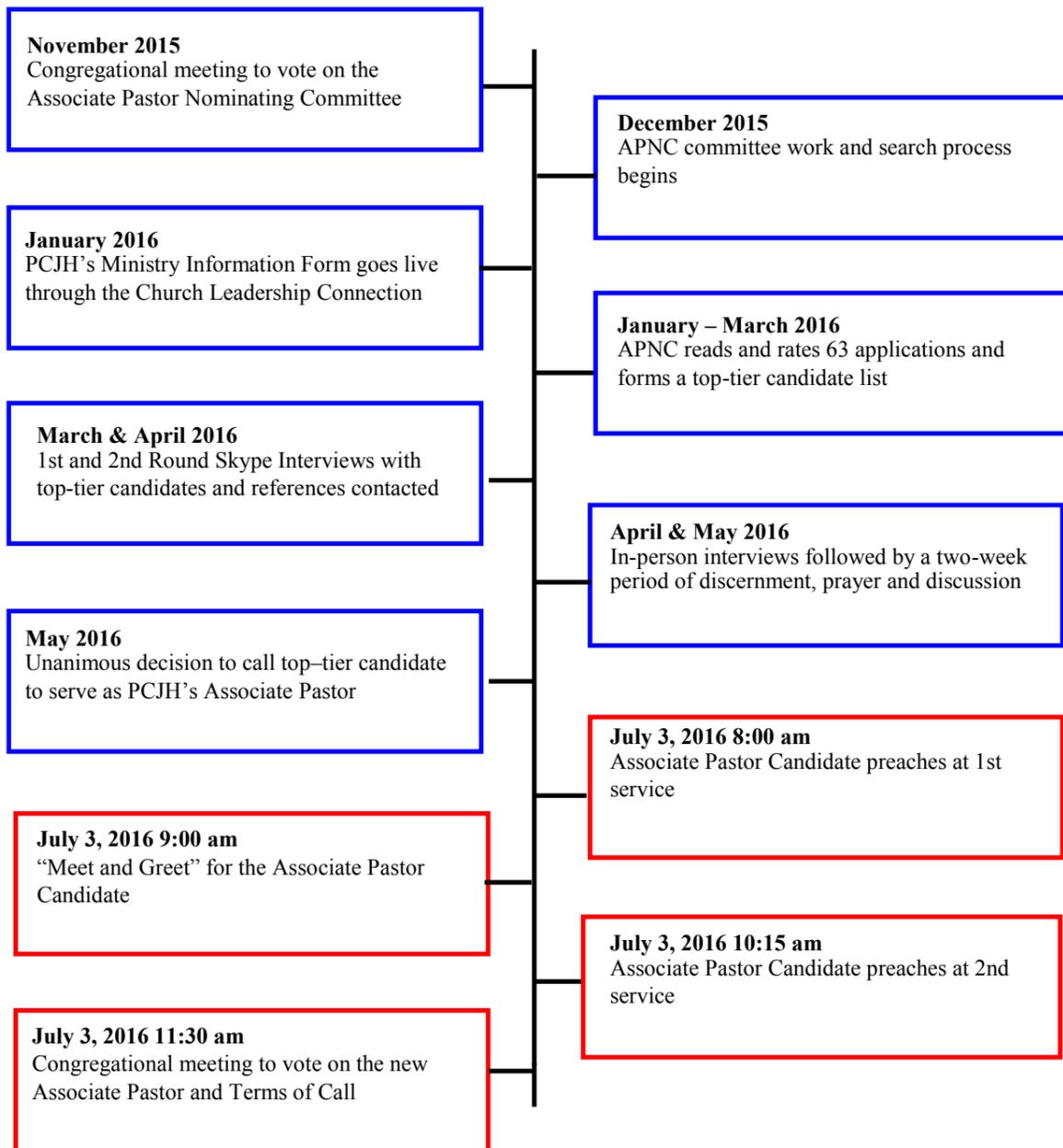




Associate Pastor Search Nears the Goal

Join us for these upcoming events (in red) as we welcome our new Associate Pastor Candidate



A WORD FROM PASTOR BEN PASCAL

Every Member a Minister

Dear Church Family,

I write this to you from Addis Ababa, Ethiopia. As you know, Addie and Nina and I are here to finish the adoption of our daughter, Saliha. She is absolutely beautiful and sweet. I think I will be calling her “Sweet Saliha” as she has a wonderful demeanor that can only be described as “sweet.” She has quickly captured her Daddy’s heart. I can’t wait for you all to meet her in the near future. We are currently waiting on her immigration paperwork to be completed (i.e. Passport, Visa, etc.). This unfortunately takes another few weeks so it is likely that Nina and I will be home before Addie and Saliha. Please keep us in your prayers! We have had an amazing time here on the other side of the globe but we are looking forward to being home with you all in Jackson soon. That being said, I want to bring you up to speed with two important things in the life of PCJH...

Calling Our New Associate Pastor

As I am sure you are all aware by now, our new associate pastor candidate will be at PCJH on Sunday, July 3rd for a special congregational meeting. The candidate will also be preaching at both the 8:00am and 10:15am services. The APNC has worked diligently and prayerfully through this process and we are excited about our candidate and we think you will be too! There will be a special reception at 9:00am between services for you to meet the candidate and enjoy some refreshments. At 11:30am we will have our special congregational meeting for members of PCJH to vote on calling our candidate by approving the terms of call. We know it is a holiday weekend but we hope you can carve out time to participate in this very important and significant event in the life of PCJH.

Some of you may be wondering why we are not disclosing the name of our candidate. This is standard procedure because our candidate is happily employed at another church and it is important that things remain confidential until the very Sunday our candidate preaches and we hold our congregational meeting. Remember, it’s not a done deal until the congregation votes. A little suspense and surprise is a good thing. :) So... another reason to be at church on Sunday, July 3rd!

Mid-Year Stewardship Campaign

This year we are trying something different. Like many churches who have a fiscal year ending on June 30th, we are going to have a mid-year stewardship campaign to help keep us on target and ensure a cash flow during the second half of the year. We typically receive about 30% of our revenue in the month of December. While this is somewhat “normal” for most churches and non-profits, especially in places like Jackson Hole, I as your pastor, wonder if we might be able to give on a more regular basis instead of waiting until the very end of the year. I realize this goes against our cultural norms but isn’t that what Jesus wants us to do? To be holy... to be set apart and different? God calls us to give of our tithes

as part of our *regular* worship. Jesus teaches us to pray, “Give us today our *daily* bread.” There is an emphasis throughout Scripture on trusting God on a daily basis. God is faithful in this way and calls us to be too. Addie and I tithe as a spiritual discipline and as an act of trust that God will provide our daily bread. We also tithe as a grateful response for all the Lord has done and continues to do for us. I challenge you to do the same.

PCJH has operated on a “faith budget” for most of its existence. A “faith budget” means we believe God has called us to do certain things and we trust that God will provide even if we don’t have the dollars pledged at the beginning of the year when we finalize our budget. God seems to continue to provide as we step out in faith each year. We plan on continuing to trust God in this way.

However, there are some practical matters to consider when we wait until the end of the year to receive 30% of our revenue. For many years we have had to rely on loans from members in the second half of the year in order to provide for our cash flow needs. Right now we are half way through the year and we have only collected a quarter of our revenue. Again, this is normal and consistent with prior years, so nothing to be alarmed about, but at the same time, I can’t help but wonder... can’t we do better than this? Let’s faithfully give of our tithes and offerings on a *regular* basis not only as a personal spiritual discipline as disciples of Jesus, but also as a way to support the mission and ministry of PCJH which we are all so passionate about and firmly believe is making a difference in the name of Jesus Christ in Jackson Hole and beyond.

You will hear more about our mid-year stewardship campaign during the month of July as we hope to meet our goal by July 31st. I will be preaching a special sermon series in July entitled, “Money Matters” as a theological reflection and biblical instruction regarding money... a topic the Bible and Jesus talk more about than any other topic. We will also have a special guest, Rev. Dr. Rob Hagan, from the Presbyterian Foundation who will be preaching and leading a legacy giving workshop on July 24th to help us envision what it means to live a life of generosity for generations to come.

Please be in prayer about how God is calling you to jump in and participate in what God is doing at PCJH by being a good steward of your treasure. My prayer is that we don’t just raise the money to reach our goal. My prayer is that we are all challenged and transformed by what God has to say about money and its role in our life and spiritual wellbeing.

Walking with you on this journey,

-Ben

We wrapped up another great year at Little Lambs!!!
Below you will see a wonderful picture of all the kids and teachers. We continue to be blessed by these kids, their families and this program. Thank you for your prayers and support!
Hope everyone has a wonderful Summer!!!

"Point your kids in the right direction– when they're old they won't be lost." Proverbs 22:6 MSG

**There are still a few spots for the 2016-2017 School Year
Register at pcjh.org
Contact Effie Edwards with enrollment questions.
eedwards@pcjh.org or 307.739.9591**



JOY SUMMER CAMP - We started on Wednesday, June 15. It has been such a wonderful time! We have a great team of counselors. They are spectacular! We are looking forward to the rest of the summer with these kids. We have kids from across the valley and we are excited that we get the opportunity to be apart of their lives this summer. This ministry is so great for many reasons; the kids and parents, church support and the JOY staff team. Continue to keep us in your prayers as we disciple these children about God, Jesus & the Holy Spirit. We have 96 families and 147 children signed up. More than 85% of the families do not attend our church. In our team trainings, we focused on how this ministry is a short-term mission. We are focused on having fun, growing in Jesus and friendships. Thank you all for your support! Please continue to keep the children, their families, and us in your prayers.



Rummage Sale Recap 2016

Thanks to all who worked to help, in any way, to make this year's Rummage Sale better than ever. From all the donors who gave us great items. To all the volunteers and all the shoppers. This year 54 volunteers worked over 650 hours during the week to get reasonably priced items into the hands of those who need them most. Sorting, pricing, setting up for the sale, and eating lunch together, gave us lots of time to chat and get to know each other. Much more than a quick hello on Sunday mornings at church. The Friday before the sale, the Community Resource Center brought 8 families to

shop early. The smiles on their faces were priceless. One that stands out the most was a young mother who got a cruiser bike with a basket to get around town. Another 3 generational family insisted on volunteering on Saturday in appreciation of the great stuff they got for a few dollars. The young mother works on Saturdays, but wanted her 11 year old son and his grandmother to help with clean up. The day of the sale had lots of highlights. Kent Nichols is a volunteer with the Jackson Police Department. He rode on horseback to help direct traffic in front of the parking lot to the Fair Building. This was a great help since there was a half-marathon running by and an old car parade as well. Watching toddlers happily riding a toy car, and a new father of twins getting a great double stroller and two tiny trikes for them brought so much joy. Pastor Ben prepared a thank you flyer, which was passed out to all shoppers. It highlighted all the programs PCJH offers. As a nice sideline, \$7244 was raised for community related activities at the church, and more will be earned during the year through consignment sales of some higher end items. Thanks to Suzanne Young and Sandra Zender for taking these items to appropriate shops.

Three large tubs of surplus clothing were set aside for the Youth Group to take on their mission trip to San Francisco.

Diane McGee did a great job managing the "Clean Up and Distribution of Leftovers" from the sale. It is our intent to recycle or repurpose as much as possible. Some items were given to Vision Beyond Borders, which ships needed items to Syria, Iraq and Cuba. The Idaho Falls Rescue Mission Thrift Shop came to collect two truck loads of items to be sold or given to needy people in their area. Some things were taken to the thrift shop in Driggs. Local charities where we normally offer leftovers were not able to accept items this year. Larry and Barbara Vangenderen and Yvonne Henze helped with recycling after the sale. During the week before the sale Diane Nichols took bedding not good enough to sell to local animal shelters and vets. Special thanks to Kmart for lending us clothing racks, the Gillespie Team for allowing us to use their community truck for picking up donations, Dean Lewis of Delcon for the use of the large trailer you saw in the PCJH parking lot for a month to collect donations, and was jam packed, and Teton Trash for the use of a dumpster for the week. Lunches for volunteers were provided by Tiffany Tate, Mary Wade and Diane and Irene.

All the following volunteered: Jan Benz, Sally & Jim Byrne, Eunice & David Conine, Steve Fralin, Carla Herman, Linda Hanlon, Joan Harris, Yvonne Henze, Waylon Hoffman, Dennis Holton, Ralph Huddelson, Margaret & Terry Jones, Debbie Kopp, Alan & Irene Lund, Julie Matzke, Marge McAllister, Diane McGee, Jackie Montgomery, Alesha Mobley, Diane & Kent Nichols, Angela Olivera, Ventura Garcia Perez, Randy & Robyn Reedy, Jeannie Robbins, George Scarlett, Amy Scott, Ed & Patricia Scott, Claudia Schrotz, Dorie Schwartz, Ron Stevens, Nancy & Suane Schneider, John & Joan Shipman, Laura Soltan, Pamela Stockton, Tiffany & Cisco Tate, Bobby and Ken Thomasma, Larry & Barbara Vangenderen, Carolyn West, Sheila Weitz, Mary Willis, Becky Zaist and Sandra Zender.

It was such fun working side by side with so many wonderful people and getting to know you better. Hope more of you will help next year.

Sincerely, Irene Lund & Diane Nichols, co-chairs
PS It's not too early to start setting aside donations for next year's sale.



Friends and family of PCJH,

We hope you are having a wonderful summer enjoying God's abundant goodness, mercy, and love. Summer is in full swing at PCJH with hundreds of people being touched and transformed by God's grace each week. The ministry of PCJH impacts people daily with our Sunday worship, JOY Summer Camp, and many other programs, studies, and activities for all ages.

So far in 2016, gifts to PCJH have been well below tithes and offerings received last year and well below the expectations that underlie our budget. In order to continue our programs and missions as originally budgeted, we are

announcing a mid-year stewardship campaign. THANK YOU to all of you who have given so generously of your time, talent, and treasure to make this happen!

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In a perfect world, we would speak of the ritual of giving tithes and offerings only as one of the core rituals of our faith, as acknowledgement and celebration of God's extraordinary generosity. In this world, we sometimes have to speak of stewardship in the context of dollars and budgets as part of our responsibility to God and to each other.

Our goal is to receive 50% of our annual giving needs by July 31. That means we need to raise **\$170,438** by the end of this month.

There are many ways to give in addition to the moment of contemplation when baskets are passed in worship ...

- You may mail a check to the church office. (Please don't send cash through the mail.)
- You may contribute by clicking on the yellow "Donate" button on the bottom right of the screen on our church's website www.pcjh.org.
- You may arrange for periodic contributions to be made from your checking account by contacting your bank and asking about "recurring bill pay" or ACH.
- You may contribute by texting a dollar amount to (307) 200-2175. (For example, text \$1. You will be asked to provide billing information the first time you send a text.)
- You may arrange for one-time or periodic contributions to be made from your credit or debit card accounts by contacting Kim Bogen through the church office, (307) 734-0388, at kbogen@pcjh.org.

We would deeply appreciate your prayerful consideration of this opportunity to give so that we may fund our missions and programs.

"Each of you should give what you have decided in your heart to give, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver." 2 Corinthians 9:7

Yours in Christ, Stewardship Team



July Class Offerings Sunday Mornings 9:00 a.m.

“Then the righteous will answer him, ‘Lord, when did we see you hungry and feed you, or thirsty and gave you something to drink? When did we see you a stranger and invite you in or needing clothes and cloth you? When did we see you sick or in prison and go visit you?’”

The king will reply “I tell you the truth, whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers you did for me” (Matthew 25:37-40)

“It’s Sunday but Monday is coming” is a series of classes during July and August that will demonstrate how members of PCJH are extending the reach of Jesus beyond our church walls. Come and learn more about these ministries and see which ones you might want to become involved in.

The July schedule is as follows:

July 3	No Class	Meet the candidate for the Associate Pastor position
July 10	Agros	Bob Kopp
	Turning Point	Annie Muller, Judy Bayse
July 17	Good Samaritan Mission	Duane Schnieder, Katie-Chloe Stock
	Palestinian Christians	Martha VanGenderen, Mary Kay Turner
July 24	No Class	Presbyterian Foundation Workshop
July 31	A Christian Ministry in the National Parks	Brian Bultema, Martha VanGenderen
	Romanian Missions	Ron Miller

Grant Wright will teach a second Sunday morning class at 9 AM entitled: Gospel Settings: The world in the time of Jesus. This class will begin July 10.

Submitted by Warren VanGenderen
If you have any questions, please email him at: wvg555@gmail.com

LEGACY GIVING

Making an impact and doing Christ's work, even after our lifetimes.



Date: July 24, 2016
Time: 9-10:15am (between services)
Where: The Genesis Room
Pastries and coffee will be provided

*Pastor Hagan will be preaching at both services.

*Q & A will be held in the chapel after the 10:15 service.



Reverend Dr. Rob Hagan Ministry Relations Officer, Presbyterian Foundation.

Reverend Dr. Rob Hagan works with pastors and church leaders to cultivate generosity and promote stewardship within their congregations. He also meets with donors to assist them in making gifts to support their church and other ministries. Before joining the Foundation, Rob was serving as Pastor and Head of Staff at Kennewick First Presbyterian Church of Kennewick, Washington since 1990. Previously, he served in various roles at Calvary Presbyterian Church in Fresno, California, Glenkirk Presbyterian Church in Glendora, California and Valley Community Presbyterian Church in Raleigh Hills, Oregon.

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- The theology of legacy giving
- The joy of giving
- Giving now and giving later
 - Later
 - Wills
 - IRA
 - Insurance
 - Now
 - DAF
 - Trusts
 - Endowments

COMING UP

Pastor Ben will lead a Church Information Class on **July 10th** from 11:30am- 1:30pm in the Matthew Classroom. This is a wonderful opportunity for people considering membership into PCJH to learn more about who we are and our mission. It is open to anyone. Whether you are considering membership or not. It is also a great time for learning and fellowship. Lunch will be served and daycare provided. Please RSVP to cdahlin@pcjh.org

PCJH will be hosting the Life Line Screening Preventative Health Tests on **August 4, 2016** from 9am-4pm.

A PROACTIVE WAY TO STAY HEALTHY and ACTIVE

5 Screenings for \$149.00

- *Carotid Artery/Plaque
- *Heart Rhythm (Atrial Fibrillation)
- *Abdominal Aortic Aneurysm
- *Peripheral Arterial Disease
- *Osteoporosis Risk Assessment

You will find the informative handout in the church lobby.



PCJH's Annual Peach Sale is tentatively scheduled for Thursday, **August 18th** depending on the Colorado harvest timing. You won't want to miss this opportunity that has become a community tradition for so many. Please email Suzanne Young @ suzyou@msn.com Volunteers needed.

FINE FURNITURE SALE



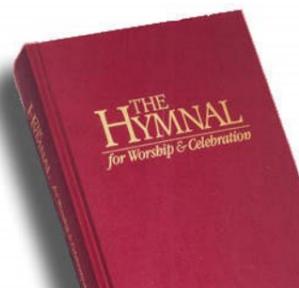
The Fine Furniture Sale is **October 15th** and will be held in the Sanctuary. I do know we need trucks and volunteers throughout the next few months to be on call should items need to be picked up. Please contact Tiffany Tate for donations and volunteering at: tiffanytate1@gmail.com.

AGROS SERVICE TRIP

While the cold of winter seems to be a long time in the future, we all know that the next several months will fly by. The November Agros service trip will be a great opportunity for you to experience the tropical warmth of Nicaragua prior to the onset of winter. This trip is scheduled for **November 12th through the 20th**. If you are interested in becoming a member of this team please contact Bob Kopp at bkopp@waldenasset.com or (518) 527-2937.

CHECK THIS OUT

We have received 50 new/used Presbyterian Hymnals that are now throughout the Sanctuary and Chapel. There are now ample hymnals for the 8am Chapel Service and music to follow along with during the 10:15 Sanctuary Service.



It has been over 10 years since PCJH surveyed our members and friends on their Time and Talents that you would be willing to share in the vibrant life of our church. Deacons have mailed this one page "Areas of Interest" to some flocks and they are also available in our lobby before and after worship. The Holy Spirit has gifted us all with unique gifts for the glory of His Kingdom. We would love to hear from you and how we can help you minister to others with those gifts. THANK YOU all.

Come check out our courtyard between the North End Sanctuary Doors and Genesis. It's a preview of what's to come for our wonderful outdoor area for fellowship thanks to Deb Schlinger and her Courtyard Committee.

God's glory is obvious!

Don't delay. Invite a friend, coworker, or family member to the Global Leadership Summit at PCJH!

Register at <http://pcjh.org/events/global-leadership-summit/> by July 12 for our best PCJH Host Site Rate using the code printed in the church bulletin.

For more information, contact Sue Unruh at 224-623-0109 or sueunruh@gmail.com.



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JULY ANNIVERSARIES

July 1	Aaron & Nicole Ackley Lance & Christine Windey	10 years 21 years
July 3	Bill & Eileen Blackwell	51 years
July 5	Barron, Mark & RuthAnn Petroff	13 years
July 8	Mike & Carol Marshall	49 years
July 9	Stan & Becky Zaist	33 years
July 11	Mike & Darlene Blazek	41 years
July 12	John & Joanie Shipman	30 years
July 20	Tom & Becky Jordan Larry & Diane North	48 years 65 years
July 21	Jeff & Cindy Dahlin	27 years
July 23	John & Susan Drew	19 years
July 27	Paul & Susan Hayden	13 years
July 28	Dick & Donna Slayton	54 years
July 29	Mel & Brandie Orchard	21 years
July 30	Jack & Jan Larimer	50 years
July 31	Peter & Susan Ordway	51 years

** Please let our church office know your wedding anniversary date so we can be in prayerful celebration with you!

office@pcjh.org or 734-0388**

GET TO KNOW US

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Ruling Elders

Ruling Elders are the spiritual leaders and overseers of the church. Session meetings are the third Tuesday of every month at 5:30pm.

Larry Jorgenson <i>Clerk of Session</i>	Katie-Chloe Stock <i>Missions</i>	Nancy Dunlap <i>Worship</i>
Barb Andrews <i>Children, Youth & Family</i>	Larry Huhn <i>Building & Grounds</i>	Patty McDonald <i>Personnel</i>
Debbie Schlinger <i>Congregational Life</i>	Peter Keenan <i>Nominating</i>	Pat Wright <i>Stewardship</i>
Warren VanGenderen <i>Adult Ministries</i>	Alli Lane <i>Small Groups</i>	Alan Lund <i>Finance</i>

Deacons

Deacons provide the ministry of compassion and service for those in need.

Co-chairs: Donna Barrett & Karen Brennan

Kenlyn Long	Michael Adams	Joanie Shipman
Barb Huhn	Yvonne Henze	Tena Webb
Jen Baki	Dylan Wade	Deb Keenan
Paula Jorgensen	Erin Rosenberg	Deb Kopp
Irene Lund	Julie Matzke	Kerry Murphy
Jennifer Wolf	Nancy Brumsted	Carol Poole
Jackie Montgomery	Sandra Zender	Julie Whitlock
Randy & Robyn Reedy		

Facilities

Our facilities are available to rent for meetings, events, etc. Please contact Cindy Dahlin for details, cdahlin@pcjh.org.

JULY 2016

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
3 Communion Sunday 8am Chapel Worship NO ADULT CLASSES 10:15am Intergenerational Worship—No kids Sunday School ASSOCIATE PASTOR CANDIDATE PREACHING BOTH SERVICES	 FOURTH OF JULY OFFICE CLOSED	6:45am Men's Breakfast @ The Virginian 12 noon Women's Bible Study in Matthew JOY CAMP	JOY CAMP	12noon Men's Group @ JH Grocery Community Room 7pm ASCENT Young Adults at Snow King Park JOY CAMP	JOY CAMP	8am Men's Discussion Group in PCJH Youth Lounge
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PASSING ON THE FAITH

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GROW to know and follow Jesus; and

GO and make a difference.

*All are welcome and all are needed as we advance this significant mission for the
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