

#### From the desk of Bishop Bruce Hill

At the close of a meeting recently, the committee chairman told us to enjoy the best season of the year. Another person in the meeting asked if that was in reference to it being fall or hunting season. The answer was, "YES!"

While many of us do like the cooler days and nights, the amazing fall colors and hunting season, others, like Gloria, will miss the 80-degree days. Whatever your feelings about the change from summer to fall, the changing seasons always remind me of the faithfulness of God.

When, following the flood, God released Noah and his family from the ark, he promised, "As long as the earth remains, there will be planting and harvesting, cold and heat, summer and winter, day and night." (Genesis 8:22) Every change in seasons reminds us that our God is faithful and keeps his promises.

Think about just a few examples from the Bible:

The Lord God called Abraham and promised to make him the father of a great nation. As we read the account of Abraham's life, we see lots of ups and downs, but we also see that everything that God promised did come true.

The Lord sent Moses to lead the people out of Egypt and to the Promised Land. It took nine plagues, a miracle at the Red Sea, and 40 years of wandering in the desert because of the people's sin, but God got them to the Promised Land. Years after the promise was made, Joshua led the people into their homeland. As Joshua approached the time of his death, he reminded the people of God's faithfulness. "Soon I will die, going the way of everything on earth. Deep in your hearts you know that every promise of the Lord your God has come true. Not a single one has failed!" (Joshua 23:14)

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David was anointed as the next king while King Saul was still alive. But if you know the accounts of his life, it took years until David actually became king of Israel

Jeremiah was a prophet of God - called the weeping prophet as his own people ignored him. Even Jeremiah, at times, wondered where God was, what was God up to, did he care as Jerusalem, the holy city, was destroyed? But no sooner had Jeremiah spoken his words of despair that he says in Lamentations 3:21, "Yet I still dare to hope." Jeremiah had hope because, "The faithful love of the Lord never ends! His mercies never cease. Great is his faithfulness; his mercies begin afresh each morning." (Lamentations 3:22-23)

The secret of his hope is that Jeremiah believed God would not fail. So, Jeremiah expectantly looked to the Lord. Our God is faithful; he keeps his promises. The changing seasons reminds me that every promise God has made will be kept. I pray that we will be faithful followers of him. As the writer of Hebrews expressed it, "Let us hold tightly without wavering to the hope we affirm, for God can be trusted to keep his promise." (Hebrews 10:23)

In Christ's service,

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Bishop



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#### The Bishop's Top Ten Prayer & Praise

- 1 OCTOBER IS PASTOR APPRECIATION MONTH, BE SURE TO THANK THE LORD FOR THE MINISTRY OF YOUR PASTOR. (AND, YOU CAN SAY "THANK YOU" TO YOUR PASTOR AS WELL.)
- PRAY FOR THE MANY DENOMINATIONAL MEETINGS WHICH WILL BE HELD THIS MONTH, ESPECIALLY THE NATIONAL MINISTRY TEAM MEETING ON OCTOBER 21.
- 3 PRAY FOR A SAFE FALL HUNTING SEASON FOR ME AND ALL THE OTHER PEOPLE WHO WILL BE AFIELD.
- 4 PLEASE PRAY FOR BISHOP-ELECT RANDY & CARLA SIZEMORE AND FOR GLORIA AND ME AS WE CONTINUE IN THIS YEAR OF TRANSITION.
- ASK THE LORD TO BLESS THE MINISTRIES OF THE PASTORS WHO ARE BEING ORDAINED THIS FALL: JONATHAN BROWN, MIKE GARRISON, STEWARD MACDONALD, AND DAVID MENNIG.
- PRAISE THE LORD FOR CHURCHES WHO ARE REPORTING KINGDOM EXPANSION DURING THE LATE SUMMER AND EARLY FALL THE GOSPEL IS BEING PREACHED AND LIVED OUT!
- 7 PRAISE GOD FOR THE FAITHFUL WORK OF OUR THIRTEEN DISTRICT FIELD DIRECTORS.
- 8 I THANK GOD FOR THE MANY PEOPLE WHO REMIND ME THAT THEY ARE PRAYING FOR ME AS BISHOP. PRAYER DOES MAKE A DIFFERENCE!
- PRAISE THE LORD THAT IN THIS LAST YEAR IN MY TERM AS BISHOP, GLORIA AND I CONTINUE TO HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO TRAVEL TO MANY CHURCHES MEETING OLD FRIENDS AND MAKING NEW ONES.
- 10 PRAISE HIM FOR THE PEOPLE IN OUR CHURCHES WHO STEP UP AND VOLUNTEER THEIR TIME AND TALENTS AS CHURCHES RE-LAUNCH MANY FALL PROGRAMS AND ACTIVITIES.



#### October is Pastor Appreciation Month

It's not too late to plan your congregation's appreciation for your pastor(s).

While most people would say Focus on The Family started this tradition in 1994 by making it a point to remind congregations to make the month of October special for their pastor, it really started with the Apostle Paul, or maybe I should say it started with the Holy Spirit.

It was the Spirit who inspired Paul to write,

"Elders who do their work well should be respected and paid well, especially those who work hard at both preaching and teaching." [1 Timothy 5:17 NLT]

The work of the pastor has always been challenging, even back in the days of Timothy. But the last year and a half have required pastors to provide service above and beyond what they have been trained to do. In addition, the pandemic made planning an appreciation event difficult in 2020.

We hope every one of our Evangelical Congregational churches will plan some kind of appreciation event for their pastor(s) during October. It doesn't need to be elaborate or expensive; but be sure to say "thank you" to your pastor, his wife and family, for their faithful service to Christ and the church.





The Evangelical Congregational Church is once again partnering with the National Association of Evangelicals (NAE) to honor and thank EC pastors for their hard work and dedication to their congregations and communities.

The NAE promotional materials and requirements for an additional pastor gift can be found at: <a href="https://blessyourpastor.org">https://blessyourpastor.org</a>.

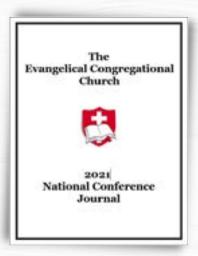
Please show your pastor how much he is loved and thank him for all his hard work and dedication.

A cash gift to your pastor is always appreciated but there are many other ways to bless your pastor.

You can download a list of

50 Creative Ways to Bless Your Pastor at; https://blessyourpastor.org.

### National Conference News



#### 2021 National Conference Journal

The 2021 National Conference Journal is completed and available online (eccenter.com) under Member Login.

Order forms are also available on the EC Center website to purchase hard copies: click on Post Conference Information.



#### Plan now for National Conference 2022

Plan now to attend **National Conference 2022 on May 25, 26, 27** at Messiah University.

Conference will begin on Wednesday afternoon, May 25, with a very special service as we consecrate our next Bishop, Rev. Randy Sizemore. One of Randy's first acts as Bishop will then be to lead us in observing the Lord's Supper. Following that service Randy will open the first business session with his inaugural Episcopal Address.

On Thursday evening, May 26, we will gather together for a special banquet as we honor and celebrate the ministry of Rev. Bruce Hill for his eleven years of ministry as our Bishop. This is sure to be a time of good food, fellowship and fun, as we express our appreciation to Bruce and Gloria.

So, mark your calendars now and save the dates so you can be a part of these special times for our church family -

National Conference May 25, 26, 27, 2022.

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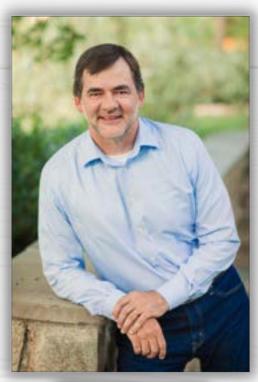
#### Retiree Appreciation

We would like to thank all the retirees for their many years of faithful service to the EC Church. We appreciate you!

\*Please note: Unfortunately, we have made the difficult decision to cancel the Retired Pastors' Appreciation Banquet again this year.

The decision was made as a result of the increase in COVID cases and its' variances.

Our hope is to be able to have it again in October 2022.





## Evangelical Friends of Evangelical Banquet Seminary

#### Celebrate the Savior and His Seminary

Evangelical Seminary encourages you to hold **Thursday, December 2**, for the annual *Friends of Evangelical Banquet* at the Eden Resort in Lancaster. How great to celebrate together the Lord's continuing work in deepening and widening the ministry of the seminary! Discover that the Spirit is calling amazing students into biblically-sound, seminary education that is accessible, affordable, and relevant. Enjoy beautiful fellowship around a table of delicious food.

Joining us for the evening is Dr. Curt Thompson, medical doctor, well-known author, and podcaster. He will equip and encourage us with his extensive work in neuroscience and how we thrive when we have shame-free intimacy with the Designer of our brains.

#### His books are:

- The Anatomy of the Soul: Surprising Connections between Neuroscience and Spiritual Practices That Can Transform Your Life and Relationships
- The Soul of Shame: Retelling the Stories We Believe About Ourselves

Dr. Thompson is also host of the podcast, Being Known. We encourage you to check out these links:

https://www.christianitytoday.com/ct/podcasts/steadfast/science-of-patience-with-curt-thompson.html and https://curtthompsonmd.com/podcast/

# News from Executive Director

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#### **Health Insurance Plan**

The active pastor's health insurance plan will be moving to a Highmark Blue Shield plan through Guidestone Financial [Guidestone]. Guidestone is the benefits organization for the Southern Baptist Convention of Churches. Our current insurer, Missio Benefits, suffered significant financial losses related to the COVID-19 pandemic and is ceasing operations on November 1, 2021. We are thankful to Guidestone Financial for providing a health insurance plan with benefits very similar to our current plan. There will be a modest rate increase to churches effective on January 1, 2022. Bennecon will remain the provider of the HRA at the same benefit levels. Information will be released to health plan participants as the transition to Guidestone progresses. The dental, vision and Life and AD&D plans are not moving to Guidestone. The participants on those plans will be contacted individually to discuss the new plans.

\*If you are an EC Pastor below Medicare Eligibility age and not on the EC group health insurance plan, you **must** complete a <u>Health Insurance Election Not to Enroll</u> form that is available on the website, <a href="http://www.eccenter.com/Left/Member-Login/Benefits-Information/Health-Insurance.aspx">http://www.eccenter.com/Left/Member-Login/Benefits-Information/Health-Insurance.aspx</a>. The form must be completed each year by December 15. Please return the completed form to Dave King. The form may be mailed to EC Center, faxed to 717-866-7583, or returned electronically to Dave King at <a href="https://dking@eccenter.com">dking@eccenter.com</a>. If you are returning the form electronically, please do not include your social security number.

#### **Highmark Freedom Blue**

The rates for the Highmark Freedom Blue plan are increasing by \$6/mon to \$255/mon per person with minor changes in benefits. The change will be affective on January 1, 2022 to be paid by December 15, 2021.

It is very important that the retiree does not fall behind on payments to Highmark Freedom Blue. If a retiree is having difficulty paying the monthly premium the Manna Fund is available for financial assistance. Please contact David King in the EC Benefits office for a Manna Fund application. <a href="mailto:dking@eccenter.com">dking@eccenter.com</a> / 717-866-7581

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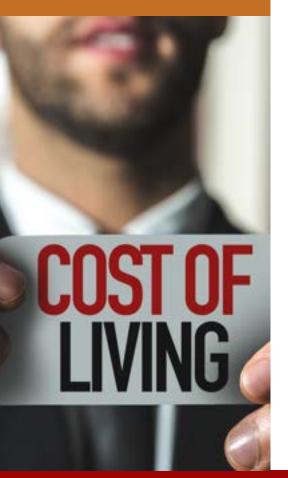
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#### **Cost of Living Allowance**

Some may have heard that the Social Security COLA increase this year will be the highest since 1982. The current internet chatter is estimating the increase at around 6%.

The official release of the Social Security COLA is normally in October, but also seems to be released later and later every year. The Pastoral Compensation Committee annual report approved at the May 2021 National Conference continued the recommendation of awarding pastor salary increases at the Social Security COLA increase. As information becomes available, we will pass it along.

The 2022 Pastoral Compensation Forms will be available on the Church Center website shortly, in a couple of weeks or so. Expect the Social Security Administration to release the 2022 COLA in late October 2021, if we are lucky. Please be respectful and honoring of the job your pastor is doing and offer as much of an annual salary increase as is possible. In addition, the National Conference adopted the statement that,

"Churches that are financially able are encouraged to give either a larger percentage increase or to consider an additional increase as a merit raise in salary for each pastor.

This merit raise would be in addition to the approved percentage salary increase."

The changes in Sunday morning worship services, ministry programs and church operations caused by the pandemic have been hard on pastors. They deserve to be rewarded for the job they are doing.

Please contact Dave King, <u>dking@eccenter.com</u> or Kevin Henry, <u>khenry@eccenter.com</u> with any questions or problems.

Kevin Henry Dave King

Executive Director Benefits Administrator

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John 20::21

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Let's make the most of the fall for our church ministries. Consider one of the following KEC sponsored or promoted teaching-learning opportunities as you plan and prepare for your congregation and community.

Contact Les Cool at 717-951-8433 or revlescool@gmail.com with your questions or to plan for a training event that fits your needs.

#### LEADERSHIP WORKSHOP (Leadership for Our Times) with Dr. Tim Roehl

Tuesday, October 19 . . . 8:30 - 4:30 (The Commons, Evangelical Seminary)

Plan to join us for a day of inspiring and challenging conversation as we consider personal and corporate leadership for the church in the world in which we live right now. Pastors! Think about which of your leadership team members need to attend with you for this exciting workshop and conversation.

Sessions will include: Getting God's Heart and Agenda; Learning/Discerning Needs Around You; Simple Skills for Everyday Disciple-making: Bring Out the Best in Your Team; Leading in Difficult Times; and Intro to Game Plan.

The cost is \$25 per person and includes lunch, snacks, and a copy of Tim Roehl's book, Game Plan.

Register by Monday, October 11 (https://app.etapestry.com/onlineforms/EvangelicalCongregationalChur/KECevent.html).

#### <u>Preparing New Leaders and Developing Your Team</u>

Most days, you just need somebody to do that thing or to serve in that role. Why? The job must get done.

Or at least, that's the theory. But the reality is that the right person in the right role for the right reason will not only get the job done; they will also thrive. That means they will continue to serve long after the job is done. How do you know who is best for which role? You start with helping your leaders, potential and existing, identify their spiritual gifts and personality. Add gift development, and they are ready to deploy into long-term ministry roles! A Leadership Grip or Grip-Birkman workshop would provide insights on building a better church leadership team, as well as help you equip your congregation for powerful ministries.

And save someone from burnout! Let's talk about how one of these workshops might fit the needs of your church family (717-951-8433 or revlescool@gmail.com), and when a workshop would fit your schedule.

#### **Small Talk and Witness**

Small talk! When was the last time small talk led to a more significant conversation? With a stranger? Smooth? Awkward? When was the last time a conversation included Jesus?

As Christians, we get to talk about Jesus. Sharing Jesus usually starts with a conversation and a relationship and trust. Consider developing new conversational skills.

This 2- or 3-hour workshop is a conversation about conversations. There is an art to making space

for conversations. Discover resources, develop ideas, and practice the art of moving from "hello" to something deeper, even gospel-focused. Deciding to be prepared usually guarantees that will happen. Resources and ideas will address starting conversations, redirecting conversations, and leaving space for future conversations.

Let's talk about how this workshop might fit the needs of your church family (717-951-8433 or revlescool@gmail.com), and when a workshop would fit your schedule.



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Need help turning a good idea or a recent training experience into action and meaningful ministry? The KEC would like to help you realize more out of your ideas and training. Let's talk. Maybe a coach is what you need.



#### Coaching Toward a New Tomorrow

Great ideas sometimes need coaching support in order for you to hit the target. Coaching keeps you on task, enables you to play at the top of your game. Coaching enables you to achieve more. Let's talk!

The Kingdom Extension Community (KEC) would like to partner with you (pastor) or your leadership team or congregation to make sure your next great idea becomes your next ministry success. The KEC would like to help pay for up to six months of coaching attached to training and a new ministry that is missional or Kingdom focused. That is, we would like to pay for coaching designed to help you make use of new learning that moves you and your church family out of the building to develop a ministry not attached to what happens in your sanctuary. What might that look like? A church plant. A dinner church. A fresh expression of church. This is about creating a ministry that didn't exist for people not yet reached. Interested? Let's talk. Contact Les Cool (717–951–8433 or revlescool@gmail.com).

What do you do with an audience who needs Jesus but just doesn't seem interested in church? Fresh Expressions suggests launching a new expression of church. Check out their resources for ideas that might be what you are looking for to reach that audience.

#### Fresh Expressions

https://freshexpressionsus.org



Fresh Expressions is an international movement of missionary disciples cultivating new kinds of church alongside existing congregations to engage our growing post-Christian society more effectively. A Fresh Expression is a form of church for our changing culture, established primarily for the benefit of those who are not yet part of any church. Fresh expressions are contextual Christian churches formed among those who are not yet members of any church. They are not steppingstones to church. They're not church lite. They are church. Check out Fresh Expressions by visiting their website (https://freshexpressionsus.org/). The site is filled with ideas, stories, and resources. Currently, they are promoting a new book (a free download), How to Start a New Kind of Church by Luke Edwards.

Read about the book . . . "Church doesn't work the way it used to. There was a time where the central role of the Church in American life could be taken for granted. But those forms of church are quickly losing traction in our culture. It's time for something fresh. In this free e-book, Luke Edwards will introduce you to Fresh Expressions: a method for starting, growing and multiplying new forms of Church."

Contact Les Cool 717-951-8433 revlescool@gmail.com



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Presenter . . . Dr. Tim Roehl

(Fit & Flourish Ministries . . . www.fitflourish.com)

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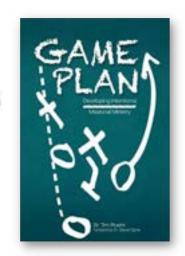
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#### Things You Can Do RIGHT NOW To Build Your Digital Ministry

#### Addison Roberts

As we come out of COVID-19 (we hope), many of us are trying to find a place for all of the new knowledge and strategies we have gained in the trenches of the last 18 months. You may be tempted to leave it in the past and wash your hands of it. I would encourage you not to do this. Even if we are never again struck by a global pandemic, digital spaces will continue to grow in importance and prominence. People will find your church and make decisions about your church online. You may never get a chance to make your pitch to them in person, so your digital presence is CRUCIAL. That's why I want to share with you one BIG TIP that has helped me tremendously as I try to grow in this space. Ready? Here it is: **Engage With Churches Doing Digital Ministry Well** 

This may seem obvious, but we sometimes miss the obvious things. You don't have to be innovative and make new things to have an excellent presence online. So let's take a look at three churches and see what they are doing.

#### 1. Saddleback Church

Facebook - https://www.facebook.com/saddlebackchurch/

Website - https://saddleback.com/

Look at their focus on "next steps" on their Facebook Page. They aren't simply posting their message. They have pre-written copy designed to connect to people. Check it out:

TAKE YOUR NEXT STEP:

Were you challenged or encouraged by the message you just heard? Let us help you take your next spiritual step by completing our

- Connection Card http://bit.ly/3a2Gtl9
- Did you make a decision for Jesus today? Text NEWSTART to 83000 or email newstart@saddleback.
- Need Prayer? Text PRAYER to 83000 or email prayer@saddleback.com
- Interested in joining an online small group? Text SMALLGROUP to 83000 or email smallgroup@saddleback.com
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Message Notes: https://saddleback.com/visit/locations/onlinecampus

Saddleback Locations: https://saddleback.com/visit/locations

Give Online: https://saddleback.com/give

What does this look like for your church? Is there a section of your website for new people to contact you that is linked in most posts? If someone shares your sermon on Facebook and a new person watches it, what happens next? These are small changes we can make to make it easier for new people to connect to our church. If the next step isn't clear, we lose that person. I don't want that for you and you don't want that. So the lesson here is simple:

Every time you create something online, imagine your audience and create for them. What links do they need and what do they need to know to move forward?



#### Things You Can Do RIGHT NOW To Build Your Digital Ministry - continued

Addison Roberts

#### 2. Northpoint Community Church

Facebook: https://www.facebook.com/NorthPointAlpharetta

Website: https://northpoint.org/

Northpoint is one of my favorite online churches. I want to pull out two things they do.

- 1. They reply to EVERY Facebook comment. This is simply the right thing to do. People are putting themselves out there when they comment on your stuff. Let them know they are seen and heard by replying. Also, this engagement causes Facebook to show your church's content to more people.
- 2. Their website is nearly perfect. As you scroll down, look at how many times they tell you "Join Us on Sunday." Everything is centered around that call to action. If your website isn't pushing people through an obvious path that leads them to do something you want them to do, it is a nice brochure. That's fine. Brochures are great. But what if it could be both? Something as simple as creating a "Plan a Visit" page on your website can help people feel like they are talking a next step on your website.

#### 3. First Capital Christian Church

 ${\it Facebook:}\ https://www.facebook.com/thechurchanywhere$ 

Website: https://www.firstcapital.church/

First Capital is a smaller church in Indiana and their digital pastor, Tyler Sansom, is excellent. Check out their Facebook page. They don't have a lot of graphics. They focus on engagement and connecting with people. In fact, they take this a step further by intentionally creating online influencers in spaces of interest to them. Tyler, for example, has a YouTube channel where he posts covers of popular songs and the short films he creates.

Occasionally, he mixes in a testimony or a devotional. In doing this, he is ministering to an online community by actively engaging in that community.

I hope these quick looks have been helpful and I hope you will take the time to follow some of your favorite churches online. There is no need to blaze a new trail. We can copy pioneers in this area, adapt it to our context, and end up with amazing results. Is there a church you look up to online? I would love to hear about it! Email me at addison@gccws.net

QUESTIONS OR COMMENTS? Let's talk! Addison



#### Fall 2021 @ Twin Pines

#### Fall Fix-Up - October 5-7



Help camp to "batten down the hatches" for winter, complete special projects, and extensive cleanup after summer camp has concluded! The various projects are both indoor and outdoor in nature. You may choose to participate for all or part of the time.

#### Women's Weekend - October 8-10



A weekend for women to get together and focus on strengthening their relationship and discipleship of Jesus. You'll not only have the chance to hear inspiring teaching from Sarah Boyer but also enjoy:

the great fall weather - go for a hike on one of the many trails: - relax - in the snack shop, in your room, on a bench, etc.: - build your faith: - discuss spiritual issues with other women. bit.ly/2021WomensWeekend

#### <u>Celebration Banquet - October 19</u>



Be part of a special evening to celebrate how God has blessed and used the Ministry of Twin Pines the past year. The banquet is free; however, there is the collection of a free-will offering to support the ministry. Call the office to reserve your space.

#### F.Y.R.E. - November 5-7



A weekend of experiences for youth groups and individuals to grow in their faith and enjoy a fall retreat. bit.ly/FYRE21



Get away for a time of relaxation, relationship building, enjoying nature, and time with God. Housing, breakfast, and spiritual guidance materials are provided in the low weekend rate. Choose from the following opportunities to get away any weekend in October. bit.ly/210GW





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"We can be sure that we know him if we obey his commandments...Those who obey God's word truly show how completely they love him."

1 John 2:3,5



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