

Ken Snyder | Regional Director, Central Region MCUSA James 1:13-18

I was born to be a new _____ of _____.

I'm not who God made me to be if I'm _____ to listen,

and _____ to speak or become angry. (vv. 19-20)

As the Word of God takes root in my life, I become a redemptive

and	to the world.	(v.21)
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The Bible is a _____ to show me who I am and where

the Father desires to _____ me. (vv. 22-25)

Bottom Line

I am made to live an authentic, integrated life of _______

the creeds I believe — and _____ — the deeds I do.

Monday

READ: James 1:18

REFLECT: When we decided to follow Christ, we were reborn to be a new kind of human. Who God wants us to be is completely different than other humans who do not have this same relationship with him. Rather than using this new identity as a source of pride, we can use it to motivate us to serve others.

RESPOND: Can you describe what a new kind of human looks like from God's perspective? Are you growing in this identity or have you stalled in this growth?

Tuesday

READ: James 1:19-20

REFLECT: Many times we may be quick to speak, slow to listen, and quick to anger. However, when we do so, we are not living out our identity as new humans in Christ. We are acting like those who do not know God intimately.

RESPOND: What has your speech in the last few days said about what kind of human you are? How is your speech different from those who do not know Christ?

Wednesday

READ: James 1:21; Luke 6:45

REFLECT: When we root our minds and hearts in God's Word, our tongue will follow. We will use our words to build up instead of tear down. In doing so, we will demonstrate how different we are from the world.

RESPOND: What controls your tongue more? God's Word or your old sin nature? How does rooting God's Word in your heart change how you speak?

Thursday

READ: James 1:22-25

REFLECT: It can be very easy to deceive ourselves into thinking we are something we are not. However, nothing reveals who we actually are more than God's Word. While it serves as a mirror, his Word also serves as a light which directs us toward God's will and his transformation of us.

RESPOND: Is there a disconnect between your ears (what you hear in God's Word) and your hands and feet (what you do in response to God's Word)? If so, how can you close the gap?

Friday

READ: James 1:26-27

REFLECT: The way we control our tongue and serve the "distressed" determines whether or not we are living out our identity as new humans in Christ. We are made to live a life of faith that is both authentic and integrated throughout every segment of our lives. In other words, our mouth, hands and feet can determine the nature of our heart.

RESPOND: Take some time and reflect upon how you used your speech this week. Ask God to transform your heart and speech so that it glorifies him.



Nerf Wars

WEDNESDAY, JULY 28

6:15-7:45PM

All middle schoolers — come out to Pathway and get ready for this epic Nerf battle! There is no cost, and you aren't required to bring anything. If you have your own Nerf gun, feel free to bring it with you. You won't want to miss this!

Impulse Olympics

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 4

6:15-7:45PM

To wrap up summer break, ALL IMPULSE students (grades 6-8) are invited to Pathway for one of the biggest events of the summer! The Impulse Olympics will focus on team-style games, challenges, and outdoor fun. (Be sure to dress accordingly.) Awesome prizes and snacks are included!



Wednesday Impulse Kickoff wednesday, august 18

6:15-7:45PM

Big news! Starting August 18, IMPULSE is officially returning to Wednesday evenings at PCC, and we couldn't be more excited. We definitely want to see you here this fall! Wednesdays will be the hub of PCC middle school ministry, where students will experience dynamic worship, teaching that's designed just for them, and the community of a small group. This is the primary environment where students in grades 6-8 can connect and grow... and have a lot of fun along the way.



Marriage Enrichment and Transformation

MONDAYS | AUGUST 2-NOVEMBER 22

Whether you're looking for a little enrichment or for total transformation, ReEngage is for you. We invite you to come along on a 16-week journey to rediscover the heart of your spouse and the deeper purposes of marriage. During these weeks, we'll examine God's design for marriage and learn biblical principles that have the power to heal our hearts and to transform our most intimate relationships. We'll hear encouraging stories from others who have experienced victory in the midst of hard times. And we'll have opportunity to interact with other couples in a small group as we work through the curriculum together. We encourage you to be part of the upcoming ReEngage, and take your next step toward a stronger, healthier marriage.

Find out more and sign up at pccfw.org/reengage

ReEngage is the primary environment for marriages at Pathway.





Ministries & Events JULY/AUGUST 2021

CONNECT

JULY 3 CELEBRATION

JUL 3 | 5:30-10:30pm

OUTDOOR WORSHIP

7pm No in-person services on July 4. Sunday Worship will be ONLINE ONLY.

AUG 7 | 2-4:30pm

OUTDOOR CARNIVAL

☑ cward@pccfw.org

CHILDREN

SUNDAYS | 9+11am

KIDCITY (Infant-4th Grade) ☑ tdemond@pccfw.org

STUDENTS SUNDAYS | 9+11am PROJECT 5 (5th Grade)

☑ khart@pccfw.org SUNDAYS | 9+11am

IMPULSE (Middle School)

⊡ impulse@pccfw.org

WEDNESDAYS | 7:30pm IMPACT (High School)

✓ sdize@pccfw.org

JUL 6-11

RAFT TRIP (Registration full)

☑ bbullock@pccfw.org

JUL 18-21 IMPULSE

WEEK OF HOPE ☑ khoward@pccfw.org

JUL 28 | 6:15pm **IMPULSE OLYMPICS**

☑ khoward@pccfw.org

AUG 4 | 6:15pm

IMPULSE NERFWARS ☑ khoward@pccfw.org

SPORTS

MONDAYS | 6:30pm THRU SEP 27

OPEN-PLAY OUTDOOR VOLLEYBALL

☑ csperry@pccfw.org

MONDAYS | 6:30pm THRU OCT 25

OPEN-PLAY PICKLEBALL

☑ csperry@pccfw.org

GROW

ADULTS

ONGOING DAYS/TIMES VARY

LIFE GROUPS

☑ dlitwiller@pccfw.org

AUG 5+6

GLOBAL LEADERSHIP SUMMIT Use discount code GLS21ORG

⊡ info@pccfw.org

WOMEN MONDAYS | 9am

WOMEN'S COFFEE & CONVERSATION

⊠ annebatt57@gmail.com

SINGLE ADULTS

SUNDAYS | 11am JUL 18-AUG 15 SINGLES'

SUMMER STUDY

⊠ singles@pccfw.org

YOUNG ADULTS (18-25 year olds)

ONGOING DAYS/TIMES VARY

YOUNG ADULT LIFE GROUPS

☑ bvongunten@pccfw.org

THURSDAYS | 6pm THRU AUG 5

SUMMER GATHERINGS

☑ bvongunten@pccfw.org

MARRIAGE &

PARENTING

AUG 2 | 6:30pm RE ENGAGE (Marriage Environment)

☑ daustin@pccfw.org

AUG 16 | 6:30pm

MERGE (Pre-Marriage Environment)

☑ daustin@pccfw.org

CARE & SUPPORT

TUESDAYS | 7pm

CELEBRATE RECOVERY

CelebrateRecovery@pccfw.org

TUESDAYS | 7pm AUG 3-NOV 9

DIVORCE CARE

☐ care@pccfw.org

SERVE

MISSIONS & OUTREACH

AUG 7 | 11am

HABITAT FOR HUMANITY: BUILD DAY AT PCC

 \boxdot gomissions@pccfw.org

FEATURED SERVE OPPORTUNITIES

See more opportunities at pccfw.org/serve

KIDCITY

Make an impact on little ones as part of the KidCity team.

- TinyTown Caregivers
- Small Group Leaders (ages
- 3 years through 4th grade)
- KidCity Guest Services

TECH

Saturdays 5pm | Sundays 9am+11am

1010 Carroll Road, Fort Wayne, IN 46845 | 260.469.4444

- Path Patrol/Security
- ⊠ kbrown@pccfw.org

Use your skills to support worship and teaching in all our weekend environments

Lights

Cameras

• Media

☑ ndecker@pccfw.org

KIDCARE

If you have a heart for young children and a desire to give parents the opportunity to connect and grow at Pathway, there are opportunities in KidCare for you!

 Ongoing opportunities • Paid positions available

☑ jelliott@pccfw.org

• High school students and older may apply

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