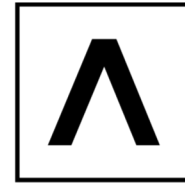


May 14, 2017



# PLEASANT VALLEY CHURCH HAPPENINGS

## MERGE

Will you MERGE (to become combined, united, swallowed up, or absorbed; lose identity by uniting or blending) with us at PV to join us as we glorify God by becoming alive in order to make disciples? We believe that as you MERGE with us, you will begin to understand the Gospel better, PV's DNA better, and how you can join us in achieving the vision that God has given to PV. Because the reality is, when we do this together, WE are BETTER because of it.

### **Meet the Zieskes** - Informal time to get to know

Pastor Brandon and his family and enjoy dessert. Childcare is available. The next opportunity is Sunday, July 9, 7pm.

**Engage** - We are Better Together! Considering membership at PV? Join us for this first step! Childcare is available. A free will donation will be accepted for childcare. The next opportunity is Tuesday, June 6, 6-8pm.

**Revolve** - A two-week Learning Community on how to Abide & Abound. Watch for the next opportunity.

**Grow** - 7 week series based on PV's values. Series is available online for groups or individuals to participate in anytime. Visit [pvwinona.com/merge/grow](http://pvwinona.com/merge/grow).

**Empower** - A two-week Learning Community to discover your spiritual gifts, and how your life experiences have uniquely shaped you for Kingdom influence. At the end of these sessions, participants will be asked to discover what's next for them; serving, volunteering, going on a mission trip, or interning. Watch for the next opportunity.

## WAYS TO GIVE AT PLEASANT VALLEY:

**Cash or Check**: Place your check or cash in a secure black giving box during any Sunday service. Contributions may also be sent to PV.

**Automatic Giving**: Fill out a green form from the brochure kiosk to consistently give weekly/monthly via checking or savings account. This is the most cost-effective method of automatic giving for the church.



**Online Giving**: Scan this QR code or visit [pvwinona.com/give](http://pvwinona.com/give) to set up an online account to give one-time or consistent weekly/monthly via credit card\*, debit card, checking or savings account.

**Text Giving**: With your smartphone or device, text a dollar amount to 507.697.1988. You'll receive a text with a link. Tap the link, enter your information, and the credit\* or debit card you'd like to use for all gifts. Next time you're ready to give, text the dollar amount to the number above. (To give to Irresistible, include the code "II") Example: text "\$50 II" if you want to give \$50 to Irresistible.

**Stock Transfer**: Please call the office for details, 507.452.5518.

*\*Why do we accept credit cards? When used responsibly, credit and debit cards are an efficient tool for payments and purchases. Many people utilize them in place of checks or cash and then pay the balance off in full. We strongly discourage those who have credit card debt from exercising this option.*

Pleasant Valley Church is a qualified section 501(c)(3) organization. All tithes, offerings, or donations of any kind are tax-deductible under section 170(c)(2). Giving constitutes your agreement to relinquish control in accordance with IRS regulations.



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Worship Celebrations: Sundays at 8:30am, 10:30am, and 5:30pm

**Prayer** - After each service our prayer team is available to pray with you in the Prayer Room. On the first Sunday of the month the Elders will be available to pray with you.

### **Blessings to the families celebrating dedications today!**

8:30am - Griffin Ty Gelle, son of Adam and Jenn Gelle  
Zoey Roland, daughter of Cassie and Joe Roland

10:30am - Jaxon Carrels, son of Callie Schmidt  
Gabriella and Asher Putz, children of Craig and Kami Putz  
Myer Ray Omdal, son of Paul and Christy Omdal

**We are pleased to announce that Josh Huffman is now our Technical Director!** Josh grew up in Winona and has a degree in Mass Communications: Electronic Media from WSU. He also has schooling in graphic design. Josh has been a part of PV for 4 years, 2 of which were spent interning for PV's School of Ministry. Josh is excited to use his passion for creating videos and gifts of faith, mercy, and pastoring to honor the Lord in his role at PV.

**Hymn Sing** - Tonight, 6pm at the Terpstras, 266 Oak Leaf Drive, Winona. All are welcome!

**Baptism** - Sunday, May 21, 5:30pm (during the Sunday PM service). Baptism is a way to express the reality of your relationship with the Lord; a time to go public with your faith! Register on your bulletin response card or at [pvwinona.com](http://pvwinona.com). Plan to attend the prep class Tuesday, May 16 at 6pm.

**Baptism Serving Opportunities** - Make a dessert, help set-up and serve, or clean-up, hand out towels or take towels home to wash, dry and fold, please email [pv@pvwinona.com](mailto:pv@pvwinona.com).

**Pleasant Valley Highway Clean-up Day** - Saturday, May 20. Join us at church at 9am for donuts, juice, and prayer before we clean a portion of County Rd 17. This is a fun family event to serve our church, our community and God! If you can help, contact Bill Braun: 454.3057, [braunbiz@hbci.com](mailto:braunbiz@hbci.com); or the office: 452.5518, [pv@pvwinona.com](mailto:pv@pvwinona.com).

**Compassion International** - Sunday, May 21, after each service. Compassion International pairs compassionate people with children in poverty. When you support a child, your monthly contribution will provide medical checkups, nutritious food, educational assistance, mentoring, and encouragement to develop a lifelong relationship with Jesus. To get involved, stop by the table in the entryway.

**Congratulations Graduates!** - If you have an open house to include in the bulletin, please bring a written announcement to the office, call 452.5518, or email the information to [pv@pvwinona.com](mailto:pv@pvwinona.com).

**Engage** - Tuesday, June 6, 6-8pm. We are Better Together! Considering membership at PV? Join us for this first step! Childcare is available. A free will donation will be accepted for childcare. Registration begins next week.

**After 40 years, the Winona Christian Preschool & Daycare will be closing.** This is due to decreased enrollment over the past 5 years and increased costs associated with running a quality program. Their last day will be on Friday, June 9th.

**Worship Team** - Pastor Chad seeks experienced musicians to join the Worship Team. If you have experience playing in a live setting on a keyboard, electric/acoustic guitar, bass, or drums we may have a spot for you. Please email [chad@pvwinona.com](mailto:chad@pvwinona.com).



In April of 2014, the PV family was invited to partner in an initiative called Irresistible. The goal remains the same: to connect more people to Jesus and align more Christ followers to His purpose. The final phase of repurposing the facility is nearly completed! Irresistible pledges will be used to make payments on the short-term loan. Thank you for your faithfulness to your Irresistible Initiative pledge!

## CHILDREN & FAMILY MINISTRIES

**The Baby/Toddler Zone (BTZ)** The Baby Zone welcomes birth through steady walkers. The Toddler Zone is for walkers through 33 months.

**Kids' Church Pre & K** - Preschoolers (age 24-33 mos) through Kindergarten, meet Sundays, 8:30am, 10:30am, and 5:30pm in room 206.

**Kids' Church Grades 1-4** - Sundays at 8:30am, 10:30am, and 5:30pm, rooms 211 (grades 1 and 2) and 210 (grades 3 and 4). Students enjoy worship, teaching and fun team challenges, plus small groups for talking points and prayer.

**Nursing moms** - You are welcome to use our private, quiet, and dedicated room behind the baby zone check in area. Live-stream coming soon.

**Camp Awesome** - June 21-23, 9am-4pm. A sports, arts, or science camp for children entering first grade through fifth grade. Sports: soccer, basketball. Performing Arts: dance, art class, and theatre. Visual Arts: Art class, Culinary Art, and other Arts. Science: Chemistry, Physics and other sciences. \$15 for the first child in the family, \$10 for each additional child. For details and to register stop by the table today or visit [pvwinona.com/current/campawesome](http://pvwinona.com/current/campawesome).

**Camp Awesome Staff Needs** - PV's Camp Awesome, a sports, arts, and science camp, is scheduled for June 21-23. Opportunities are available for adults and teens, that love Jesus and children, to serve as huddle coaches (small group leaders). No athletic, artistic, or science ability is needed to serve. This is a great way to bless our community and have a ton of fun. To register for volunteering, visit [pvwinona.com/current/campawesome](http://pvwinona.com/current/campawesome). Contact Kirsten for more information, [kirsten@pvwinona.com](mailto:kirsten@pvwinona.com).

**Summer Camp Opportunities** - God is using Christian camping in the lives of children and youth! Stop by the camps table for more information today. Scholarship forms will be available.

**Pleasant Valley Indoor Playground** - Our state of the art indoor playground offers a safe environment for children, ages 2-12. The floor has a cushioned rubber surface to protect kids as they run, jump and play. The playground is not supervised by church staff.

Open MONDAY - FRIDAY, 9-4PM Free and open to the public! Parents must supervise all children Monday - Friday. Must check-in at the front office, use door "A." Closed on holidays.

Open SUNDAYS, before, during, and after morning services and before and after the evening service.

Parents must supervise children ages 6 years and under on Sundays.

**PLAYGROUND RULES** - To keep kids safe and the playground in tip-top shape: keep shoes on (must be clean and dry), no food or drink, no sharp objects, do not walk up the slides or climb onto the roof of the treehouse, go down slides feet first, do not hang from the bars or bridge, no pushing or shoving, no fighting, name calling, or cursing. Invite your friends, take turns and share, keep strollers in lobby area. We suggest the removal of helmets, drawstrings, and any accessories worn around the neck. At this time, our indoor playground is not available for birthday parties.

## MIDDLE SCHOOL MINISTRIES

**Sunday Morning Youth** - 8:30 & 10:30am in room 203. 5th-8th grade students welcome. Adult leaders challenge them to grow deeper in their faith; plus they enjoy games and donuts!

**Wednesday Night Youth Group** - 7-9pm, with open gym at 6:30pm. 5th - 8th grade students are welcome to enjoy worship, time in the Word, and a community-building fun time. The last Wednesday night youth group for the school year will be on May 31.

## HIGH SCHOOL MINISTRIES

**Wednesday Night Youth Group** - 7pm at PV. 9th-12th grade students are welcome to enjoy worship, time in the Word, and a community building fun time. The last Wednesday night youth group for the school year will be on May 31.

## COLLEGE MINISTRIES

**H2O Summer Chapel** has begun! For more information, contact Pastor Daniel at [daniel@pvwinona.com](mailto:daniel@pvwinona.com) or join the H2O Summer 2017 group on facebook.

## ADULT MINISTRIES

**Ladies' Connection** - Tuesday, May 16, noon at Burdey's Café in Peterson. Dine with other ladies on the 3rd Tuesday of each month! Each is responsible for her own meal. RSVP to Judy, 452.2615.



We believe spiritual growth flows out of meaningful relationships with God, His Word, and with other Christ-followers. It is our goal to have every person at Pleasant Valley Church involved in a Small Group to develop these significant relationships.

\*Groups with no start date listed are ongoing.

\*Groups meet in Winona unless otherwise noted.

*To register for a group, go to [www.pvwinona.com/next-steps/groups/](http://www.pvwinona.com/next-steps/groups/)*

## GENERAL (any age, gender, and marital status welcome)

Wednesdays, 6:30pm, Lewiston, sermon-based, Matt & Tanya Bollinger

Wednesdays, 7pm, Arcadia, sermon-based, Paul & Sandy Sobotta

## MEN

Mondays, 6:15am at Burdey's Café in Peterson, **12 Ordinary Men**, Ben Ekern

Mondays, 7pm, Young Adult Men, various studies, Marc-Henry Wakim

Wednesdays, 6:45-8am at PV, **Acts**, Jeff Peterson

Saturdays, 7am at Perkins, **Revelation**, Owen Warneke

## SPECIFIC

**Starting Point**, one-on-one study for adults who want to grow in their relationship with Christ. Meeting times based on participants' schedules.

**Seniors Bible Study** - Thursdays, 9am at PV, 1 Corinthians, Norma Plank.

**Celebrate Recovery**, Fridays, 6pm at PV. CR offers Biblical teaching on experiencing healing and wholeness, as well as relational support needed to work through personal issues. Bryce Langley, [Bryce@pvwinona.com](mailto:Bryce@pvwinona.com)

## VOLUNTEERING

Imagine the transformation that would happen in our families, church, and community if we all took the time to do what God uniquely designed each of us to do to serve others. Whether you have a lot of time or an occasional few hours, please consider making the kind of difference that only you can make. Visit [www.pvwinona.com](http://www.pvwinona.com), or contact the leader listed.

**Children's Ministry** (1 service every or every-other Sun) [kirsten@pvwinona.com](mailto:kirsten@pvwinona.com)

\*Babies and Toddlers

\*Kids' Church (Pre-K, 1st-4th grade) (many roles available)

**Middle School** (serving grades 5-8) [james@pvwinona.com](mailto:james@pvwinona.com)

**Worship Arts** (serve on a rotation)

\*Arts (music, drama, or set design) [chad@pvwinona.com](mailto:chad@pvwinona.com)

\*Tech Ministry (sound, lights, video) [joshua@pvwinona.com](mailto:joshua@pvwinona.com)

**Guest Services** (1 service, 1 or 2 times per month)

\*Ushers - [Ashley@pvwinona.com](mailto:Ashley@pvwinona.com)

**Building & Grounds** (behind the scenes once per week or month)

\*Contact Mark, [mark@pvwinona.com](mailto:mark@pvwinona.com)