



Sunday, July 2, 2017



### Rev. Brian Episcopo

*"Have I not commanded you? Be strong and courageous." (Joshua 1:8)*

*"The LORD himself goes before you and will be with you; he will never leave you nor forsake you. Do not be afraid; do not be discouraged." (Deuteronomy 31:8)*

The fact that God leads with a rhetorical question seems to imply that initiative on the part of God's people is not just welcome, it is expected. Deuteronomy 31:8 could almost be the verse directly before Joshua 1:8. Talking about faith takes courage. What if we believed in every situation God goes before us and on other side of a courageous act of love, God will be there somehow?

### NOTES

### PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY

Travis Ball, Nicole Brunette, Jordan Driessen, Joshua Fischer, Drew Gemmel, Mike Madsen, Joshua Mennen, Isaac Miller, Dustin Kahl, Rebekah Kopesky, Robert Kopesky II, Eric Olson, Ace Pierce, Grant Pierce, Andy Rezman, Justin Schuh, Patrick Shuman, Brad Smoll, Wes VanEpern, and Melissa Winterfeldt

### HABITAT FOR HUMANITY "Faith Build" Volunteer Opportunity

Various dates and times  
For more info, visit [aachur.ch/habitat17](http://aachur.ch/habitat17)

AAC is honored to join with five other local Evangelical churches to build a Habitat home, meet with members of our community, and share our love for Christ. You can sign up to volunteer using the link above and selecting your preferred date.

### ADULTS

#### Meet the Pastor and Get Connected

Monday, July 10 | 6:00 p.m.  
Register at [aachur.ch/mtpcr71017](http://aachur.ch/mtpcr71017)

Get to know Pastor Dennis' story, his journey to faith, and the vision for AAC. Then, stick around to discover the ways you can become a more connected attendee at AAC. Learn about small groups, ministry opportunities, and volunteering.

#### Israel Trip 2017

Oct. 23-Nov. 2, 2017  
More info at [aachur.ch/it102317](http://aachur.ch/it102317)

Join Pastor Dan Dinkler with his wife, Cindi, and Pastor Mark Byrom on an inspirational tour of The Holy Land. The tour will include round trip transportation, first class accommodations, breakfast and dinner buffets at each resort, baptisms in the Jordan River, and walking where Jesus walked. For an informational flyer or an application, stop by the Welcome Desk or email [info@appletonalliance.org](mailto:info@appletonalliance.org)

### SUPPORT GROUPS

#### DivorceCare

Thursdays | Now through Aug 24  
6:30-8:00 p.m. | No meeting on Aug. 3

DivorceCare offers support and guidance for those facing the pain of a severed relationship. Regardless of where you are in the process, this group will be of help to you in your healing recovery. Join any time.

### YOUNG ADULTS

#### Alliance PM

Thursdays, July 13, 20, and 27  
7:30-9:30 p.m.

Are you ready for more? We can't get enough of *Alliance PM*, our young adult service on Thursday nights, so we're continuing through the month of July! (There will be no service on July 6.) You can also join our 6-week Bible study, *Adulting*, by Jonathan Pokluda on Tuesday nights from 6:30-8:00 p.m. starting July 11.

### WELCOME We're glad you're here!

Stop by the Welcome Center in the Hub. We have a gift for you and would love to connect with you. Find out what's happening at AAC at [appletonalliance.org](http://appletonalliance.org)

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**Sunday Services: 8:00, 9:30, and 11:00 a.m.**