

# Pathway Moment in Worship

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By Paul Rowley

The reorganization of the Pathway to Purpose Implementation Committee is complete.

Three subcommittees have been created and 7 new people stepped up to volunteer after our call for help six weeks ago.

We doubled the number of people helping with Pathway to Purpose and we now have a total of 14 people who are rolling up their sleeves for this effort.

The committee structure is as follows:

**P2P Community Outreach Subcommittee:**

Lead by Rev. Jennifer Knighton and members include: Will Caldwell, Jan Austell, Jay Fuller, Nancy Gardner, Casey McNeeley, and Mark Hayes.

**P2P Missions Subcommittee:**

Lead by George Knoerlein and members include: Krista Bayne, Connie Heasley, Tina Hamilton, and Charlene Mowery.

**P2P Communications Subcommittee:**

Lead by Paul Rowley and Laura Prinn is a committee member.

This is wonderful news and we are poised to continue to make great progress.

- Since January, to keep you informed, we have done **2 Pathway Moments** in worship and **2 Newsletters**. These will continue monthly to keep you informed.
- The newly organized Missions subcommittee met for the first time on February 21. They will be continuing mission efforts for CEA & Ugly Quilts and will be looking to expand into other areas like The Children's Home and local schools, among other things. We are working toward putting more passion & energy in missions as well as doing more hands-on mission work.

- The newly organized Community Outreach subcommittee will be meeting for the first time on March 7<sup>th</sup>. More will be reported about this group's progress in the months to come. One of their first projects will be working with the Girl Scout troop who uses our building to expand our garden and open it to the community.

As we have said before, Pathway to Purpose is not a quick fix. It is, however, our plan to make consistent progress around:

- Identifying and meeting community needs
- Implementing more hands-on missions to serve our community and spread God's Word
- Discerning where God is leading us

One last thing I want to say is that 14 people cannot do the work of an entire congregation. As these subcommittees get things moving, every member of our church will have a part to play. Please keep your hearts and minds open and be ready to support this work as you are able.

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