### EVENTS

Find out more and to register for events: **connectionpointe.org/events** 

### **SUMMER READING PROGRAM**

June 10 - July 9 | Ages 3 - 5th Grade | Library Earn prizes by reading books from the Connection Pointe Library.

### **GLOBAL LEADERSHIP SUMMIT**

Thursday - Friday, August 10 & 11
Reduced rate of \$89 available until July 11! Be inspired to be the leader God has called you to be. Everyone has influence!

### CONNECTION CARD

| YOUR NAME         |                     |  |
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|                   | /                   |  |
| PHONE / EMAIL     |                     |  |
| FAMILY MEMBERS IN | ATTENDANCE WITH ME: |  |
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| SPOUSE / CHILDR   | E N                 |  |

### **CHECK ALL THAT APPLY**

- O I'm new!
- O How do I become a Christian?
- O What's my next step?

#### **NEED PRAYER?**

- Meet the prayer team after service
- Go to connectionpointe.org/prayer
- Grab a prayer card in the back of the room
- Use the Connection Pointe app

## UPDATING YOUR CONTACT INFO? Head to connectionpointe.org/thelink

## # M Y C P S T O R Y



### MY PERSPECTIVES STORY: CHUCK RAPP

I first heard about Perspectives at least two decades ago but never got around to signing up until 2010. Why did I wait so long?!

At that point, I was at a career crossroads; I had been informed in July that my job would not exist after mid-October. What to do next? Perspectives turned out to be perfect timing for me as we considered the next phase of our lives. I learned so much that fall about God's global mission and ways to be engaged in it.

There is a misperception that Perspectives is only for those interested in missions, but it's much more; it's about God's mission and His purpose for all of us.

The following year I was asked to share a facilitator role in another Perspectives class. During lesson 10, Perspectives suddenly became very personal as our instructor Dr. Len Bartlotti (a consistent favorite who is returning for this fall's classes) shared a story from his speaking engagement in a church missions convention. He recounted, "I'm not here to ask for your money; I'm here to ask for your children for missions."

That single sentence simultaneously resonated with me and scared me greatly as our daughter and son-in-law were just beginning to consider missions. Fast forward five years later and they – and our three grandchildren – will soon be leaving for their second term working with an unreached group of people.

Perspectives not only helped me better understand God's mission for my life, but it also helped us to prepare to release our family members to God's call to missions.

SATURDAY WORSHIP **5 PM** THE CENTER

SUNDAY WORSHIP

8 AM THE POINTE

9:15 & 11:15 AM THE CENTER & THE POINTE



## WELCOME!

### **NEW TO CONNECTION POINTE?**

We're so glad you're here! Be sure to visit Connection Corner in the Main Lobby. The volunteers in blue shirts can answer any guestions you might have and they have a gift for you!

### COMMUNION

We take communion every week and it is open to any believer in Christ. The bread and juice will be passed, hold them, and we will take communion together. A basket will be passed to dispose of your cups. Gluten free communion is available.

### **OFFERING**

Each worship service provides an opportunity to give an offering. If you are a quest, please feel no obligation to give!

## NEXT STEPS

Find your next step: connectionpointe.org/mynextstep

# **DISCOVER CONNECTION POINTE**Your first step... A 30 minute introduction to Connection Pointe!

June 10, 6:15 - 6:45 pm or June 11, 10:4<u>5 - 11:15 am</u> in THE LIVING ROOM

### **STARTING POINTE**

New to church or just returning? This group is a safe place to ask questions about faith.

Aug 17 - Oct 5, 7 - 8:30 pm in THE LIVING ROOM

### **SMALL GROUPS**

Looking to get connected into community and grow spiritually? Stop by Connection Corner.

Or sign up at connectionpointe.org/smallgroups

Discover what it means to be "all in" through community, generosity. serving and spiritual growth.

September 17, 9:15 - 10:45 am in ROOM B102

### **CARE GROUPS**

Going through a divorce or loss of a loved one?

Find a care group at connectionpointe.org/caregroups

## SERMON NOTES

### PEOPLE RESTORED | SAMSON: THE PROUD

Adam Lynch, Young Adults Director June 10 & 11, 2017

### SCRIPTURE REFERENCES —

Judges 14:1-3 Judges 16:4-6 Judges 16:13 Judges 16:15-17 Judges 14:10 Judges 15:3-5 Judges 15:15-16 Judges 16:18-19a Judges 16:19b-22 Judges 15:18-19

Judges 16:27-30 2 Corinthians 6:1 Proverbs 18:1 (ESV) Proverbs 16:18 (MSG)

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| You          | have a | to |

what needs to be said to your kids that are the life

God has for them.

## 3. Starting to \_\_\_\_\_ Nazirite \_\_\_\_\_

Often we \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_ of God during

## 4. \_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_ THE ENEMY WILL USE WHATEVER

YOUR \_\_\_\_\_ OFF GOD TO TRY AND \_\_\_\_\_ YOU, YOUR \_\_\_\_\_ AND

The line between safety and destruction is a very thin one.

## 5. of

## What do we learn from Samson's life?

Samson's pride led him to:

- 2. To \_\_\_\_\_ a \_\_\_\_
- 4. Thought he could \_\_\_\_\_ on his own
- 5. Ultimately \_\_\_\_\_\_



Perspectives is designed around four perspectives - Biblical, Historical, Cultural, and Strategic. Each one highlights different aspects of God's global purpose.

Whether your purpose is to learn, pray, go, send, welcome, or mobilize others, Perspectives will bless you and challenge your life and direction. Discover a vision to live with purpose--God's purpose--for your life!

**TUESDAYS, AUGUST 8 - NOVEMBER 14** 6:30 - 9:15 PM | B202







