

President Report - Matt Bingaman

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October was a busy month! On October 13th, I was fortunate to participate in the Leadership Summit at Trinity. At this event, we discussed how we could use the 2022 theme of "Live Like Jesus" to help gain momentum into Giving, Serving and Leading within our congregation. A future event will take place in February. G/S/L video project was rolled out this week, and the first installment was fantastic. Thank you to all of those involved in this project. It was fantastic seeing a new energy in the building as our faith formation work is coming together. At confirmation class, we saw a room full of parents and teenagers ready to take a journey of true faith formation over the next several months. We must continue to see the importance of this ministry, the energy that comes from our families as they begin to come back to in-person experiences that we provide. Our families need our efforts and these programs to continue to be the seed that we must sow for our future. The budget team has been highly engaged and has begun an important process for our future. Please pray for our team as they look for new ways to help our funds be used to their maximum potential. The strategic planning team has begun working toward a January goal to send forth to council a plan for the 2022 and 2023 years (two years rather than our prior three-year plan). Staff will take the next week to look at the major bullet points which align with the yearly theme Pastor Horner communicated to council last month and again at the leadership summit – Live Like Jesus. (See Leadership Summit Review Notes From S. Kauffman email Subject – Leadership Invite -10/22)