

# This Sunday



August 20, 2017



## **Get Connected**

If this is your first visit, welcome! We hope your visit is meaningful, and we are glad you are here. Please fill out a Connection Card and drop it in the offering box or at the Welcome Area and please help yourself to a welcome mug! For all guests and attenders, below are steps you can take to engage in our community.







· View the mobile Compass

- · Find a Base Camp
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### Equipping Ministries

Growing, discipleship, and learning opportunities at The Ascent Church this Fall include:

### Base Camps

Biblical community in which all grow in faith, biblical understanding and application, supporting one another, and serving our community. Most Base Camps meet weekly. For more information contact your Campus Pastor Brian (Northgate Campus - brian@theascentchurch.com) or Scott (Woodmoor Campus - scott@theascentchurch.com)

### Men on the Ascent Bible Study

Luke/Acts - Explore the life of Jesus and how his shaping of the disciples undergirds the early church and gives God's church it's shape today. Three times starting September 12th:

- Woodmoor Campus 6am Tuesdays
- Communities Room at Marco's Pizza 6am Tuesdays
- Woodmoor Campus 6pm Thursdays

### Women's Bible Studies

Esther - A Beth Moore study led by Carolyn Neher, Think of all the things that are tough about being a woman in today's culture. Beth Moore's study of Esther addresses them in this in-depth study. Tuesdays, 9am starting September 12th.

Luke/Acts - Explore the life of Jesus and how his shaping of the disciples undergirds the early church and gives God's church it's shape today. Thursdays 6pm, starting September 12th.

**Moms and Beyond** - Studying "What Love Is" by Kelly Mintor. Meeting Tuesday mornings 9:00-11:30am in Room 213 of the Woodmoor Campus starting September 12.

Register now at www.theascentchurch.com/women.

**MOPS** - MOPS meets on the first and third Thursday of each month at 9am, August through May at The Woodmoor Campus, Room 216. For more information and to register go to theascentchurch.com/women.

### Sundays at Woodmoor Campus

**Connection Class** - Sundays, 10:45am, Woodmoor Campus Room 213. All are welcome!

Parents of Teens - Sundays, 10:45am, Woodmoor Campus Room 210.



This Sunday's Message

## King Uzziah: A Tragic Success

### Sermon Notes:

Success is \_\_\_\_\_\_ at His \_\_\_\_\_.

2 Chronicles 26:1-15

Success is \_\_\_\_\_\_ the things that are \_\_\_\_\_ me.

Romans 8:13

2 Chronicles 26:16-23

# Base Camps

Base Camps are neighborhood-based groups that meet regularly around our community. To build deeper relationships with your neighbors, visit our website at: theascentchurch.com/basecamps.



We firmly believe that God cherishes our teenagers on their journey to adulthood and that He is calling each one to come to Him, and Live. We are passionate about raising up a Christ centered generation through authentic community and Biblical teaching. With our years of experience we have seen teens, through their relationship with Jesus make an impact in their neighborhoods, schools, and the world. This is why we are so excited to have the opportunity to serve the Middle & High School students of our community.

Part of community building is through events for middle school and high school students throughout the year. We want students to feel welcome to be a part of these events.

ASM TUESDAY NIGHTS: - MIDDLE SCHOOL: 5:30-6:45PM - HIGH SCHOOL: 7:00-8:45PM

FOR MORE INFORMATION ABOUT ASM CONTACT TAYLOR SHADE, ASM®THEASCENTCHURCH.COM WWW.THEASCENTCHURCH.COM/STUDENTS

### EQUIPPING MINISTRY

Classes are designed to help further your walk with Christ. There are many shortterm classes offered at both campuses, as well as ongoing women's and men's Bible studies.

Connections Class: Sundays, 10:45am, Woodmoor Campus Room 213. All are welcome!

Parents of Teens Class: Sundays, 10:45am, Woodmoor Campus Room 210.



Men on the Ascent Men's Campin Trip

September 22-24, 2017

This is a time to fellowship in God's great outdoors as brothers in Christ. Lake Isabel, Spruce Group Campground \$25 for the first person \$17.50 each additional person More Information and Registration: theascentchurch.com/men



Woodmoor -10:30am-



- Offering box in worship center
- Online: theascentchurch.com
- Kiosk
- The Ascent Church App

## MOTHER-SON

NORTHGATE

11:45AM-

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More information and registration at TheAscentChurch.com/Kids



These study pages are for groups and individuals to deepen their reflection on the biblical passages from the sermon and work toward group and personal application of His word. They can be completed in one sitting or over the week. Together, we are learning and living the Bible.

### Heroes & Zeros Series "King Uzziah: A Tragic Success" 2 Chronicles 26

If you were not able to hear Pastor Rusty's sermon today, take some time to listen to it online. Open your time of study in prayer, asking God to show you how to apply the challenges from His Word.

Before reviewing the life of King Uzziah as recorded in 2 Chronicles 26, review the following instructions Jesus gave in the Sermon on the Mount:

Read Matthew 6:1. Beware of what?

Read Matthew 6:24. What keeps you from truly serving God?

Read Matthew 6:33. What should you seek in life?

Kings, in the Old Testament, were instructed to model this kind of life so the people could and would follow their example. With this in mind, look at the Old Testament King Uzziah.

**Read** 2 Chronicles 26:1-5, and fill in the blanks to the following statements from verses 4 and 5:

"He [Uzziah] did \_\_\_\_\_\_ was \_\_\_\_\_ in the eyes of the LORD."

"He \_\_\_\_\_ God during the days of Zechariah, who instructed him in the \_\_\_\_\_ of God. As long as he \_\_\_\_\_ the LORD, God gave him success."

What did King Uzziah (and every king serving God's people) need to do in order to fulfill what was right in the eyes of the LORD?

What did Uzziah need to do to be assured that he was truly seeking the LORD?

Why was it important for Uzziah be instructed to fear God? (See Proverbs 1:7, 3:7-8, 9:10, 10:27, 14:26-27, 19:23)

**Read** 2 Chronicles 26:6-15 and make a list of Uzziah's accomplishments while being faithful to God:

**Read** 2 Chronicles 26:16-23. What did Uzziah do wrong? (See 26:16-18)

What was the consequence of his sin? (See 26:19-23)

Go back and review Matthew 6:1, 24, and 33. How did Uzziah violate these instructions?

How can you, a person of God today, put into practice these teachings of Jesus so as to be a model to the world? What do you need in order to accomplish God's desire? What do you need to do?

What primary message from God rises to the surface for you after reflecting upon these passages of Scripture?

### NEXT WEEK'S INFORMATION: HEROES AND ZEROS SERIES KING HEZEKIAH: A SECOND CHANCE 2 KINGS 18-20

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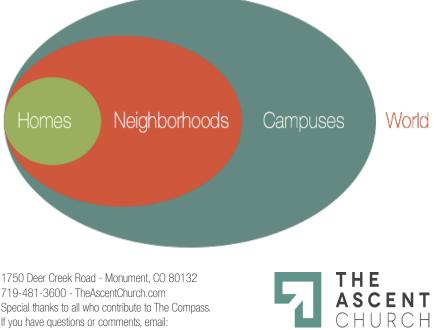
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## **Mission and Vision**

The mission of THE ASCENT CHURCH is to help people connect intimately with God, intentionally with God's family, and influentially with God's world. Our vision is to develop genuine biblical communities on every street in our region.

Our community lives out its vision and mission within three environments:

- Home The best place for formation and nurture.
- Neighborhood The best place for application and outreach.
- Campus The best place for equipping, • inspiration and celebration.



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