

# OPTIONAL ICEBREAKERS

- What is your favorite book and/or movie and why?
- If you could travel anywhere in the world where would you go?
- What is something you want to learn how to do?
- What do you get paid to do? What job would you do for free?

# Updates from Dec 2016 Family Dinner

## Church Planting

- Someone seriously discerning- met w/Admin Team, narrowing in on mission and location
- Hopefully 2017- hope to have announcement in next several months
- Have \$30k set aside to assist in transition
- Do we need more?- thanks to strong Dec, increased to \$40k

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- Pastoral Internship
  - Geared towards 'church jobs' - currently have 2 men in the program
  - Help surface calling- baby step vs giant leap – apartment ministries
  - Train people in SB ministry culture/values - working since beginning of May w/me and Kim, beginning w/Jeremy next week; Acts 6; Mark Kelly
  - Stipend? – thanks to strong Dec, able to pay them a small hourly rate

# PASTORAL INTERNS



Joshua Ivey



Russell Marshall

# Updates from Dec 2016 Family Dinner

- Sanctuary Expansion
  - Add 50-60 seats (x2 for 9 and 11am services)
  - 5pm could shift to church planting service
  - No appetite to take this on from congregation; too expensive for return
  - Further review- good chance it would result in overcrowding children's space

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- Relocation

- All options we have explored to date are 'no' – either off the market or we've been turned down by owners

# Given our current physical constraints, how do we continue to flourish?

**Flourish-** to grow or develop in a healthy way, especially as a result of a particularly favorable environment

## Current Reality

- 15,000 sqft spread over 5 buildings
- Easter numbers:
  - 675 in worship (high school and up)
  - 40 middle school
  - 224 children

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- **Physical Facility** (no additional sqft)- includes layout and functionality
  - Adding awning to back doors
  - Adding a/c capacity in sanctuary



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- **Overall Culture** – how StoneBridge ‘feels’ particularly on Sundays along w/values that inform decisions
  - Jeremy/Foundations to address assimilation problem
  - Multiplication
    - Pastoral interns
    - Church planter

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- **Ministry Structure**— how we do work of making disciple-makers and cooperating w/God in transformation of our community
  - Jeremy- small group for Small Group Leaders
  - Family Pastor?
  - 3 morning services?

8:15-9:30	8:30-9:45
9:45-11:00	10:00-11:15
11:30-12:45	11:45-1:00
  - Keep 5pm for church planting

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- **Spiritual Atmosphere**— what people experience, particularly on Sundays
  - Changed Tuesday prayer to make more contemplative and more accessible
  - Switched worship format to create more space for response
  - Incorporate more testimonies on Sundays

# Attendance

