Our expectations for our leaders:
In our culture, leaders lead out of __________ and ____________
In Paul’s culture, leaders led out of otherworldly ____________ experiences
Yet the way of Jesus is to lead out of ________________ and ________________

Observations from the Apostle Paul’s story of healing without a healing:
1. Jesus gives us __________ to accept our ________________
2. Jesus offers to "__________ his tent" of ____________ on the weak
3. Jesus’ ________________ flows through our ________________

What does leading with weakness and vulnerability look like?
It doesn’t look like:
It looks more like:

This sermon series is based on the book, *Emotionally Healthy Discipleship*, by Peter Scazzero
**Babies, Kids, Students**

**Sundays: Nursery & Children’s Programming**
Please check in your kids before service at the south end. Drop off to nursery anytime; grades K-5 will begin with us in service then be dismissed before the sermon.

**Sundays: Middle School**
The Old Testament, by The BibleProject
Sept 10th - December 17th | First Hour 8:45 | rm 208 | facilitated by Julie Smith & Tom Dierenfeld

**Sundays: High School**
The Book of James
Oct 22nd - Nov. 19th | First Hour 8:45 | rm 207 | facilitated by Scott Firestone & Bob Graham

**Wednesdays: Youth Night!**
Students grades 6-8 are invited to Fusion, 6:30 to 8pm. Students grades 9-12 are invited to Pulse, 7 to 9pm. Invite a friend!

Find the youth calendar on the website (www.LifeSpringChurch.org) under Connect > Students to see what’s coming up! For text updates, text @lifespri to 81010.

**Upcoming Events**

**Today | Church Business Meeting**
Please plan to stay after service today and join us for the business meeting. These annual meetings are an important piece of our life together, so we hope you’ll stay and be a part! We’ll serve a taco bar lunch at 11:30 then begin the meeting at noon to 2:00. Kids through 5th grade are welcome to hang out in crew252 after lunch when the meeting begins; helpers are there to supervise.

**November 11 | Emotionally Healthy Discipleship Mini Retreat**
On Saturday, November 11th from 9:30am-noon, we will be having a morning retreat to provide space to explore how the topics from this sermon series can be integrated into your life. The retreat will include guided prayer and reflection, as well as opportunities to share with others. Sign up at the Welcome Center or by e-mailing Pastor Elyse, noting if you need childcare: elysea@lifespringchurch.org

**November 16 | ROMEO**
Retired Old Men Eating Out will meet the third Thursday, November 16th, at 8:30 in the Commons. We will be serving our regular breakfast. Invite a friend. Email Dave Conner with questions: connerda50@yahoo.com

**November 16 | Justice & Mercy Prayer Gathering**
This month’s Justice & Mercy Ministry will meet on Thursday, November 16, 6:30-8p, in the sanctuary. We are excited to learn about and pray for the country of Armenia from Anna Mkhitaryan, an exchange student attending Thompson Valley High School and our youth group.

**November 17 | Safe Families for Children Harvest Gala**
On Friday, November 17th, 6:00-8:00p, Safe Families for Children is hosting their Harvest Gala here at LifeSpring. There will be dinner, a program, and an auction to celebrate how God has been working through this ministry over the past year to strengthen families in Northern Colorado and to raise funds to meet the ever increasing need. There is no cost to attend, but please RSVP to Roxy Tines: rtines@safefamilies.net. If you’d like to know more about LifeSpring’s partnership with Safe Families, email Lisa Kennison: lisak@lifespringchurch.org.

**November 25 | Crescendo (55+) @ New Life Quartet Concert**
Crescendo, our connection ministry for 55+, will be attending the New Life Quartet Concert at the Rialto theater on Saturday, November 25th at 3:00pm. The concert is a public event and anyone can attend; if you pre-purchased a ticket, you can pick that up from Brenda today in the Connecting Center.

If you didn’t reserve a ticket through Crescendo but would like to attend the concert, you can go to www.facebook.com/NewLifeQ for ticketing information.

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**Sing to the Lord an Old Song**
October 22nd - November 19th | First Hour 8:45 | crew252 | facilitated by Lacey Sharpe
Join us for a time of discussion, reflection, and (dare I say it?) singing as we soak in the stories and lyrics of five well-loved hymns of our faith.

**Adult Growth Class**

**Missionary Christmas Gifts**
LifeSpring supports nine different missionaries in six different countries. Some of these missionaries we have been in partnership with for over 40 years! Each year we like to give these missionaries a monetary gift to bless them as they celebrate with their friends and family around the world. This year we have the goal to raise $3,400 by the week of November 12th so there is time to get these gifts to our missionaries. Thank you for generously giving $826 so far!

If you would like to contribute, you can mark your gift “Missionary Christmas” with cash, check, Venmo, or through the church website: www.LifeSpringChurch.org/giving